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Dear Friends,

Welcome to the 2016 South Carolina Governor's Cup Tae Kwon Do Championships. Whether you are here as a participant or a spectator, I am sure you will find plenty of excitement as the day unfolds!

With its roots in ancient Korea, Tae Kwon Do has withstood the test of time and remains extremely popular today. These dedicated competitors have invested countless hours in perfecting their powerful dance of strength and agility. Showcasing their exceptional concentration and stamina, they deliver the precision chops, kicks, and thrusts that entertain and thrill the audience. With a strong commitment to personal excellence, they continue to develop the discipline and self-esteem that will contribute to their future success.

On behalf of the people of the Palmetto State, Michael and I wish you all the best for a wonderful event. We are proud of the competitors and their achievements, and we thank all of you for supporting them. God bless.

My very best,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Nikki", is written over the typed name "Nikki R. Haley".

Nikki R. Haley

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