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To: Veldran, KatherineKatherineVeldran@gov.sc.gov
Date: 10/30/2013 12:32:32 PM
Subject: FW: Governor's application for board service

Katherine,

Can you provide me with a number for Janet Davis. I can understand the concerns of not giving out a SS# and would like to see if we can work around this. The number may be necessary for the SLED report.
Thanks for all your help, I am grateful to have your assistance.

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From: Sue Terry [mailto:ksterry@optometry.org]
Sent: Tuesday, October 29, 2013 5:36 PM
To: Raye Felder
Subject: FW: Governor's application for board service

Hi Raye,

Well, guess I dismissed myself from consideration to serve on the Foster Care Review Board. Someone called 2 days ago, purportedly from the Governor's office, and brusquely demanded my SSN. I very deliberately had declined to provide it on the application that I submitted to the Governor's office along with a detailed description of WHY I did not include it.

As I've become extremely leery of giving up personal information (and NEVER do so over the phone!), I never quite got around to sharing the SSN with the caller. Long before I could talk myself into divulging my number to this anonymous stranger and anyone else who happens to gain access to my application form, the caller became impatient with me and told me to talk with Janet Davis about ending my candidacy for the Board. I didn't catch Ms. Davis's number and the caller didn't have her email address, so I haven't hooked up with her. Hence, this note to you.

I apologize for washing out like this ... I've just become very selfish with my private information with all the global hoopla about identity theft and the NSA's spying on Americans and everyone else on the planet. I expect that I'll be stricken with the theft of my identify soon enough, and will be forced to cope with the massive amount of effort and angst required to climb out from under such an intrusion into a person's life. I see no reason to invite such an event by spreading my SSN around when not absolutely necessary, and when I have utterly no control over who is able to read/copy/use my personal information.

Thank you so much for the opportunity, and best of luck when you next run for office.

Best regards,

Sue Terry
Fort Mill, SC

From: Raye Felder [mailto:RayeFelder@schouse.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, July 10, 2013 5:17 PM

To: Sue Terry
Subject: Re: Governor's application for board service

Thank you,

Raye Felder
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On Jul 10, 2013, at 4:00 PM, "Sue Terry" <ksterry@optometry.org> wrote:

Hi Raye,

Here's the completed application form that you need to send to the Governor's office.

I did not fill in the Driver's License # or the SSN, for four logical reasons:

- It doesn't seem necessary to record these two numbers as the State of South Carolina already has this very personal information about me, stored in several different places.
- Finding these two numbers will not involve any question of identity; there's only one Karen Sue Terry on Coolee Court in Fort Mill, SC.
- To show these numbers on this form would provide essentially a complete identity theft kit if the form would happen to fall into the wrong hands at any point of its existence.
- I have no control over where this form will end up and therefore, am not comfortable inserting these two pieces of information; it's my understanding that South Carolina residents' most sensitive personal data already have been exposed and stolen by external hackers; I would like to avoid further, obvious risk of identity theft.

I am happy to allow a full background search, and trust that a search can be initiated using my driver's license # and SSN after a simple internal office inquiry locates them. I do ask that my driver's license # and my SSN NOT be added to my form, but rather that they be used from perhaps a sticky note that is NOT attached to my form but rather is kept separate from my form. Once the background search has been run, I presume there will be no further need for anyone else to use the form, so the lack of the two numbers will not continue to present a problem.

Thanks again for the opportunity to serve on the York County Children's Foster Care Review Board. I will do my best to maximize the welfare of the foster kids of York County.

Best regards,

Sue

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