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To: LeMoine, Leigh <LeighLeMoine@gov.sc.gov>
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Date: 12/7/2012 1:46:48 AM
Subject: RE: Governor Haley

Probably gonna have to be me, post-budget.

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From: LeMoine, Leigh
Sent: Thursday, December 06, 2012 10:18 AM
To: Pitts, Ted; Soura, Christian
Subject: FW: Governor Haley

NH met this woman at Carolighting and asked me to schedule 15 mins. Who would be the appropriate staff person?

Thanks,
Leigh

From: Lois Duke-Whitaker [<mailto:dlois@georgiasouthern.edu>]
Sent: Thursday, December 06, 2012 10:08 AM
To: LeMoine, Leigh
Subject: Re: Governor Haley

Hi Leigh: Thank you so very much for your email and a special thanks to Gov. Haley for following up with me before I could contact her further. Actually, I live in Columbia and have since 1958. I teach at Georgia Southern two days a week (thanks to a great situation my classes are actually scheduled around my travels back and forth). I wish to discuss the idea of reorganization of higher education in South Carolina with the Governor--basically establishing a Board of Regents (BOR). I am retiring in May 2013 and wish, as a citizen lobbyist, to take this issue on. It's been discussed greatly in the past, but nothing seems to happen. I feel so strongly about this, especially after teaching in the Georgia system where we have had a BOR since 1935.

Florida and North Carolina also have similar systems. This would be my topic to discuss with Gov. Haley because I would need her leadership for such an idea to even get off the ground. If her schedule permits, I will be available pretty much off and on during the holidays, but perhaps her schedule might best suit sometime after the first of the year. Of course, I will do my best to accommodate her schedule. Again, thank you for your email. Best regards to you and the Governor, Lois Duke Whitaker

On Thu, Dec 6, 2012 at 9:34 AM, LeMoine, Leigh <LeighLeMoine@gov.sc.gov> wrote:
Dear Professor Whitaker,

Thank you for reaching out to Governor Haley regarding scheduling a meeting. Will you please let me know the issues you'd like to discuss and your availability to be in Columbia? I can review with the Governor's calendar and be in touch with you on the request. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Leigh LeMoine
Scheduler

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