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**MEMORANDUM**

November 14, 2006

TO: The Commission

THROUGH: Patrina M. Clark *mc*  
Staff Director

FROM: Lynn M. Fraser, Acting Director *LF*  
Alternative Dispute Resolution Office

SUBJECT: ADR 328 Republican Party of Texas and Wayne Tucker, Treasurer,  
Recommendation to Approve Settlement Agreement

Attached for your review is a signed negotiated ADR Settlement Agreement pertaining to **ADR 328 (RR 06L-11)**. This case was opened on May 19, 2006, and was assigned to the ADR Office on June 29, 2006.

**SUMMARY:** RAD referred the Republican Party of Texas and Christopher Maska, Treasurer, ("Respondents" or the "Committee") for failing to disclose all financial activity on their 2004 30 Day Post-General Report, and their 2005 February Monthly Report. Specifically, Respondents filed an Amended 2004 30 Day Post-General Report disclosing \$173,619 in additional receipts. In addition, the Committee filed an Amended 2005 February Monthly Report disclosing \$65,768 in additional receipts, and \$65,985 in additional disbursements.

Respondents filed miscellaneous electronic submissions stating that the omissions were due to coding errors in its financial software.

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**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

1. Approve the attached settlement agreement of the Republican Party of Texas and Wayne Parker, Treasurer.
2. Approve the appropriate letters.
3. Close the file on this matter.

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