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

RE: Lowcountry Orphan Relief

Dear Governor Haley:

I want to personally thank you for the lovely letter you sent which included your personal note to me on caring for the abused children of the Lowcountry.

I am so thrilled that you are again our Governor and anything that Jerry and I can do for you in Charleston please do not hesitate to let us know.

Also as a Guardian Ad Litem for 17 years, I would like to say that I am in great hopes that you will allow the Active Interim, Amber Gillium, to become the permanent Director of the Department of Social Services and that Jessica Coulter of the old guard not be put into that important position. Charleston's Department of Social Services is finally under one of the most outstanding women in our city, Lois Richter, who is doing a terrific job of clearing out the old and bringing in an air of freshness and fairness. Being previously head of the Guardian Ad Litem program and working for and with her, I can attest to her daily duties as being on an A+ level to all.

I thank you also for intervening in the railroad situation here on the Naval Base and we have not, after many efforts, come to an agreement that would be fair to all parties. I am still communicating with Secretary Hitt in hopes that he will come to realize the hard work and diligence it takes to care for 12,000+ abused children in three counties and the years it took to raise the money to build our Distribution Center.

I pray for you and your wonderful family and must say, the children have grown up so beautifully under your watch and I send heartfelt thanks for all you have done for me, Charleston and our State.

Jerry sends his greetings.

Much love and blessings,

Lynn Young  
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of Lowcountry Orphan Relief  
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