

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OFFICE OF INVESTIGATIONS

CLOSEOUT MEMORANDUM

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A program officer forwarded an allegation of plagiarism in a proposal from a reviewer to our office. We did identify a small amount of copied text, however, it did not rise to the level of research misconduct. The subjects reported the matter to their institution to devise remedial procedures and prevent a recurrence. We sent both of the subjects a Questionable Research Practice warning letter. This case is closed with no further action taken.	