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January 24, 2017

VIA ELECTRONIC DELIVERY

Mr. Spencer Woodman
spencer.woodman@gmail.com

Dear Mr. Woodman,

Our office received your Freedom of Information Act request for copies of the following:

“[A]ll emails South Carolina Governor Nikki Haley sent or received between June 1st, 2015, and December 1st, 2016, that contain the following key words and/or phrases...: United Nations, France, Russia, Britain, United Kingdom, UK, China, PRC, Taiwan, India, Syria, Iraq, Iran, [and] North Korea.”

Due to 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 usually charges a reasonable cost for searching and copying records as allowed pursuant to Section 30-4-30(b). However, in this case we have identified a small number of records and thus are providing them at no charge. Also, please note that due to the necessity of printing records for redaction and the problems associated with emailing documents, our office does not provide records via email. Again, due to the small number of records involved we are providing these electronically.

Attached please find any and all public records in our possession that are responsive to your request, subject to any exemptions or redactions as allowed pursuant to Section 30-4-40(a) of the South Carolina Code of Laws or as is otherwise exempt from disclosure by statute or regulation or prohibited from disclosure by court order. Please confirm receipt of your email and documents, and for any future FOIA requests please provide an address where we can mail responsive records.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Richele K. Taylor".

Richele K. Taylor
Chief Legal Counsel

Re: Sincere congratulations

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Haley, Nikki

Mon 11/28, 9:06 PM

DePaoli, Mary <mary.depaoli@rbc.com>, Veldran, Katherine; McGlynn, Matt <mat



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Thank you so much Mary. RBC will always be considered part of our South Carolina family. I love the partnership we have built together. Please don't hesitate to contact me if I can ever be of service. I won't be too far away!

My very best,
Nikki

Sent from my iPad

On Nov 28, 2016, at 12:18 PM, DePaoli, Mary <mary.depaoli@rbc.com> wrote:

Governor Haley,

On behalf of all of us at RBC, we are thrilled that you have been named U.S. ambassador to the United Nations.

Through our presence in South Carolina via the RBC Heritage tournament, we have seen firsthand your leadership in action, and we were proud of your appointment to a role that takes your skills and leadership qualities to the world stage.

You are also a beacon for generations of women to come, proving that hard work and intelligence never goes unnoticed.

Congratulations Governor Haley, and much continued success.

Sincerely,

Mary DePaoli

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Fwd: Congratulations on Gov Haley's Nomination



Patel, Swati

Thu 11/24, 10:38 AM

Haley, Nikki; Priester, Nicole; Godfrey, Rob



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Begin forwarded message:

From: Damon Wilson <dwilson@atlanticcouncil.org>
Date: November 24, 2016 at 8:28:12 AM EST
To: "swatipatel@gov.sc.gov" <swatipatel@gov.sc.gov>
Subject: Congratulations on Gov Haley's Nomination

Dear Ms. Patel,

First, happy Thanksgiving! I am a South Carolinian who runs a foreign policy institute in Washington, DC, the Atlantic Council. My mother, Dr. Mary Thornely of Trident Technical College, suggested that I contact you regarding Governor Haley's nomination to serve as our next UN Ambassador. Please find a note below for the Governor. Don't hesitate to let me know if you have any questions or suggestions on how we can be most useful.

Many thanks,
Damon

Dear Governor Haley,

I serve as the Executive Vice President of the Atlantic Council, a foreign affairs institute based in Washington, but also am from Charleston, South Carolina where my mother, Mary Thornley, serves as President of Trident Technical College. As a South Carolinian, and on behalf of the Atlantic Council, I am writing to congratulate you on your nomination to become the next US Ambassador to the United Nations. From this perch, you will represent the United States on so many challenging global issues, and I'd like to extend an offer of assistance to help you prepare and succeed in this task. Specifically, we'd be delighted to host you with the Atlantic Council board and offer to organize a bespoke transition seminar to help you prepare for your new assignment.

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non-profit organization committed to constructive US leadership in the world working with our allies and partners to solve global challenges. Our leadership includes our Vice Chair former National Security Advisor Stephen Hadley, as well as our former Chairs including General Brent Scowcroft, General James Jones, and Secretary Chuck Hagel. Our board leadership ranges from Secretary Madeleine Albright, Secretary Condoleezza Rice, Secretary Kissinger, former NSAs Zbig Brzezinski, and former UN Ambassador Zai Khalilzad. Our staff, which I help lead, is a group of professionals who are foreign policy practitioners and analysts committed to helping US officials succeed in their positions.

