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To: "'RobGodfrey@gov.sc.gov'" <RobGodfrey@gov.sc.gov>
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Dear Rob,

My name is Stephanie Kotuby - we worked together quite a bit when I booked guests for Wolf Blitzer at CNN. I hope my email finds you well!

I'm over at PBS NewsHour now and I'm writing because Gwen Ifill and Judy Woodruff from PBS NewsHour and Rachel Martin of NPR would like to invite Gov. Nikki Haley to participate in our networks joint coverage of the Republican National Convention in Cleveland.

As you may know, NPR and PBS NewsHour are joining forces to provide live, simultaneous primetime coverage of the 2016 political conventions across television, radio and digital platforms – and the audience numbers are very impressive. More than 26 million radio listeners tune in to NPR each week, and more than 103 million Americans watch PBS each month. Over 30 million unique visitors access NPR.org monthly, while PBS.org has 33 million in the same time frame.

Our simultaneous coverage begins at 8p ET and continues until 11p ET, with a special edition of PBS NewsHour from 6-7p ET. If Gov. Haley isn't available for a live interview during those time frames from our skybox, at the podium or other live shot locations around the Quicken Loans Arena, we would be happy to look at taping options that work better for her schedule.

No other media outlet will reach or influence as many voters on television, radio and online as PBS and NPR – particularly in the critical swing states of Ohio, Virginia, Colorado, North Carolina and Florida – and I hope you'll agree spending a few minutes with PBS/NPR in Cleveland is a worthy investment of the governor's time.

As soon as you can, please let me know how her convention schedule looks and if this is something we might be able to arrange.

Many thanks to you and Gov. Haley for your kind consideration of Judy, Gwen and Rachel's invitation.

Sincerely,
Stephanie

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