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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR**

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TO <i>Floyd</i>	DATE <i>4-18-08</i>
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2. DATE SIGNED BY DIRECTOR <i>cc: Jacobs Cleveland 4/15/08, letter attached.</i>			

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TO: Emma Forkner

FROM: Sara Snell

Department of Health & Human Services
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

DATE: 4/17/08

COMMENTS: Please see the attached.

Thank you!

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Ms. Emma Forkner
Director
SC Department of Health and Human Services
PO Box 8206
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Department of Health & Human Services
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

RE: Edward O. Rutland

Dear Ms. Forkner:

The attached letter concerns an issue outside my official jurisdiction. Therefore, as a courtesy to my constituent, Edward Rutland, I am sending this correspondence to your attention.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and I ask that you please respond directly to Mr. Rutland.

Sincerely

Lindsey O. Graham
United States Senator

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Enclosure

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Dear Mr. Lindsey Graham

Thank you for your help in the past. I would like to ask for your assistance once again. I applied for Medicaid and food stamps about 3 weeks ago, and have not heard anything from either. From the qualifications I am sure I qualify. Please get back to me.

Thanks

Edward O Rutland

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April 25, 2008

Mr. Harold Williams
County Director, Orangeburg County Office
South Carolina Department of Social Services
Post Office Box 1087
Orangeburg, South Carolina 29116-1067

Dear Mr. Williams:

Please find enclosed a copy of correspondence we received from Senator Lindsey Graham concerning the financial, personal and healthcare needs of Mr. Edward O. Rutland, 7967 Savannah Highway, Norway, South Carolina 29113. We provided him with information to assist with his healthcare needs, but Mr. Rutland also has concerns about Food Stamps and assistance programs from the South Carolina Department of Social Services.

We would appreciate your office contacting Mr. Rutland at (803) 664-1409 to answer his questions about the Food Stamp program. Thank you for anything your staff may be able to do to assist Mr. Rutland.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Raymond J. Floyd in black ink.

Raymond J. Floyd
Deputy Director

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State of South Carolina
Department of Health and Human Services

Mark Sanford
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April 25, 2008

Mr. Edward O. Rutland, Sr.
7967 Savannah Highway
Norway, South Carolina 29113

Dear Mr. Rutland:

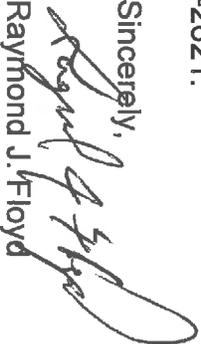
Senator Lindsey Graham asked our agency to respond to your concerns about Medicaid eligibility and other needs.

We are pleased to inform you that your application for Medicaid coverage under the Aged, Blind or Disabled program was approved effective April 1, 2008. Your Medicaid card will be mailed to you and may be used immediately for Medicaid covered services.

The Food Stamp program is administered by the Department of Social Services. In an attempt to be helpful, we have forwarded your question about your Food Stamp application to the Orangeburg County Department of Social Services. We have also enclosed information on other programs and organizations to assist residents in South Carolina with their daily living needs. You may also contact the Lieutenant Governor's Office on Aging at 1-800-868-9095 to learn more about their programs.

We hope this information proves helpful to you, and if you have other questions about Medicaid please call Bob Liming at 803-898-2621.

Sincerely,


Raymond J. Floyd
Deputy Director

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