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CLOSEOUT MEMORANDUM

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We received an allegation of plagiarism in proposal submitted to NSF by a PI and two Co-PIs. Our review of the proposal found a small amount of copied text, not enough to warrant a full investigation. Instead, we sent Questionable Research Practices letters to the PI and the two Co-PIs urging them to follow proper citation practices when using others' material.

This case is closed with no further action taken.