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MEMORANDUM

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TO: The Commission

THROUGH: Alec Palmer *EW/H for*
Staff Director

FROM: Patricia C. Orrock *PCO*
Chief Compliance Officer

Lynn M. Fraser *W*
Director, ADR Office

SUBJECT: ADR 782 Vanila Singh for Congress 2014 and Thomas E. Montgomery III, Treasurer, Informational Memo on Assignment

The Reports Analysis Division (RAD) referred RAD 15L-35 for processing on September 29, 2015, and the ADR Office designated the referral ADR 782. We included a summary and discussion of the referral for your information. We anticipate initiating communication with Respondents in ADR 782 on October 13, 2015. Please contact Lynn Fraser if you have any questions or concerns before then.

Summary of Case: RAD referred Vanila Singh for Congress 2014 and Thomas E. Montgomery III, Treasurer (Respondents or the Committee) for failing to remedy impermissible 2014 General Election contributions within the permissible timeframe. Candidate Vanila Singh lost the 2014 Primary Election. Respondents received 2014 General Election contributions totaling \$30,755 from thirteen (13) individuals, which were not remedied within sixty (60) days of receipt.

Respondents contend they did eventually refund the contributions, albeit untimely.

