




FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20463

June 2, 2004

**MEMORANDUM**

TO: The Commission

THROUGH: James A. Pehrkon  
Staff Director

FROM: Allan D. Silberman   
Director, ADR Office

SUBJECT: Negotiated Settlement: **ADR 154**

Attached for your review is a signed negotiated ADR settlement agreement, **ADR 154**, (MUR 5377) Fannie Lou Hamer PAC and Edwin Washington, Treasurer, ("the Respondents"). This case was received by the Commission on July 11, 2003 and assigned to the ADR Office on February 26, 2004.

**ADR 154:** The complaint, filed on behalf of the Michigan Republican State Committee, alleges that Respondents failed to register and file financial reports after contributing and expending more than \$1,000 in connection with federal elections in calendar year 2002. Respondents were previously registered with the Commission but were administratively terminated on November 2, 2000. The Commission's termination letter stated that any receipt or disbursement of funds by the Committee for purposes of influencing a federal election would void the termination. In that event, the Committee would be obliged to begin filing reports of its financial activity. Respondents acknowledged that their expenditures in connection with federal election campaigns in 2002 voided the terms of the Commission's administrative termination of November 2000.

**ADR Director's Recommendations:** Approve the attached negotiated settlement agreement for **ADR 154** and subsequently close the file.

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