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MEMORANDUM

February 5, 2009

TO: The Commission

THROUGH: Joseph F. Stoltz *JFS*
Acting Staff Director

FROM: John D. Gibson *JDG*
Chief Compliance Officer

Lynn M. Fraser *LMF*
Acting Director, ADR Office

SUBJECT: ADR 472 Oberweis for Congress and Sharon Martin, Treasurer
Recommendation to Approve Settlement Agreement

RESOLUTION TERMS: Work with RAD to terminate the Committee

Attached for your review is a signed negotiated ADR Settlement Agreement pertaining to **ADR 472 (RAD 08L-34)**. This case was activated by the ADR Office on November 24, 2008.

SUMMARY: In this case, the Reports Analysis Division referred Oberweis for Congress and Sharon Martin, Treasurer (Respondents) for failing to disclose all financial activity on their 2008 30 Day Post-Special Report. On April 7, 2008, Respondents filed their original 2008 30 Day Post-Special Report that disclosed no debts owed by the Committee. Respondents filed amended 2008 30 Day Post-Special Reports on April 16, June 2, June 18, and July 15, 2008 resulting in an increase in debt owed by the Committee of \$218,197.54. Respondents contend that the omissions were, in part, due to an oversight and, in part, due to the late receipt of an unanticipated expense.

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RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Approve the attached settlement agreement of Oberweis for Congress and Sharon Martin, Treasurer.
2. Approve the appropriate letters.
3. Close the file on this matter.

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