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If you're OK with this, it's ready to go – thanks:

We will be releasing the FY 2013-14 Executive Budget in the near future, and would like to give you and your budget staff an opportunity to review the allocations. Please have a member of your staff come to the Governor's Office between 2PM and 4PM today to receive a copy of the current draft. If, after reviewing these materials, you believe that the proposal would significantly impair your ability to run your agency, please call Josh Baker to discuss this at (803) 351-0981, no later than 11AM Monday.

Although there will be modest revenue growth in the upcoming year, we will also have to absorb significant increases in Medicaid, pensions and benefits, and other areas. We have made every effort to accommodate each agency's requests while still ensuring that we fund mandatory and other essential needs. Thanks for your help.

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