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Thanks very much.

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Statement from Governor Nikki Haley:

"I have great respect for the will of the people, and as I have always said, I will support the Republican nominee for president. To the members of the press who are asking, while I am flattered to be mentioned and proud of what that says about the great things going on in South Carolina, my plate is full and I am not interested in serving as vice president."

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**Sent:** Wednesday, May 04, 2016 4:16 PM  
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Hi Chaney,

I know Gov. Haley has had some strong differences with Donald Trump, but I was wondering if she has decided whether she would support him should he become the nominee as is anticipated, and her thoughts either way on the question. I am available to chat by phone today or we can communicate by email if that is better.

Thank you very much for your kind attention,

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