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Gov. Haley,

The first thing you should do to change the racial atmosphere in SC is to stop flying the Confederate flag on State grounds! This symbol of slavery and apartheid essentially validates the racists attitudes that are widespread in the State. Even Texas understands this, as their refusal to allow in on license plates was upheld by the Supreme Court. It's extremely offensive to African Americans and has no business being flown by the State! My father and his siblings were born there but migrated North in the 40s/50s as young adults and they rarely went back. That flag will NEVER be flown again by the State of Virginia - time for SC to get with the program.

Terry Cooper (yes, my name is from SC)