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Haley, thank you and the Governors office for always allowing me access. You have always been very open to my concerns, and accepting of my requests. It is greatly appreciated.

Today as a new Grandfather I come to you with a very heavy heart to ask the Governor's office in South Carolina to join eleven other states that have opened investigations in their states of abortion facilities based on a concern for the safety and wellbeing of their citizens.

Below is a link to the results reported this morning in Florida of the investigation there. These results should give us reason for concern for the risk to our most vulnerable citizens in South Carolina....our unborn children.

Given the horrible track record for these facilities in South Carolina, including a Richland County Grand Jury murder indictment in 1974 of Dr. Jessie Floyd, the exposure of the facility in Charleston by ABC news in 1992 by two nurses from the facility of grinding aborted baby's in the facilities garbage disposal and flushing them down the city sewer which resulted in our first regulations of these facilities, a Doctor at the Charleston facility recently pointing a gun at citizens in the public right of way praying at that facility, and many witnesses recently seeing Doctoral residents from MUSC at the Charleston facility leaving with what appeared to be coolers which are often used to transport body parts, I would suggest such an action by the Governor is warranted.

As you are aware, the U.S. Congress is taking action requesting investigations, setting up Congressional oversight, and taking legal actions to get records.

As stated by Bob Goodlate's, U.S. House Judiciary Committee Chairman, letter to the U.S. Attorney General, the statements made by the Senior Director of Medical Services of Planned Parenthood eludes to alteration of established procedures for conducting abortions in order to harvest body parts from our unborn children, which is inappropriate under current regulations. The letter also refers to the same official describing manipulation of the procedure to create a breeched evacuation which creates dilation that would result in a partial birth abortion, which is illegal. The citizens of South Carolina deserve to know that these horrendous, and barbaric procedures are not being performed in South Carolina on our unborn children.

The General Assembly is doing what we can by requesting audits, requesting oversight hearings, requesting agency records....what will the Governor do?

How long is she going to wait while the lives of our unborn children may be being brutally ended for the purpose of harvesting of their body parts, or stated activities exposed by the videos which are against current regulations and existing law may be being performed in South Carolina?

Given the LAC report in May of the lax oversight of these facilities by DHEC, the horrible track record of these facilities in South Carolina, the statements of senior representatives of one of the facilities operating in South Carolina that eludes to violations of our regulations and laws, we should be very concerned and taking all steps necessary to assure the citizens of this state that we will not tolerate these barbaric actions by these facilities in South Carolina.

Thank you again for always tolerating my interjections, and I appreciate the Governor's offices willingness to act appropriately and expeditiously when the citizens of South Carolina are at risk.

Garry

I thought you might be interested in this article [Florida inspectors cite four Planned Parenthood clinics for violations](#).

Investigators in Florida have cited four Planned Parenthood clinics for violations, including one that kept improper logs for disposal of fetal remains, state officials said Wednesday.

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