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| TO: | The Commission | |
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| THROUGH: | Alec Palmer AP Staff Director | |
| FROM: | Patricia C. Orrock <i>PCO</i> Chief Compliance Officer | |
| | Krista J. Roche Contraction ADR Office | |
| | Rosa Marshall <i>PM</i> Assistant Director, ADR Office | |
| SUBJECT: | Recommendation to Approve Negotiated Settlement ADR 1151 - Right Women PAC and Thomas Datwyler, Treasurer (C00718841) | |
| RESOLUTION TERMS: | Pay a \$9,500 civil penalty and work with Commission staff to terminate political committee status and reporting obligations. | |

Attached for your review is a signed Negotiated Settlement pertaining to ADR 1151 (RAD 23L-67). The ADR Office received this referral from the Reports Analysis Division (RAD) on November 14, 2023.

SUMMARY: RAD referred the Right Women PAC and Thomas Datwyler, Treasurer (Respondents or the Committee) for failing to timely file one (1) 48-Hour Report totaling \$191,871.13 to support one (1) independent expenditure disseminated on September 7, 2022. On November 14, 2022, the Committee filed one (1) 48-Hour Report to support this independent expenditure, albeit untimely.

During negotiations, Respondents stated that the failure to timely file the 48-Hour Report was due to an inadvertent administrative error and further stated the 48-Hour Report was filed upon notification of the failure to file from RAD. The Committee additionally noted that it intends to terminate its political committee status upon resolution of this matter. ADR115100009

<u>RECOMMENDATIONS</u>:

- 1. Approve the attached Negotiated Settlement of Right Women PAC and Thomas Datwyler, Treasurer.
- 2. Approve the appropriate letters.
- 3. Close the file on this matter.

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