



NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL
OFFICE OF INVESTIGATIONS

CLOSEOUT MEMORANDUM

Case Number: A08110064

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We identified a questionable use of funds in an award¹ identified as part of a proactive review of awards involving participant support costs. After reviewing documentation that the institution² provided, we determined that the institution had improperly reallocated participant support funds for other direct costs. The institution voluntarily refunded the money to NSF.³ The institution described an ongoing backlog in its post award processing that led to the improper claim for these funds. This matter will be referred to the Office of Audit for its consideration.

Accordingly, this case is closed.

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