

Governor Haley,

I am contacting you in an effort to understand why I am not meeting the requirements to work for the state of South Carolina after serving our nation as a United States Marine Officer for twenty years. Over the past year I have submitted forty applications through the state jobs website in an effort to serve South Carolina with the same professionalism and passion I served as an active duty United States Marine. Of the 40 Applications one resulted in an interview which I was not chosen; however, Mr. Davis the Director of that division called and explained to me why I was not the best candidate. Mr. Davis was extremely professional and had I been in his shoes I would have made a similar choice. As for the other 39 applications ranging from entry level through Director positions I have been notified that I am not qualified, the position was filled, or I have received no response.

Knowing that you are a strong supporter of hiring veterans I am reaching out to you in an effort to understand why I am unable to get an interview for positions that I am more than qualified for with any state agency in South Carolina. Quitting is not a part of a Marine's DNA. I welcome any guidance you or your staff might be able to provide me to adapt and overcome this obstacle and thank you in advance for your time and attention to this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,



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