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| **Online Appendix: OLS Regression of Riding Transfers in the Conservative Party** | | | | | | |
|  | CPC Strongholds | | CPC ranks 1st or 2nd | | Full Model | |
|  | 2008 | 2011 | 2008 | 2011 | 2008 | 2011 |
| EDA income from Party HQ | -0.002 | **0.000\*\*** | 0.010 | 0.000 | -0.001 | 0.000 |
|  | (0.025) | (0.000) | (0.014) | (0.000) | (0.001) | (0.000) |
| Candidate income from Party HQ | -0.008 | 0.099 | 0.019 | 0.001 | **0.055\*\*\*** | -0.005 |
|  | (0.037) | (0.057) | (0.015) | (0.014) | (0.011) | (0.022) |
| EDA income sent to candidate | -0.077 | **-0.237\*** | -0.038 | **-0.128\*** | -0.025 | **-0.143\*\*\*** |
|  | (0.046) | (0.110) | (0.026) | (0.060) | (0.018) | (0.039) |
| Cash/Expense Limit Ratio | 5.214 | **5.313\*\*\*** | **5.005\*** | **4.506\*\*\*** | **5.543\*\*** | **4.572\*\*\*** |
|  | (3.111) | (1.265) | (2.717) | (0.767) | (2.332) | (0.916) |
| Incumbent | -7.333 | 4.101 | -2.807 | 0.894 | -3.156 | 0.001 |
|  | (4.771) | (2.474) | (3.068) | (1.068) | (2.910) | (1.172) |
| Cabinet Minister | **5.390\*\*** | 0.725 | **4.663\*** | 1.264 | **4.791\*** | 1.120 |
|  | (2.160) | (1.700) | (2.456) | (1.673) | (2.491) | (1.807) |
| 2017 Leadership Contestant | -1.694 | -3.830 | **-3.716\*\*** | **-5.625\*\*** | **-3.648\*** | **-5.796\*\*** |
|  | (1.208) | (2.867) | (1.571) | (2.089) | (1.680) | (2.193) |
| LPC Stronghold |  |  | -4.327 | -1.817 | -3.419 | -2.364 |
|  |  |  | (3.390) | (1.465) | (3.675) | (1.434) |
| NDP Stronghold |  |  | -4.680 | -1.966 | -3.782 | -2.049 |
|  |  |  | (2.748) | (1.269) | (3.191) | (1.492) |
| Bloc Stronghold |  |  | -5.494 |  | -5.656 | **6.483\*\*\*** |
|  |  |  | (3.624) | (omitted) | (3.401) | (1.932) |
| Battleground |  |  | -3.591 | -2.626 | -4.011 | -1.578 |
|  |  |  | (3.794) | (1.685) | (3.520) | (1.615) |
| Constant | 16.684\* | 17.355\*\* | 10.833 | 14.390\*\* | 10.532\* | 16.024\*\*\* |
|  | (8.186) | (6.568) | (6.119) | (5.267) | (5.757) | (4.543) |
| Adjusted R2 | 0.219 | 0.305 | 0.232 | 0.259 | 0.189 | 0.170 |
| N | 106 | 123 | 239 | 231 | 308 | 308 |

Note: Standard errors (parentheses) are clustered within province. P-value ≤ 0.10\*, 0.05\*\*, 0.01\*\*\*