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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C.

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MEMORANDUM

June 11, 2024

TO: The Commission

THROUGH:

Alec Palmer AP Staff Director

FROM:

Patricia C. Orrock *PCO* Chief Compliance Officer

Krista J. Roche Director, ADR Office

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SUBJECT:

Recommendation to Approve Negotiated Settlement ADR 1157 and 1158 - Jayme Stevenson for Congress and William G. Parrett, Treasurer (C00807610)

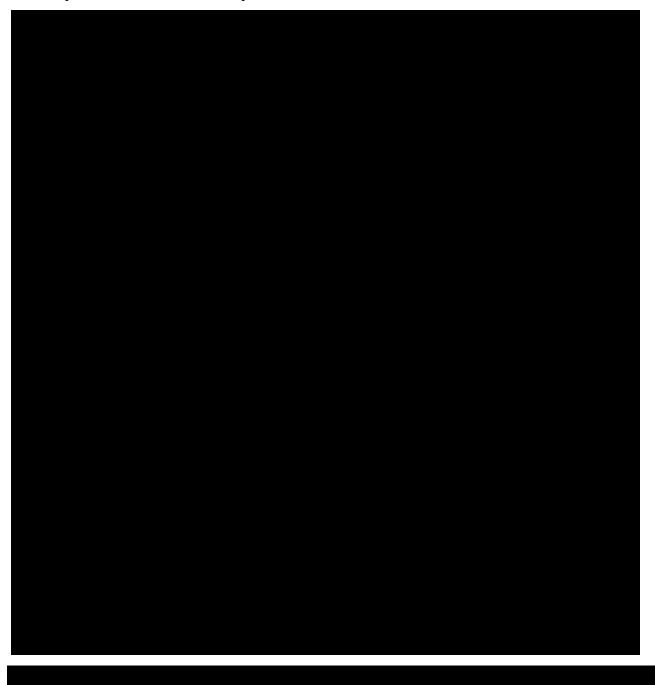
RESOLUTION TERMS: Certify closure of the Committee's federal account and terminate its political committee status; and pay a civil penalty of \$1,250.

Attached for your review is a signed Negotiated Settlement pertaining to ADR 1157 (RAD 24L-04) and ADR 1158 (MUR 8121). The ADR Office received these matters on January 23, 2024.

SUMMARY: The Reports Analysis Division (RAD) referred Jayme Stevenson for Congress and William G. Parrett, Treasurer (Respondents or the Committee) for failing to disclose all financial activity on its 2022 30-Day Post-General Report. On April 14, 2023, the Committee filed an Amended 2022 30-Day Post-General Report which disclosed \$157,511.70 in additional disbursements. In addition, on March 14, 2023, Sarah Locke, Executive Director of the Connecticut Democratic State Central Committee, filed a Complaint alleging that Respondents filed a 2022 30-Day Post-General Report which deliberately excluded contributions and expenditures made in connection with fundraising events.

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During negotiations, the Committee stated that due to a technical error, it inadvertently filed an incomplete version of the 2022 30-Day Post-General Report which disclosed no activity. Once the Complaint was brought to the Committee's attention, Respondents amended the report to disclose all receipts and disbursements. Respondents also contended that there was no attempt to mislead the public or to not disclose the activity. The Committee additionally noted that it intends to terminate its political committee status upon resolution of this matter.



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<u>RECOMMENDATIONS</u>:

- 1. Approve the attached Negotiated Settlement of Jayme Stevenson for Congress and William G. Parrett, Treasurer.
- 2. Approve the appropriate letters.
- 3. Close the file on these matters.

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