



State of South Carolina Office of the Governor

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April 16, 2012

Mr. Rick Brundrett
Investigative Reporter, *The Nerve*
1323 Pendleton Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Dear Mr. Brundrett,

On March 26, 2012, our office received your Freedom of Information Act request for "all correspondence generated from March 12, 2012 through the date of the receipt of this letter, and handled personally by the governor [and] the governor's correspondence log."

We have located records responsive to your request. Because of the high volume of Freedom of Information Act requests received by the Governor's Office and the significant costs associated with producing the requests, our office will charge a reasonable cost of copying records as allowed pursuant to Section 30-4-30(b). We estimate that the costs of these records will be at least \$30.00 (300 pages at 10 cents per page). You may send a check made payable to the "Office of the Governor" at the contact information listed below. Please provide the payment, and we will send the information to you.

Contact Information:

Swati S. Patel
1205 Pendleton Street
Columbia, SC 29201

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Swati S. Patel" with a stylized flourish at the end.

Swati S. Patel
Chief Legal Counsel

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