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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

**MEMORANDUM**

February 20, 2018

**TO:** The Commission

**THROUGH:** Alec Palmer *AP*  
Staff Director

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

Krista J. Roche *KJR*  
Director, ADR Office

**SUBJECT:** ADR 845 Planned Parenthood Advocates of Wisconsin Political Fund, Recommendation to Approve Negotiated Settlement

**RESOLUTION TERMS:** Certify that a representative of the organization participated in an FEC conference, webinar, or other program developed in consultation with the FEC's Information Division; and pay a civil penalty of \$5,850.

Attached for your review is a signed negotiated ADR Settlement Agreement pertaining to ADR 845 (RAD 17L-40). The ADR Office received this referral on October 6, 2017.

**SUMMARY:** The Reports Analysis Division referred Planned Parenthood Advocates of Wisconsin Political Fund (Respondent) for failing to file 48-Hour Reports totaling \$116,898.08 to support two independent expenditures disclosed on the 2016 October Quarterly Report.

In a Miscellaneous Electronic Submission (Form 99) filed on August 31, 2017, the Respondent indicates that the "error was due to a misunderstanding of the requirements by filing staff." Respondent further indicates that in response to this error, staff have received training on filing independent expenditure reports and procedures have been memorialized.

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**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

1. Approve the attached negotiated settlement of Planned Parenthood Advocates of Wisconsin Political Fund.
2. Approve the appropriate letters.
3. Close the file on this matter.