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MEMORANDUM

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TO: The Commission

THROUGH: Robert J. Costa
Acting Staff Director

FROM: Allan D. Silberman
Director, ADR Office

BY: Lynn M. Frase
Assistant Director, ADR Office

SUBJECT: ADR 300 New Hampshire Democratic State Committee and
Martha Fuller Clark, Treasurer,
Recommendation to Approve Settlement Agreement

Attached for your review is a signed negotiated ADR Settlement Agreement pertaining to **ADR 300 (RR 05L-53)**. This case was opened on September 30, 2005, and was assigned to the ADR Office on October 21, 2005.

SUMMARY: RAD referred the New Hampshire Democratic State Committee and Martha Fuller Clark, Treasurer ("Respondents" or the "Committee") for failing to disclose all disbursements in their 2004 12 Day Pre-General Report. RAD stated that the Committee filed a 12 Day Pre-General Report on October 21, 2004, disclosing total federal disbursements of \$227,129. The referral goes on to reflect that on December 10, 2004, the Committee filed an amended 2004 12 Day Pre-General Report, disclosing total federal disbursements of \$277,852. This resulted in a difference in federal disbursements of \$50,723. Respondents contend that they filed the original report without the benefit of bank records, but when they received their statements from the bank, and realized the errors, they filed the amended report.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Approve the attached settlement agreement of the New Hampshire Democratic State Committee and Martha Fuller Clark, Treasurer.
2. Approve the appropriate letters.
3. Close the file on this matter.

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