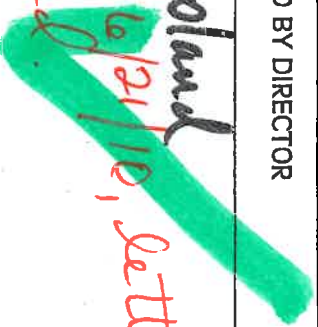


DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
OFFICE OF DIRECTOR

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Department of Health & Human Services
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

Re: *Freedom of Information Act Request*

Dear Ms. Forkner:

Thank you for your response to our March 26, 2010 request for information regarding the Department's Disproportionate Share distribution schedules. Although we realize that you do not yet have a finalized fiscal year 2009-2010 schedule, please provide us with the date on which you anticipate finalizing the fiscal year 2009-2010 schedule. In addition, we ask that you provide us with a copy of the 2009-2010 schedule as soon as one becomes available.

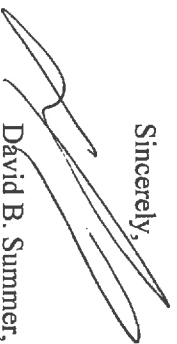
In addition, pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 30-4-10, *et. seq.*, the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act, we hereby request that your Department provide the following information:

Please provide a listing, by hospital, of the annual assessment and the corresponding amounts collected pursuant to the tax on licensed hospitals set forth in S.C. Code Ann. § 12-23-810. Please group the listings separately by State fiscal year and include information for State fiscal years 2007-2008, 2008-2009, and 2009-2010.

We understand that the information for the 2009-2010 State fiscal year may not be fully complete. We request that you provide the most current information in the Department's possession and forward the completed information for 2009-2010 as soon as it becomes available. We agree to pay the Department's usual and customary charges for this information. However, should you anticipate the charges will exceed \$200, we ask that you have your staff contact us to discuss the request.

With best regards, I am

Sincerely,


David B. Summer, Jr.

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cc : Deirdra T. Singleton, Deputy Director

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June 21, 2010

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Re: FOIA Request

Dear Mr. Summer:

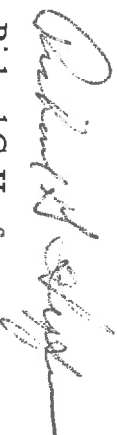
Your freedom of Information Act request of June 1, 2010, was referred to this Office for a response. Enclosed are the assessments reported by the Department of Revenue (DOR) for the years specified. As to the assessments, there will be some adjustments during the remainder of this year. Obviously, the official source of the collection information is the DOR, and we only get interagency transfer amounts. I have enclosed some examples for your consideration. We did not think them responsive, but would be happy to hear from you if you would like us to provide the others in the time frame you referenced. These documents are a true and accurate copy of documents generated and collected by the Department in the regular course of its business.

Our expense for reproducing and mailing this information is seventeen and 99/100 dollars (\$17.99). Please make the check payable to the Department of Health and Human Services and send it to:

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I hope this information is helpful to you. Please contact me if there are any questions.

Sincerely,



Richard G. Hepfer
Deputy General Counsel

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Enclosures
cc: Lynette D. Wilson, Receivables