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May 2, 2014

The Honorable Nikki R. Haley
Office of the Governor
1205 Pendleton Street
Columbia, SC 29201

Dear Governor Haley:

The South Carolina Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors is pleased to announce our endorsement of Nikki Haley for Governor of the State of South Carolina.

As the unified voice of business, the South Carolina Chamber endorses pro-business candidates who have demonstrated support for business priorities and a commitment to advance a forward thinking agenda that promotes global competitiveness in South Carolina. Your strong commitment to job creation over your first term ensures you understand the challenges and opportunities facing this state. Under your leadership, South Carolina is today the tire capital of the United States, an aerospace hub, home to the fastest growing port in the country and moving towards a total manufacturing renaissance.

Your passion for workforce development as an economic development tool has also been a strong catalyst for lowering South Carolina's unemployment rate to its lowest in years. Your K-12 education plan will improve the lives of our youngest South Carolinians and help move this state forward as we work to ensure our children are ready for the jobs of tomorrow.

Your outspoken stances against union interference and in favor of tort reforms in the Palmetto State have proven that we all stand together with the same goal of creating well paying jobs for our citizens.

Governor, we thank you for your commitment to representing the people of South Carolina, who each need stable jobs, a competitive state economy and a pro-prosperity working environment to ultimately raise income levels.

The South Carolina Chamber is proud to support you in your gubernatorial re-election.

Sincerely,

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President and CEO

Governor,

Thank you for all you
do for the business
community in South
Carolina.

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