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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL  
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## CLOSEOUT MEMORANDUM

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This investigation was opened as a result of an anonymous complaint that a university<sup>1</sup> has an "award" program<sup>2</sup> where if faculty will shift grant money to pay salaries, the university will kick-back a portion of the amount as a monetary award to the faculty member.

Investigation, which included review of the awardee's A-133 audit report and documents provided by the awardee for the two NSF awards which had salary support, disclosed no information to substantiate the allegation or to indicate that NSF award funds had been inappropriately spent.

In light of the above, no further investigative effort is necessary in this matter.

Accordingly, this case is *closed*.

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