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July 6, 2016

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Dear Reporters,

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As previously stated, the costs associated with staff hours spent compiling and copying records has been waived, and the actual costs of copying records, totaling in part to \$422.15 each, has been reduced—all due to the significant public interest in these issues pursuant to Section 30-4-30(b) of the South Carolina Code of Laws.

Be advised that records have been exempted or redacted as is allowed pursuant to Section 30-4-40(a) (information of a personal nature where the public disclosure thereof would constitute unreasonable invasion of personal privacy; records of law enforcement and public safety agencies not otherwise available by state and federal law compiled in the process of detecting and investigating crime; and correspondence or work products of legal counsel for a public body and any other material that would violate attorney-client relationships).

Sincerely,

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Holly G. Pisarik  
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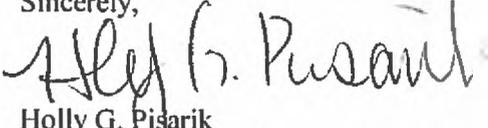
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