

Respondents contend that the majority of misstated activity in Finding 1 arose from one erroneous wire transfer of \$137,089, which was followed by the return of those same funds within six days. Respondents contend that the activity in the second Finding arose from a single mailing that was reported on Schedule H4 instead of Schedule H6, that the mailing was financed correctly, and that the funds used to pay the non-federal share were disclosed separately under Illinois state law.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Approve the attached settlement agreement of the Democratic Party of Illinois and Michael Kasper, Treasurer.
2. Approve the appropriate letters.
3. Close the file on this matter.