




FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20463

August 17, 2004

**MEMORANDUM**

TO: The Commission

THROUGH: James A. Pehrkon  
Staff Director

FROM: Allan D. Silberman   
Director, ADR Office

SUBJECT: Negotiated Settlement: **ADR 148**

Attached for your review is a signed negotiated ADR settlement agreement, **ADR 148** /PMUR 414, Superior Savings Bank of New England, N.A., (the "Respondent"). The matter, which was forwarded to the Commission by the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, was opened on August 4, 2003 and assigned to the ADR Office on January 6, 2004.

**ADR 148/PMUR 414:** The Office of the Comptroller of the Currency determined that Superior Savings of New England, N.A. made political contributions to campaigns in Georgia, New York and New Jersey in 2001 and 2002. The contributions reportedly totaled approximately \$4,000. Neither the locations of the campaigns nor the names of the candidates who received the contributions are identified. In addition, there is no indication as to whether the contributions were made to federal or non federal candidates. There is no record of contributions or previous federal election activity by Superior Savings in the FEC files.

**ADR Director's Recommendations:** Approve the attached negotiated settlement agreement for **ADR 148** and subsequently close the file.