

NSF SBIR/STTR AWARD
REQUEST FOR INITIAL PAYMENT

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NSF Grant No. _____ **Initial Request \$** _____

The grantee, by signing and submitting this Request for Initial Payment for the above referenced NSF Grant, hereby certifies that: (1) the principal investigator and the small business firm have not accepted funding for the same or overlapping work except as stated in the underlying proposal, (2) all proposals describing the same or overlapping work have been withdrawn from other agencies, (3) the primary employment of the principal investigator is with this firm at the time of the award and will continue during the conduct of the research, and (4) the grantee is a small business as defined in the NSF Program Solicitation, "Small Business Innovation Research" or "Small Business Technology Transfer" under which the grantee submitted its proposal, and the principal investigator is an employee of the firm and is currently available to perform the proposed work. The undersigned understands that willfully making a false statement to or concealing a material fact from NSF is a criminal offense (U.S. Code, Title 18, Section 1001).

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Signature of Authorized Grantee Official

Grantee (Firm) Name

Name and Title

Date

Telephone Number