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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
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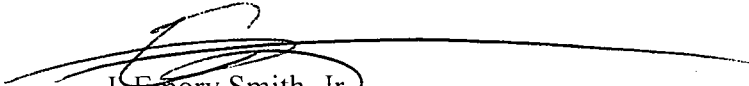
Re: S. C. Public Interest Foundation v. The S. C. House of Representatives, et al
Appellate Case No. 2017-001638
Response to Supplemental Brief of Speaker and House

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The State of South Carolina concurs in the arguments in the Supplemental Brief of Respondents House of Representatives and Speaker Lucas.

I am enclosing the original and 14 copies of this letter.

Respectfully submitted,


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