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Legislative Notes:

House Education Policy Review and Reform Task Force In Response to the Abbeville Lawsuit:

This task force includes legislators, Superintendent Spearman, Rick Reames, educators, working professionals, and 5 representatives of the plaintiffs in the Abbeville lawsuit.

This task force has met 4 times since it was established. Next meeting: Wednesday, August 31 at 1:30 pm.

1. Rep. Merita A. "Rita" Allison, Chair
2. Rep. Kenneth A. "Kenny" Bingham,
3. Rep. Joseph H. "Joe" Neal,
4. Rep. Joseph S. Daning,
5. Rep. Jerry N. Govan, (District 95-Orangeburg)
6. Rep. Jackie E. "Coach" Hayes,
7. Rep. Dwight A. Loftis
8. State Superintendent of Education Molly S. Spearman
9. Dr. Rainey H. Knight
10. Wanda L. Andrews, Ed. D.
11. Lewis F. Gossett
12. April A. Allen
13. David Longshore, Jr., Ph.D.
14. Terry K. Peterson, Ph.D.
15. Rick Reames
16. John Tindal
17. Dr. James C. "Jimmie" Williamson

Senate Special Subcommittee In Response to the Abbeville Lawsuit:

This special subcommittee has met twice since it was established.

1. Senator Setzler
2. Senator Hayes
3. Senator Matthews
4. Senator Bennett
5. Senator Hembree