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Looks great. I will pass this along to Senator Hayes and staff. I'll follow up with them early next week for any questions or concerns.

Thanks Rockstar!!

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On Jan 3, 2014, at 11:16 PM, "Soura, Christian" <[ChristianSoura@gov.sc.gov](mailto:ChristianSoura@gov.sc.gov)> wrote:

This is the version I think we're likely to include in the FY 2014-15 budget. I spent a fair amount of time working with the Department of Revenue, the Board of Economic Advisors, and the Education Oversight Committee in the past month in order to get everyone comfortable with this model, and I feel we're in a good place at this point.

It operates somewhat differently than what was adopted in June, but I think it's a more workable process that provides better transparency and mitigates opportunities to abuse the existing program.

I told Sen. Hayes that I was working on this, so would you mind relaying this to him as a follow-up to our earlier meeting? If he or staff have any interest in discussing it, I'm glad to talk about how we got here. Thanks.

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