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John M. Nolan
Chair, Member Selection Committee
c/o American College of Real Estate Lawyers
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RE: Seconding Letter of G. Roland Love's Letter of Nomination of Leslie Johnson

Dear Mr. Nolan:

It is with great pleasure that I second the nomination of Leslie Johnson for membership in the American College of Real Estate Lawyers made by G. Roland Love.

I have known Leslie for over 15 years, having first become acquainted with her when she joined the Winstead firm, which served as outside counsel for the title insurer I was employed by at the time. I found her legal work and advocacy skills exemplary. Later, through various committees of the State Bar of Texas and the Texas Land Title Association, I have had the privilege of working with and under the direction of Leslie in planning and staffing faculty multiple CLE seminars, drafting and editing several proposed pieces of legislation, reviewing pending litigation for the authoring of amicus briefs, and analyzing forms, regulations and rates proposed by regulators in the title industry. I have found Leslie to be a committed, working leader for the betterment of the legal profession and title insurance industry. She gives back at every level be it the Dallas Bar Assn, the State Bar of Texas, or the title industry, Leslie has taught real estate practitioners and professionals the intricacies of real estate and title insurance transactions. I believe she exemplifies the excellence, honor and ethical integrity expected of an ACREL Fellow.

I have received and reviewed the Proposal for Membership submitted by G. Roland Love and certify that Leslie Johnson satisfies the criteria for selection to the College as set forth in Section 4 of the Guidelines for Regular Member Selection. In my opinion and to my knowledge, the Nominee satisfies ACREL's Statement of Professionalism and exemplifies the standards of professional integrity and civility as provided in the Guidelines. I am not (a) in the same firm, business entity, faculty or other organization as the Nominee, (b) related by birth or marriage to the Nominee, or (c) a current Governor or member of the Member Selection Committee of the

College. Neither the nominee nor her employer regularly employs or retains me or my employer, and I have no business relationship with the nominee.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Paul D. Pruitt", with a large, stylized flourish extending to the right.

Paul D. Pruitt
ACREL Member

cc: G. Roland Love