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"Passing independent investigations and income disclosure has been a top priority for four years and – finally – this year we are closer than ever to getting them over the finish line. Both the House and Senate have made more progress this year than ever before and there is no reason or excuse why the people of South Carolina shouldn't be able to celebrate passage of ethics reform this year."

ON BACKGROUND: We have worked all year with the Senate and House to move ethics reform bills through the process to a conference committee so that they would survive past sine die (June 2). The Governor's major ethics reform initiatives have been the need for independent investigations of legislative ethics complaints and private income disclosure by public officials. H. 3186 and H. 3184 will accomplish that.

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