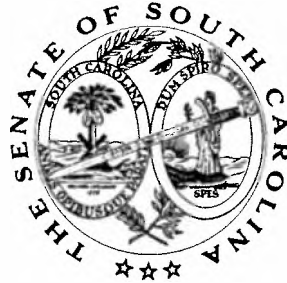


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January 3, 2012

The Honorable Nikki R. Haley
Governor
The State House
Columbia, S.C. 29202

Dear Governor Haley:

I am writing to make a Freedom of Information Act request. Please produce copies of your or your staff's e-mails, both "deleted" and "undeleted" which may, in any way, relate to the certification of the application to dredge the Savannah River, to the Port of Jasper, to the Port of Savannah or to the Port of Charleston.

Thank you in advance for your assistance and for facilitating prompt access to the requested records. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Brad Hutto".

C. Bradley Hutto
Senate District 40

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December 21, 2011

The Honorable C. Bradley Hutto
South Carolina Senate District 40
510 Gressette Building
Columbia, South Carolina 29202

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear Senator Hutto:

I am responding to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated December 5, 2011. You requested that the Budget and Control Board (Board) produce records you believe may be in our possession, but belong to an entity other than the Board. Specifically, you requested the Board produce copies of all e-mails, both deleted and undeleted, of the Governor or the staff of the Governor which may, in any way, relate in the broadest application of the word, to the DHEC certification of the application to dredge the Savannah River, to the Port of Jasper, to the Port of Savannah or to the Port of Charleston.

At present, the Board's Division of State Information Technology (DSIT) provides services to numerous state, county, and municipal agencies and offices, including services such as data processing, data storage, telecommunications, and hosting of computers owned by another agency. Depending on the entity concerned, the scope and type of these services varies considerably. Because these services are provided pursuant to written agreements, we cannot change or otherwise alter the services we currently provide without instructions from the entity that owns or controls the data.

These records are not owned by or under the control of DSIT, and DSIT has no authority to control their use or disclosure. DSIT does not know the extent to which the release or disclosure of such records would be prohibited by law or exempt from production under FOIA.

I respectfully request that you please direct your request for records to the entity that owns the records you seek.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

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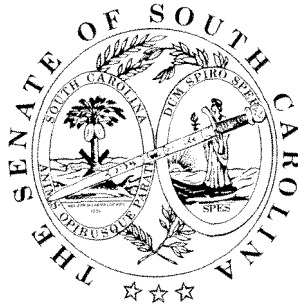
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Ms. Marsha Adams
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Wade Hampton Office Building, 6th floor
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