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## MEETING MINUTES

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Monday, December 11, 2023  
10:00 a.m. Blatt Room 110

### Archived Video Available

- I. Pursuant to House Legislative Oversight Committee Rule 6.7, South Carolina ETV was allowed access for streaming the meeting. You may access an archived video of this meeting by visiting the South Carolina General Assembly’s website (<http://www.scstatehouse.gov>) and clicking on Committee Postings and Reports, then under House Standing Committees click on Legislative Oversight. Then, click on Video Archives for a listing of archived videos for the Committee.

### Attendance

- I. The Education and Cultural Subcommittee meeting was called to order by Chair Timothy McGinnis on Monday, December 11, 2023, in Room 110 of the Blatt Building. All subcommittee members (Chair McGinnis; Representative John R. McCravy, III; Representative Josiah Magnuson; Representative Adam Morgan, and Representative Wendell Jones) were present for all or a portion of the meeting.

### Minutes

- I. House Rule 4.5 requires standing committees to prepare and make available to the public the minutes of committee meetings, but the minutes do not have to be verbatim accounts of meetings.

## Approval of Minutes

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- I. Representative Magnuson made a motion to approve the meeting minutes from prior meeting. A roll call vote was held, and the motion passed.

<b>Rep. Magnuson motion to approve meeting minutes.</b>	Yea	Nay	Not Voting
Rep. Jones	✓		
Rep. Magnuson	✓		
Rep. McCravy			✓
Rep. McGinnis	✓		
Rep. Morgan	✓		

### Discussion of State Library

- I. Chair McGinnis called the meeting to order. Committee members introduced themselves and identified their respective districts.
- II. State Inspector General Brian Lamkin presented his Program Performance and Management Review: SC Commission on Higher Education report to the subcommittee.
- Chairman Jeffrey E. “Jeff” Johnson and Subcommittee Chair Tim McGinnis requested the inspector general conduct a management review of the CHE.
  - State Inspector General Brian Lamkin presented his report’s findings and recommendations. The report included 23 findings and 16 recommendations.
  - State Inspector General Brian Lamkin answered member questions regarding his report.
- III. Dr. Rusty Monhollon, President and Executive Director of the CHE, gave a rebuttal to the findings and recommendations presented in the state inspector general’s report.
- Dr. Monhollon’s rebuttal identified specific issues with findings and recommendation issued in the report.

- Dr. Monhollon answered members' questions regarding the Program Performance and Management Review: SC Commission on Higher Education report released by State Inspector General Brian Lamkin.

IV. Wes Hayes, Chairman of the Commission on Higher Education, gave a rebuttal to the findings and recommendations presented in the state inspector general's report.

- Chairman Hayes stated his support for Dr. Monhollon and lauded his leadership of the agency.
- Chairman Hayes answered members' questions regarding the Program Performance and Management Review: SC Commission on Higher Education report released by State Inspector General Brian Lamkin.
- **Adjournment**

I. There being no further business, the meeting is adjourned.