

**SOUTH CAROLINA ATTORNEY GENERAL
REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO EMPLOY ASSOCIATE COUNSEL**

Please mark appropriate classification: Renewal _____ Initial Request ✓

From (Agency): Office of the Governor

Individual Requesting Authorization (include title): Holly G. Pisarik, Chief Legal Counsel

Case Caption: 2016-CP-40-00918: Walter Brian Bilbro v. South Carolina Department of Social Services; Office of Governor Nikki R. Haley; Lutheran Services Carolinas; World Relief Spartanburg

Date: February 25, 2016 County (in which case/matter occurs): Richland

Name of requested law firm/attorney(s): Davidson & Lindemann, P.A.

Address of requested law firm/attorney(s): 1611 Devonshire Drive, Second Floor, Columbia, SC 29204

Brief description of legal services to be performed: _____
Litigation defense

Reason private attorney is needed to perform services: _____
Litigation defense expertise

Requested dates of services (maximum of one fiscal year): 2/25/2016 - 8/25/2016

REQUESTED HOURLY RATE OR OTHER COMPENSATION

<u>Attorney Name</u>	<u>Years of Experience</u> <u>(as of date of this Form 1)</u>	<u>Requested Rate</u>
<u>William H. Davidson</u>	<u>Over 20 years</u>	<u>\$150/hr</u>
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(Use additional sheet if necessary)

Justification if hourly rate or other compensation exceeds standard rate range: _____

Requested maximum fees: \$10,000

TO BE COMPLETED BY ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE

Approved by: _____ Date: _____

File number: _____ Service code: _____

Attorney approved: _____ Firm code: _____