We face disruptive and historic times. Our message is that renewed, constructive, and resourceful US leadership is required alongside our friends and allies to shape a better future. If we don't lead, less benevolent forces will fill the void. You have a tremendous opportunity and we are invested in your success.

On behalf of Atlantic Council Chairman Jon Huntsman and our board, I am writing to invite you to meet with the Atlantic Council board in an off-the-record setting at our Annual Forum on December 1 in Washington, DC. The board is an extraordinary, bipartisan group of business and former policy and military leaders, dedicated to constructive US leadership in the world. Our Annual Forum convenes the Council's extraordinary community of board directors and members for a half-day of sessions on the most pressing issues facing the United States and its allies at a time of historic change and global volatility.

We know your schedule is extremely busy and would deeply appreciate you joining us for 60-75 minutes on December 1 (our office would be happy to work with your staff to find a suitable slot in the program.) We are eager to hear your perspectives in a session focused on the next administration's opportunities and priorities. Your participation would provide a crucial perspective to these conversations in an off-record setting. Attached is the latest list of Board members.

Second, we would like to offer to organize a time of your convenience an off the record, private transition seminar on a range of issues you will face as our next Ambassador to the United Nations. This is a service the Council offers to major leaders assuming new positions. For example, we have organized transition seminars for each of the most recent Secretaries General of NATO prior to their assuming their positions. We have done the same for many 4-star military commanders and prominent ambassadors. We would work closely with you to develop a bespoke agenda and ensure our nation's best expert briefers are available to give you a range of perspectives and advice on major issues at the United Nations. The session would also address the practicalities of working at the UN and within the Security Council. In addition to providing useful expertise, these sessions also help build a constituency of policy leaders committed to your success at the UN, and provide you with a group which you could reach back to at any point during your service. This session could be scheduled at any time convenient for you.

Please let me know if you might be able to join our board forum on December 1, and whether we can find a convenient time to offer a transition seminar. Please don't hesitate to contact me or have your staff contact me directly with any questions. I can be reached at dwilson@AtlanticCouncil.org or on my mobile at 202-746-8858.

Again, congratulations on your nomination – and I pass on the congratulations from my mother.

Many thanks,
Damon Wilson

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FW: Gov. Haley and Fellow Governors Oppose Iran Nuclear Agreement

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Veldran, Katherine

Thu 9/10/2015, 4:54 PM

Haley, Nikki; Patel, Swati; Mottel, Haley 



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From: Beth Bernstein [mailto:BethBernstein@schouse.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, September 09, 2015 9:23 PM

To: Veldran, Katherine

Subject: Re: Gov. Haley and Fellow Governors Oppose Iran Nuclear Agreement

Please thank the Governor for her stance on this. I agree completely.

Best,
Beth

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Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 8, 2015, at 12:47 PM, SC Gov News <govnews@gov.sc.gov> wrote:



NIKKI R. HALEY

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

September 8, 2015

For immediate release

Contact: Chaney Adams, 803-528-7217

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Gov. Haley and Fellow Governors Oppose Iran Nuclear Agreement

COLUMBIA, S.C. – Governor Nikki Haley and fourteen fellow governors sent a letter to President Barack Obama, this morning, opposing the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action or the Iran Nuclear Agreement.

The governors expressed their frustration that lifting federal sanctions against Iran would “result in Iran having more money available to fund terrorist groups and attacks.”

Gov. Haley and her colleagues also voiced concern regarding paragraph 25 of the letter, which would “actively encourage” states to lift any state-level sanctions against Iran. The governors said, “We wish to make it clear to you in advance of any efforts to implement paragraph 25 that we intend to ensure that the various state-level sanctions that are now in effect remain in effect.”

A copy of the letter can be found [here](#).

Fellow governors who signed the letter include: Doug Ducey of Arizona, Asa Hutchinson of Arkansas, Rick Scott of Florida, Mike Pence of Indiana, Bobby Jindal of Louisiana, Phil Bryant of Mississippi, Chris Christie of New Jersey, Jack Dalrymple of North Dakota, John Kasich of Ohio, Mary Fallin of Oklahoma, Dennis Daugaard of South Dakota, Greg Abbott of Texas, Gary Herbert of Utah, and Scott Walker of Wisconsin

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