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**MEMORANDUM**

July 28, 2020

TO: The Commission

THROUGH: Alec Palmer *AP*  
Staff Director

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

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SUBJECT: Informational Memo on Assignment  
ADR 970 – The 2016 Committee and William Saracino, Treasurer  
(C00569905)

The Federal Election Commission (FEC) voted to provide notification in A17-24 of the option to terminate the audit and submit the matter for ADR processing on July 2, 2020. On July 7, 2020, this office provided that notification via letter. On July 24, 2020, a Commitment to Participate in ADR was received, and the ADR Office designated the matter as ADR 970. This office will commence negotiations accordingly. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the ADR Office.

**Summary of Case:** Audit fieldwork of The 2016 Committee and William Saracino, Treasurer (Respondents or the Committee) from the 2015-2016 election cycle showed that Respondents failed to timely file 24/48-hour reports totaling \$3,680,040.