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To: Soura, ChristianChristianSoura@gov.sc.gov
Date: 1/13/2014 5:21:00 AM
Subject: Re: Text

Got it. I'll be at the office at 7am.

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> On Jan 12, 2014, at 10:50 PM, "Soura, Christian" <ChristianSoura@gov.sc.gov> wrote:

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> OK, I'm gonna use it about verbatim. Josh has custody of the book right now, though, so I won't be able to embed it and show you the integrated draft of that one until sometime later tonight. Lost a lot of time today tweaking some numbers and drafting final proviso changes. Not as far along drafting the budget themes and associated material as I'd hoped. We'll get there...

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Mayer, Doug

> Sent: Sunday, January 12, 2014 1:27 PM

> To: Soura, Christian

> Subject: RE: Text

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> Thoughts?

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> Since entering office in January 2011, the Haley administration has made the creation of new jobs and the expansion of existing instate companies a top priority. This work is ongoing and will continue into the future but the results of this focus speak for themselves.

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> Over the course of the past three years, the Haley administration has been proud to announce over 42,000 new jobs, nearly \$10 billion in capital investment, and projects in 45 out of 46 counties. The unemployment rate has dropped 3.5%, from a high of 10.6% in January 2011 to 7.1% in November 2013 - marking a five year low for South Carolina. Additionally, more than 69,000 South Carolinians are working today than in January 2011.

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> As reported by the U.S. Department of Commerce's Bureau of Economic Analysis, South Carolina's

economy is the 12th fastest growing in the nation, and tied with North Carolina as the fastest growing state on the East Coast.

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> South Carolinian's strong business environment, skilled workforce, and commitment to manufacturing have played an important role in this success. Since January 2011, the growth rate of manufacturing jobs in South Carolina has nearly doubled the national average, including that of North Carolina and Georgia.

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Soura, Christian

> Sent: Saturday, January 11, 2014 6:49 PM

> To: Mayer, Doug

> Subject: Text

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> I'm still working on these and will add a healthcare one. Gives you a sense of what the style's like, though. Looking for 1/3 to 1/2 page to replace the highlighted text at the top of page 6. Thanks.

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