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Dear Dr. Ballew:

Thank you so much for your letter of April 30, 1984, regarding Professor Carl Kerns. I am pleased to hear of Carl's outstanding work with the Rocky Mountain Section of the Mathematical Association of America.

I certainly am not surprised to learn of the manner in which Carl performed his responsibilities with your association. That has consistently been his reputation on the campus of Mesa. I think it is also a tribute to his leadership ability that he has been elected to serve as president of the faculty senate for the coming year.

Thanks again for your letter, and I certainly will see that it is placed in his personnel file.

Sincerely,

Johh U. Tomlinson

President

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