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MEMORANDUM

September 14, 2006

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TO: The Commission

THROUGH: Patrina M. Clark
Staff Director

FROM: Lynn M. Fraser, Acting Director
Alternative Dispute Resolution Office

SUBJECT: ADR 342 Indiana Democratic Congressional Victory Committee
and Linda Buzinec, Treasurer, Recommendation to Assign

On July 19, 2006, the ADR Office received RAD 06L-21 to review and determine its appropriateness for ADR processing. Based on that review, we determined that the case is appropriate for ADR, and recommend that it be assigned to the ADR Office. The ADR Analysis includes an analysis of the case and a description of the issues that the ADR Office anticipates addressing if the case is assigned to ADR. In addition, the ADR Case Analysis Report has been reviewed by the Office of General Counsel, which concurs in the description of the case. If the Commission concurs in the recommendation, this case description will be provided to Respondents as part of ADR Office's notification package sent to Respondents.

ADR Case: ADR 342

Source No. RAD 06L-21

Respondents:
Indiana Democratic Congressional
Victory Committee
Linda M. Buzinec, Treasurer

Respondent's' Rep.:
Linda M. Buzinec

Complainant: RAD

Committee Name:
Indiana Democratic Congressional Victory
Committee

OGC Case Open Date: --

Committee Type: State Party

Date Forwarded to ADRO: 07/19/06

District #/or State: Indiana

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Election - Won/Lost: n/a

Election Cycle: 2006

Summary of Complaint: The Reports Analysis Division referred the Indiana Democratic Congressional Victory Committee and Linda M. Buzinec, Treasurer ("Respondents" or the "Committee") for failing to disclose all financial activity on their 2005 September Monthly Report. Respondents filed their original 2005 September Monthly Report on September 20, 2005. The Committee filed an Amended 2005 September Monthly Report on December 30, 2005 that disclosed additional receipts of \$65,166.94, and additional disbursements of \$61,791.56. RAD sent an RFAI to the Committee on March 17, 2006, referencing the Amended 2005 September Monthly Report and its disclosure of additional receipts and disbursements.

Respondents' Reply: Respondents, in an electronic submission filed on April 10, 2006 in reply to the RFAI, stated "[i]n reference to your letter dated March 10, 2006, the additional receipts and disclosures [sic] are the state portion of items paid on a split. Due to an importing error that has now been corrected the report did not adequately report the state portion of the transaction in the original report."

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **Assign ADR 342/RAD 06L-21 to the ADR Office.**