



Nikki R. Haley
Governor

SOUTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Robert M. Hitt III
Secretary

Memorandum

To: Members of the South Carolina General Assembly

From: Secretary of Commerce Bobby Hitt

Date: June 13, 2016

RE: Veto 22

Last week, Governor Nikki Haley announced vetoes to certain items contained within the Fiscal Year 2016-17 General Appropriations Act. The Department of Commerce is in support of Veto 22, which refers to Section 118, Proviso 118.16(B), Item 29(i).

This \$100,000 line item for “economic development” is not required for the Department to successfully carry out its duties as the state’s business agency, nor is it associated with the recruitment of any ongoing project.