



**Federal Election Commission
Washington, DC 20463**

January 26, 2005

Chuck Bell, Esq.
455 Capitol Mall
Suite 801
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: ADR 187
Victory 2004/California Republican Party and Douglas Boyd, Treasurer

Dear Mr. Bell:

Enclosed is the signed copy of the agreement resolving the referral initiated on August 9, 2004 with the Federal Election Commission ("FEC/Commission") against Victory 2004/California Republican Party and Douglas Boyd, Treasurer ("Respondents"). The agreement for ADR 187 (RR 04L-07) was approved by the Commission on January 19, 2005 – the effective date of the agreement.

Note that paragraph 11 of the agreement specifies that Respondents shall comply with the terms of this settlement within thirty (30) days of the effective date of the agreement, with the exception of term (a) in paragraph 8. Please forward to this office, a statement confirming Respondents' compliance with the terms listed in paragraph 8 of the aforementioned agreement. The letter should note the dates on which Respondents satisfied each of the terms listed in paragraph 8.

As you are aware, the settlement agreement will be made part of the record that is released to the public. The Commission will also place on the record copies of the referral, correspondence exchanged between your office and this office prior to our entry into settlement negotiations and reports prepared for the Commission by this office to assist in its consideration of this matter. The Commission is obliged by Federal statute to place on the public record documents in closed enforcement and alternative dispute resolution cases; accordingly, copies of documents relative to this matter will be forwarded shortly to the FEC's Public Information Office.

This agreement resolves the matter that was initiated by the Commission pursuant to information ascertained in the normal course of carrying out its supervisory

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responsibilities regarding violations of federal election campaign laws. I appreciate your assistance in effectively resolving this matter and bringing the case to a mutually acceptable conclusion.

Sincerely,

Lynn M. Fraser, Assistant Director
Alternative Dispute Resolution Office
202-694-1665

Enclosure: Agreement

cc: [illegible]