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October 28, 2021

TO: The Commission

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SUBJECT: Recommendation to Approve Negotiated Settlement
ADR 1034 - Stop Socialism Now PAC and Jason D. Boles,
Treasurer (C00755629)

RESOLUTION TERMS: Certify that a representative of the Committee participated
in an FEC training; and pay a civil penalty of \$3,200.

Attached for your review is a signed Negotiated Settlement pertaining to ADR 1034 (RAD 21L-41). The ADR Office received this referral on June 23, 2021.

SUMMARY: The Reports Analysis Division (RAD) referred Stop Socialism Now PAC and Jason D. Boles, Treasurer (Respondents or the Committee) for failing to timely file one (1) 48-Hour Report totaling \$64,047.50 to support two (2) independent expenditures disclosed on the 2020 12-Day Pre-Runoff Report. On April 12, 2021, the Committee filed two (2) 48-Hour Reports covering these independent expenditures.

On April 12, 2021, the Committee filed a Form 99 (Miscellaneous Electronic Submission) stating the failure to timely file the 48-Hour Report was an oversight and it has since filed two (2) 48-Hour Reports covering these independent expenditures. During negotiations, the Committee explained that the failure to

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timely file the 48-Hour Report related to difficulties it experienced with its third-party filing software.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Approve the attached Negotiated Settlement of Stop Socialism Now PAC and Jason D. Boles, Treasurer.
2. Approve the appropriate letters.
3. Close the file on this matter.