



THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20463

SECRET

2006 FEB -8 P 4: 56

MEMORANDUM

February 8, 2006

TO: The Commission

THROUGH: Robert J. Costa *AK*
Acting Staff Director

SENSITIVE

FROM: Allan D. Silberman *AS*
Director, ADR Office

BY: Lynn M. Fraser *LF*
Assistant Director, ADR Office

SUBJECT: ADR 308 Fortuño 2004 Inc. and Maria A. Sanchez Bras, Treasurer
Recommendation to Assign Case

On November 21, 2005, the ADR Office received AD 05-09 to review and determine its appropriateness for ADR processing. Based on that review, we determined that the case is appropriate for ADR and recommend that it be assigned to the ADR Office.

SUMMARY: Audit referred Fortuño 2004 Inc. and Maria A. Sanchez Bras, Treasurer ("Respondents" or the "Committee") for failing to itemize debts during the years 2003 and 2004. Specifically, over the 2004 election cycle, the Committee failed to itemize \$191,420 in debts on Schedules D. In response to the recommendation of Audit, Respondents filed amended reports disclosing the requested debt and obligation information.

Attached for the Commission's review is the ADR Case Analysis Report, along with the ADR Rating report. The ADR Case Analysis Report includes an analysis of the case and a description of the issues that the ADR Office anticipates addressing if the case is assigned to ADR. In addition, the ADR Case Analysis Report has been reviewed by the Office of General Counsel, which concurs in the description of the case.

If the Commission concurs in the recommendation, the above case description will be provided to Respondents as part of ADR Office's notification package sent to Respondents.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **Assign ADR 308/AD 05-09 to the ADR Office.**

27190270399

ADR CASE ANALYSIS REPORT

ADR Case: 308

Audit Referral: AD 05-09

Date Audit Approved: 1/12/06

Date Forwarded to ADRO: 1/20/06

Date Reviewed by ADRO: 1/31/06

Respondents:

Fortuño 2004 Inc.

Maria A. Sanchez Bras, Treasurer

Respondents' Rep.:

Maria A. Sanchez Bras

Committee Type: Authorized

Committee Name: Fortuño 2004 Inc.

District & State: PR

Election-Won/Lost: Won

Election Cycle: 2004

Summary of Referral: Audit referred Fortuño 2004 Inc. and Maria A. Sanchez Bras, Treasurer ("Respondents" or the "Committee") for failing to itemize debts during the years 2003 and 2004. Specifically, over the 2004 election cycle, the Committee failed to itemize \$191,420 in debts on Schedules D.

Respondents' Reply to Audit: In response to the recommendation of Audit, Respondents filed amended reports disclosing the requested debt and obligation information.

Recommendation:

Assign to ADRO

27190270400