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**Date:** 11/14/2016 11:48:48 AM

**Subject:** RE: Superintendent of Education Documents

**Attachments:** Draft Joint Letter - Sup of Edu v03 (11.14.2016) eh 2.docx

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Here is the one change. I thought I attached it earlier. Laurie is calling the Superintendent now.

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**From:** Heatwole, Emily  
**Sent:** Monday, November 14, 2016 10:34 AM  
**To:** 'Glaccum, David'  
**Cc:** Mottel, Haley; Brown, Ryan; Veldran, Katherine; Patel, Swati; Traywick, Laurie; Spearman, Molly  
**Subject:** RE: Superintendent of Education Documents

David-

The superintendent is in California as her son is having surgery. I am fairly certain this has been communicated to your office, however my apologies if it has not.

We will not be able to secure signoff by 11:00 and as discussed before would appreciate a bit more notice. I realize it took me until this morning to follow up.

I hope that as we work through this we can move towards better communication on deadlines as 50 minutes to sign a letter is really short notice. We will call the superintendent this morning.

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**From:** Glaccum, David [<mailto:DavidGlaccum@gov.sc.gov>]  
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**To:** Heatwole, Emily  
**Cc:** Mottel, Haley; Brown, Ryan; Veldran, Katherine; Patel, Swati; Traywick, Laurie; Spearman, Molly  
**Subject:** RE: Superintendent of Education Documents

Thank you. Attached is our red-line version with comments explaining changes. We want to send this to the General Assembly by 11:00am today, and plan to print on the Governor's letterhead.

Please let me know if y'all sign off on this final version. We will begin formatting it for print.

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**From:** Heatwole, Emily [<mailto:eeheatwole@ed.sc.gov>]  
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**To:** Glaccum, David  
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**From:** Glaccum, David [<mailto:DavidGlaccum@gov.sc.gov>]  
**Sent:** Sunday, November 13, 2016 11:09 AM  
**To:** Heatwole, Emily  
**Cc:** Mottel, Haley; Brown, Ryan; Veldran, Katherine; Patel, Swati; Traywick, Laurie; Spearman, Molly  
**Subject:** RE: Superintendent of Education Documents

Thank you. Safe travels.

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**From:** Heatwole, Emily [<mailto:eeheatwole@ed.sc.gov>]  
**Sent:** Sunday, November 13, 2016 11:08 AM  
**To:** Glaccum, David  
**Cc:** Mottel, Haley; Brown, Ryan; Veldran, Katherine; Patel, Swati; Traywick, Laurie; Spearman, Molly  
**Subject:** Re: Superintendent of Education Documents

David-

I am out of town as soon as I get back I will review the letter and get it to you. Assuming I return in time tonight I will send it this evening. If not I will make it first on my list tomorrow. Without holding both drafts the issue with third grade retention was a wording issue not a policy remark on our part.

Emily

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On Nov 12, 2016, at 8:06 PM, Glaccum, David <[DavidGlaccum@gov.sc.gov](mailto:DavidGlaccum@gov.sc.gov)> wrote:

Thanks, Emily. The earlier the better so we can get it finalized and signed ASAP.

In the interim, I noticed your suggested edits removed the language regarding holding 3rd graders back that do not meet reading standards. This, of course, is a legal requirement and something Gov. Haley felt strongly should be included in the letter. Any specific reason you suggest removing it?

Thank you again.

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On Sat, Nov 12, 2016 at 10:47 AM -0500, "Heatwole, Emily" <[eeheatwole@ed.sc.gov](mailto:eeheatwole@ed.sc.gov)> wrote:

Will do first thing on Monday.

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On Nov 10, 2016, at 4:12 PM, Glaccum, David <[DavidGlaccum@gov.sc.gov](mailto:DavidGlaccum@gov.sc.gov)> wrote:

Thanks, Emily. Do you mind sending over a red-lined version of your suggested changes to the letter?

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**From:** Heatwole, Emily [<mailto:eeheatwole@ed.sc.gov>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 10, 2016 3:32 PM  
**To:** Veldran, Katherine; Mottel, Haley; Glaccum, David; Patel, Swati  
**Cc:** Spearman, Molly; Brown, Ryan; Traywick, Laurie  
**Subject:** RE: Superintendent of Education Documents

Katherine-

We would like the opportunity to send a formal recommendation on the qualifications and accountability structure of K-12 next week. For the time being, our proposed changes to the letter are attached. Please let us know your thoughts.

Thank you,  
Emily

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**From:** Veldran, Katherine [<mailto:KatherineVeldran@gov.sc.gov>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 01, 2016 2:44 PM  
**To:** Heatwole, Emily  
**Cc:** Spearman, Molly  
**Subject:** Superintendent of Education Documents

Emily,  
Please see the attached drafts of the joint letter, the joint resolution, and the qualifications language for the Superintendent of Education. Each document is in word form so that you may track changes and comment on the language. We look forward to your feedback and

will keep you posted on the overall legislative action plan.  
We appreciate all of your support. Please let us know if you need anything.  
Thank you,  
Katherine

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