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TO: The Commission

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SUBJECT: ADR 779 Alaska's Energy / America's Values and Amie J. Haakenson, Treasurer, Recommendation to Approve Settlement Agreement

RESOLUTION TERMS: Participate in a teleconference with RAD staff to clarify the public record; and, as the Committee wishes to terminate its political committee status, Respondents will certify the closure of the Committee's federal account and file a termination report, and work with Commission staff to terminate their political committee status and reporting obligations with the Commission.

Attached for your review is a signed negotiated ADR Settlement Agreement pertaining to ADR 779 (RAD 15L-33). The ADR Office received this referral on September 1, 2015.

SUMMARY: The Reports Analysis Division (RAD) referred Alaska's Energy / America's Values and Amie J. Haakenson (Respondents or the Committee) for failing to timely file one (1) 48-Hour Report totaling \$30,303.30 to support one (1) independent expenditure disseminated on December 10, 2013, and disclosed on the 2013 Year-End Report. On April 29, 2014, the missing report was filed.

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Respondents indicate that this was a newly-formed committee with staff inexperienced in filing FEC reports. The report at issue was the first 48-Hour Report required to be filed by the Committee; subsequent reports were properly filed. At this time, Respondents indicate a desire to terminate the Committee.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Approve the attached settlement agreement of Alaska's Energy / America's Values and Amie J. Haakenson, Treasurer.
2. Approve the appropriate letters.
3. Close the file on this matter.