

**Report on the Effect of the Lottery on the Colleges and Universities' FTE and Education and General Operations**

Staff will distribute at the meeting a report from the institutions on the effect of the lottery on the college and university's FTE and Education and General Operations. Currently there are two Bills pending before the General Assembly dealing with the Lottery. For your review, extractions from the two Bills are presented in a comparative format.

A panel from the institutions will present its analysis of how the Lottery Bill will affect their institution/sector. The panel will also be available to address your questions and concerns. Panel members are:

1. Research Sector – Ms. Char Davis – University of SC
2. Teaching Sector – To be announced
3. Regional Campuses – Dr. Chris Plyler, University of SC
4. Technical Colleges – Dr. Jim Hudgins, SBTCE

**Senate Bill 177**

The Education Lottery Account shall provide in priority order:

- 1) Free tuition at state technical colleges and two-year public institutions
- 2) SC HOPE Scholarship Program
- 3) Sixteen million dollars for needs-based grants
- 4) Eight million dollars teacher scholarship programs
- 5) Forty-five million dollars for school technology funding to develop a program to provide and upgrade technology

**Senate Bill 304**

Education Lottery Account will appropriate annually in priority order:

- 1) Governor's Institute for Reading
- 2) Critical Needs Program
- 3) Milliken Foundation Teacher Advancement Program
- 4) Teacher Mentors Program
- 5) Charter schools capitalization fund
- 6) Student transfer programs
- 7) Tuition grants at state technical colleges and two-year public institutions.
- 8) SC HOPE Scholarship Program
- 9) Needs-based and tuition grants
- 10) Teacher scholarship programs
- 11) School technology funding
- 12) Other educational programs or purposes

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