The Initial Research Estimate Form (IREF) Process Map

Step 1
IREF INITIATED
Accomplished by: NPS Facility PI

Step 2
IREF APPROVED
Accomplished by: PI’s Supervisor

Step 3
IREF APPROVED
Accomplished by: Topic Sponsor

Step 4
MONEY ALLOCATED
Accomplished by: TRB / ERB

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