

2006 Current Fiscal Year Report: Advisory Committee for Small Business Industrial Innovation

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1. Department or Agency

National Science Foundation

2. Fiscal Year

2006

3. Committee or Subcommittee

Advisory Committee for Small Business Industrial Innovation

3b. GSA Committee No.

61

4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

No

5. Current Charter

07/01/2005

6. Expected Renewal Date

07/01/2007

7. Expected Term Date

07/01/2007

8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

Yes

8b. Specific Termination Authority

8c. Actual Term Date

02/08/2006

9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Terminate

10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

No

10b. Legislation Pending?

11. Establishment Authority

Agency Authority

12. Specific Establishment Authority

ADM IV-100

13. Effective Date

03/22/1982

14. Committee Type

Continuing

14c. Presidential?

No

15. Description of Committee

Scientific Technical Program Advisory Board

16a. Total Number of Reports

No Reports for this Fiscal Year

17a. Open Meetings and Dates

No Meetings

17b. Closed

0

17c. Partially Closed

0

Other Activities

0

17d. Total

0

Current FY Next FY

18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members

\$0.00 \$0.00

18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members

\$0.00 \$0.00

18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff

\$0.00 \$0.00

18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants

\$0.00 \$0.00

18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members

\$0.00 \$0.00

18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members

\$0.00 \$0.00

18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff

\$0.00 \$0.00

18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants

\$0.00 \$0.00

18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)	\$0.00	\$0.00
18d. Total	\$0.00	\$0.00
19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)	0.00	0.00

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

This committee has been terminated and serves as a subcommittee to the Advisory Committee for Engineering.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

The Advisory Committee membership is structured to provide balance between government, academic and industrial members, including large and small companies, financial sources and professional service providers in order to provide NSF with a well-rounded view of issues affecting small business innovation. The members also reflect W/M/D diversity and geographic balance, including four women and one African American.

20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?

This committee has been terminated

20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?

20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?

AdCom meetings are not closed.

21. Remarks

Designated Federal Officer

Joseph Hennessey Group Leader, Industrial Innovation

Narrative Description

The NSF mission is set out in the NSF Act of 1950 authorizes and directs the Agency to initiate and support: basic scientific research and research fundamental to the engineering process; and science and engineering education programs at all levels and in all fields of science and engineering. The Advisory Committee represents a broad spectrum of the

community with keen interest in the well being of the U.S. Small business enterprise. The committee assists NSF in orienting it's solicitation with timely inputs on the role small business plays in meeting national needs.

What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

- Improvements to health or safety
- Trust in government
- Major policy changes
- Advance in scientific research
- Effective grant making
- Improved service delivery
- Increased customer satisfaction
- Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements
- Other

Outcome Comments

The AdComm met June 21-23, 2005 and endorsed many proposed changes including: 1) the planned organizational change reporting to AD/ENG and 2) the SBIR participation with the NSF CREST Program and 3) providing commercialization assistance during Phase 2. The AdComm gave praises for several practices: 1) ethe excellent quality of the SBIR proposal review and award management and 2) significantly improved Phase 2 commercialization plan quality.

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

- None
- Unable to Determine
- Under \$100,000
- \$100,000 - \$500,000
- \$500,001 - \$1,000,000
- \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000
- \$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000
- Over \$10,000,000
- Cost Savings Other

Cost Savings Comments

NA

What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?

0

Number of Recommendations Comments

NA

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?

100%

% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments

NA

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?

0%

% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments

Not applicable. Please see answer directly above

Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?

Yes No Not Applicable

Agency Feedback Comments

At each AdComm meeting, NSF reviews actions taken on previous meetings recommendations.

What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?

Checked if Applies

Reorganized Priorities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Reallocated resources	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Issued new regulation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed legislation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Approved grants or other payments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Action Comments

NA

Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?

No

Grant Review Comments

NA

How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?

Checked if Applies

- Contact DFO
- Online Agency Web Site
- Online Committee Web Site
- Online GSA FACA Web Site
- Publications
- Other

Access Comments

Comments and Meeting Minutes