

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
OFFICE OF DIRECTOR

ACTION REFERRAL

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| DIRECTOR'S USE ONLY   | ACTION REQUESTED  |
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| 1. LOG NUMBER<br>1011440                                    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for the Director's signature<br>DATE DUE 4-8-11 |
| 2. DATE SIGNED BY DIRECTOR                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for appropriate signature<br>DATE DUE _____                |
| cc: Mr. Tech, Singleton<br>cleared 4/14/11, letter attached | <input type="checkbox"/> FOIA<br>DATE DUE _____   |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> Necessary Action   |

| APPROVALS<br>(Only when prepared for director's signature) | APPROVE | * DISAPPROVE<br>(Note reason for disapproval and return to preparer.) | COMMENT |
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JOHN M. "JAKE" KNOTTS, JR.  
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LEXINGTON COUNTY  
CHAIRMAN - SENATE INVITATIONS  
COMMITTEE



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March 31, 2011

Department of Health & Human Services  
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

Director Tony Keck  
SC Department of Health & Human Services  
PO Box 8206  
Columbia, SC 29202-8206

Dear Mr. Keck,

I am writing to request salary information within the agency of Health and Human Services.

Please provide all salary levels of new administrative hires and appointees since January 2011.

Also, please provide all salary levels of continuing administrative employees, including former salaries prior to January 2011 and current salaries since the beginning of Governor Haley's term.

Thank you for your immediate attention in this matter.

With kind regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John M. 'Jake' Knotts, Jr.".

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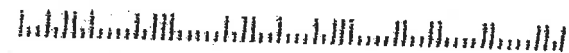
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The Honorable John M. "Jake" Knotts, Jr.  
The Senate of South Carolina  
Post Office Box 142  
303 Gressette Senate Office Building  
Columbia, South Carolina 29202

Dear Senator Knotts:


Thank you for your letter requesting salary information of administrative hires and appointees including salaries prior to January 2011 and since the beginning of Governor Haley's term at the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (SCDHHS). In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act §30-4-40, we are providing the following data for December 2010 and April 2011:

- 1) The exact compensation of each employee receiving compensation of \$50,000 or more annually;
- 2) The compensation level within a range of four thousand dollars for employees receiving compensation between \$30,001 and \$49,999 annually; and
- 3) The state compensation range for employees who receive compensation of \$30,000 or less annually.

In addition, I wish to bring to your attention that we have reorganized our at will deputy director positions and have lowered the agency's overall annual expenditures on these positions by \$18,636.

We appreciate your interest in SCDHHS and appreciate the opportunity to respond. Should you have questions, please feel free to contact me at (803) 898-2504.

Sincerely,

  
Anthony E. Keck  
Director

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Enclosures