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Swati Patel  
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Ms. Patel:

The following request is made under the S.C. Freedom of Information Act.

Please provide me with copies of all emails and any other form of written correspondence to or from Gov. Haley regarding the proposed Medicaid expansion in South Carolina under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act. My request covers the time period from Jan. 1, 2013, through the present date.

I would like to request a waiver of any fees for this request. Disclosure of the requested information is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations and activities of state government.

However, if there is any anticipated cost, please provide an estimate prior to providing the requested records; and please provide the methodology used to determine the anticipated fees.

Thank you very much for your prompt attention to this matter. If you have any questions, I can be reached at my office at (803) 254-4411, cell at (803) 394-8273, or email at [rick@thenerve.org](mailto:rick@thenerve.org).

Sincerely,



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