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MEMORANDUM

June 29, 2009

TO: The Commission

THROUGH: Robert A. Hickey *RAH*
Staff Director

FROM: John D. Gibson *JDG*
Chief Compliance Officer

Lynn M. Fraser *LMF*
Acting Director, ADR Office

SUBJECT: ADR 470 Canseco For Congress and Randy S. Blair, Treasurer
Recommendation to Approve Settlement Agreement

RESOLUTION TERMS: Appoint an experienced campaign finance specialist to assist with FECA compliance; and pay a civil penalty of \$4,000 (\$200,000 in dispute).

Attached for your review is a signed negotiated ADR Settlement Agreement pertaining to ADR 470 (RR 08L-18). This case was referred to the ADR Office on September 18, 2008.

SUMMARY: In this case, the Reports Analysis Division (RAD) referred Canseco For Congress and Randy S. Blair, Treasurer, (Respondents or the Committee) for failing to disclose all financial activity on the Committee's 2008 April Quarterly Report. Respondents failed to disclose a \$200,000 loan from the candidate on its original 2008 April Quarterly Report. On May 7, 2008, the Committee filed an amended 2008 April Quarterly Report disclosing the \$200,000 loan from the candidate on Schedule C.

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RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Approve the attached settlement agreement of Canseco For Congress and Randy S. Blair, Treasurer.
2. Approve the appropriate letters.
3. Close the file on this matter.

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