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Governor Nikki Haley
State of South Carolina

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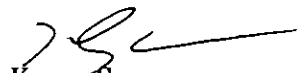
Congratulations on your recent reelection as Governor of South Carolina. I am confident that the Palmetto State will continue to flourish under your leadership and so will the great relationship between Japan and South Carolina.

As you know, South Carolina is home to more than 180 Japanese affiliated companies that employ more than 16,000 workers. These companies represent the backbone of our partnership and have led to more than \$2.5 billion in trade between Japan and South Carolina.

This partnership has thrived under your leadership. You have been an incredible ally to Japanese companies already in your state and shown great enthusiasm for those considering moving to South Carolina. I thank you for your continued support.

Congratulations again and I look forward to meeting with you again soon.

Regards,



Kazuo Sunaga
Consul General of Japan