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National Science Foundation FOIA Officer (Room 1265) 4201 Wilson Blvd Arlington, VA 22230

RE: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear FOIA Officer:

This is a request pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act and implementing regulations to obtain a copy of all publicly available information pertaining to the following:

Request for every document worked upon by any employee or director of the National Science Foundation except for Peggy L. Fischer and Montgomery K. Fisher, whether they are acknowledged on any document as having being involved or not but where they were in fact involved in:

- a) Any case, directly or indirectly related to alleged or proven scientific misconduct
- b) Any case involving issues directly or indirectly involving patents, intellectual property law or the Bayh-Dole Act

The information requested includes anything that is releasable in whole or in part -in redacted or unredacted form. Although not meant as to limit this request, please pay particular attention to information or documents involved in:

- i) Formal or informal decisions of the agency or any branch thereof
- ii) Congressional testimony or answers to congressional inquiries
- iii) Any court case whether a party or not (e.g. affidavits, motions, complaints, answers, depositions, etc.)



- iv) Articles, lectures, plublished letters or remarks or talks
- v) Policy statement, rule, guidance, guidelines or the like involving the subject matter identified above, letters or no action letters or statements

The time frame for this request is anything from 1976 to the present unless they were employed after that date but from when they started at the agency up to the present. I also want whatever CV or resume is available on their background.

I agree to pay all reasonable costs associated with obtaining the information. If costs are estimated to exceed \$250, please notify me in advance so I may obtain approval for the expenditure.

Please forward the information to my attention:

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I am under severe time constraints for obtaining the information and anything done to expedite its processing would be greatly appreciated. Also, please send the material to my attention as it becomes available. Please contact me at (301) 610-6283 if you have any questions regarding this request

Thank you in advance for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Peter Harris