



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20463

*Silberman*

**SENSITIVE**

DATE & TIME OF TRANSMITTAL: Thursday, October 06, 2005 11:00

BALLOT DEADLINE: Wednesday, October 12, 2005 4:00

COMMISSIONER: MASON, McDONALD, THOMAS, TONER, WEINTRAUB

SUBJECT: **ADR 282 (RR 05L-16) Rick Renzi for Congress and Nancy H. Watkins, Treasurer. Recommendation to approve Settlement Agreement. Memorandum from the Director, ADR Office dated October 5, 2005.**

( ) I approve the recommendation(s)

( ) I object to the recommendation(s)

( ) I am recused from voting.

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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A definite vote is required. All ballots must be signed and dated. Please return ONLY THE BALLOT to the Commission Secretary. Please return ballot no later than date and time shown above.

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMISSION

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MEMORANDUM

October 5, 2005

TO: The Commission

THROUGH: James A. Pehrkon  
Staff Director

**SENSITIVE**

FROM: Allan D. Silberman  
Director, ADR Office

BY: Lynn M. Fraser  
Assistant Director, ADR Office

SUBJECT: ADR 282 Rick Renzi for Congress and Nancy H. Watkins, Treasurer  
Recommendation to approve Settlement Agreement

Attached for your review is a signed negotiated ADR Settlement Agreement pertaining to ADR 282 (RR 05L-16). This case was opened on July 8, 2005 and was assigned to the ADR Office on August 1, 2005.

**SUMMARY:** RAD referred Rick Renzi for Congress and Nancy H. Watkins, Treasurer ("Respondents") for failing to disclose all receipts on its 2004 April Quarterly Report. RAD stated that Respondents filed an amended 2004 April Quarterly Report on May 5, 2004 that disclosed additional receipts aggregating \$99,681.94. Respondents contend that the omission was due to a technological error in the Treasurer's computer software.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Approve the attached settlement agreement of Rick Renzi for Congress and Nancy H. Watkins, Treasurer.
2. Approve the appropriate letters.
3. Close the file on this matter.

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