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I haven't received a letter yet, but if you're looking for a headcount, I wanted to let you know that I'll be attending. Thanks.

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TO: Invitees to SREB/South Carolina Orientation on Accountability-Based Funding

FROM: John Courson, Chairman, Senate Education Committee
Phil Owens, Chairman, House Education and Public Works Committee

You have by now received a letter of invitation to an orientation meeting on February 28, 2013 in Columbia on accountability-based funding in higher education. The Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) has convened this meeting at our request and we are grateful for their sponsorship of this endeavor.

Many states currently, or are considering for implementation, the use of public funding models to encourage improvements in college productivity. SREB has assembled an excellent group of panelists from three other states (Tennessee, Indiana and Arkansas) and a national expert on higher education funding. This orientation session will support discussions underway in South Carolina to consider accountability-based funding as a strategy to help public postsecondary institutions meet the state's educational attainment and workforce goals.

It is our hope that your schedule will allow you to take advantage of this opportunity.

c: Dave Spence
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