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RE: AQWATEC IDC Return and Policies

This document lays out the IDC return policy and practices for grants/proposals submitted through the Advanced Water Technology Center (AQWATEC). This policy is in effect since January 1, 2008.

AQWATEC receives IDC returns for all full overheaded research accounts at a rate of 19.2% of IDC paid. IDC return funds are administered through AQWATEC's IDC account 115542-24225. AQWATEC encourages faculty members to submit research proposals through the center that are in support of AQWATEC's mission (<u>www.aqwatec.com</u>). Principal investigators submitting proposals through AQWATEC have the privilege to utilize center infrastructure that is available on a service basis at the internal billing rate. A list of infrastructure that is available on a service basis is posted on the center's website (<u>http://www.aqwatec.com/facilities/</u>). External and internal billing rates will be provided upon request.

IDC returns from center research accounts will be distributed as follows:

- 70% to the principal investigator
- 30% will be retained by the center to support center infrastructure and its mission

IDC return will be dispensed to individual PIs once a year on July 15 using their assigned IDC professional development accounts.