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### **McMaster Begins Planning for Transition**

**Columbia, South Carolina** - Governor Haley and Lieutenant Governor McMaster met last week in preparation for a smooth transition upon Governor Haley's appointment as Ambassador to the United Nations, expected in early 2017.

Lieutenant Governor McMaster has asked Columbia businessmen Ed McMullen and Bill Stern to assist him in planning. Both men are leaders in President-Elect Donald Trump's campaign.

Mr. McMullen has a 30-year background in public policy and public affairs. Mr. Stern is a commercial developer in the southeast, and serves as Chairman Emeritus of the South Carolina Ports Authority.

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