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The Honorable Tom Young, Jr., Chair  
Special Study Committee on the Department of Juvenile Justice  
608 Gressette Building  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

HAND-DELIVERED

Dear Chairman Young:

As you are aware, the House Legislative Oversight Committee is midway in its process of conducting an oversight study of the Department of Juvenile Justice pursuant to S.C. Code Section 2-2-5, et. seq. It is my understanding you are now the chairman of a Senate Special Study Committee on the Department of Juvenile Justice. In consultation with the Speaker, I respectfully propose joint meetings/hearings of the two committees for the purpose of obtaining information from the agency in an efficient manner.

We look forward to the opportunity to work together in this manner. If this proposal is amenable, please let me know so that we may proceed to address any necessary administrative issues. Thank you and your fellow committee members for your dedication to the important issues facing the people of this State.

Sincerely,

Signature  
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Wm. Weston J. Newton  
Committee Chair

cc: The Honorable Jay Lucas, Speaker of the House of Representatives  
Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Subcommittee Members