

CLOSEOUT OF M90110048

On November 27, 1991 the program director for the [REDACTED] Program in the Division of [REDACTED] referred a copy of what appeared to be an article in the [REDACTED] of [REDACTED]. This article reported that [REDACTED] the principal investigator on [REDACTED], received NIH sanctions in 1982 which might still be in effect. According to the newspaper story, these sanctions were to apply for five years. In the event no proposal or change to an existing or future award involving [REDACTED] occurred during the five years, the sanctions would apply to the first submission thereafter.

We checked with (1) the Office of Scientific Integrity; (2) the compliance unit concerned with human subjects regulations in Office of the Director, NIH; and (3) NIH's Division of Management Survey and Review in order to cover all sanctions reported in the [REDACTED] of [REDACTED].

There are currently no known problems or any sanctions in effect related to misconduct in science, compliance with human subjects regulations or compliance with NIH fiscal controls. The NIH recollection was that the sanctions had their intended effects and [REDACTED] situation is back to normal.

As there is no NIH sanction in effect at this time, we are closing this case for lack of substance.

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