

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20550



Office of
Inspector General

CLOSING MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 5, 1991

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

TO: File [REDACTED]

FROM: [REDACTED]

The complainant believes that her proposal for research funding was inappropriately evaluated by NSF staff and by outside reviewers.

We believe the Foundation exercised its discretion reasonably in deciding to decline [REDACTED] proposal because of NSF's assessment that the proposal did not provide a sufficient research hypothesis. Because we concluded that NSF acted reasonably in declining [REDACTED] proposal, we consider this matter to be closed.

Concur: Blair S. L.
Counsel to Inspector General

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