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COLUMBIA, S.C. – Governor Nikki Haley, First Gentleman Michael Haley and the First Family today released the following statement on the passing of Governor's Mansion Complex Supervisor Chamberlain E. Branch:

"We are heartbroken and feel an incredible loss with Chamberlain's passing. Everyone who knew him loved him. His smile and laugh were contagious. He was a very special part of our family, and his gentle soul, good humor, and care will always be treasured memories for each of us. We ask that all South Carolinians lift up in prayer Chamberlain's wife Cherrisse and their three children during this difficult time."

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