JUDICIAL COUNCIL
*University of Notre Dame*

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Members of the Student Senate,

It is with great pleasure that I present to you Colin Brankin, my nominee for the position of Student Union Parliamentarian for the 2017-2018 term. According to Section 2.5 of the Constitution of the Undergraduate Student Body, "The Parliamentarian shall advise the Chairperson of the Senate and Campus Life Council regarding parliamentary procedure and *The Standard Code of Parliamentary Procedure*."

The Parliamentarian is tasked with guiding both Senators and other members of the Student Union through uncertainty with respect to the Constitution and parliamentary procedure. Any procedural questions or discrepancies will be addressed to the Parliamentarian. The Parliamentarian also serves on the Executive Cabinet as an advisor and source of input for the initiatives of Student Government. Additionally, the Parliamentarian shall serve as a non-voting member of the Election Committee to impartially advise the committee on all constitutional matters.

Originally from Orland Park, Illinois, Colin is a member of the Class of 2020 and intends to study Chemical Engineering. He is currently residing off-campus and was a member of FUEL this past year.

I am fully confident in Colin's ability to serve as Parliamentarian. He has demonstrated an excellent approach to the position and possesses the skills necessary to effectively communicate. He has already demonstrated remarkable enthusiasm toward meeting the unique challenges of the position of Parliamentarian. Due to his ability to remain unbiased, his attentive nature, and his sincere desire to improve the efficacy of the Student Union, I fully endorse him for the position.

Respectfully submitted,

Matthew E. Ross
*Incoming President*, Judicial Council