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Dear Nominations & Elections Committee:

I'd like to formally endorse Phillip Schrank as a nominee for national treasurer. I had the pleasure of working with him on International Conference registration in 2013; as a registration manager, Phil was reliable, thorough, and organized. He often took the initiative, eager to help where needed and seeking out opportunities to contribute as a productive member of the registration team. He has also volunteered his time, enthusiasm, and expertise in other KOTESOL endeavors, serving as an associate editor for *The English Connection* and as the founder of our Content-Based Instruction Special Interest Group (CBI-SIG).

Phil is perfect for the role of treasurer. Apart from his history of KOTESOL service, he also has extensive experience with fiscal matters; as the business office manager of a mid-sized career college, he handled all accounting matters for the college. The KOTESOL National Council appointed Phil to the role of national treasurer in July, after then-treasurer Phil Owen stepped down, and he has been performing the treasurer's duties admirably ever since. Finally, on a personal level, I have found Phil very honest and sincere, a trustworthy candidate for such a position of responsibility.

Phil has the knowledge, experience, and dedication necessary to be a very successful national treasurer, and I am delighted he has decided to run for the office. It is with great pleasure and enthusiasm that I recommend him for the position.

Sincerely,

Lindsay Herron KOTESOL President

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