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To: The Custodian of Records and/or the Freedom of Information Officer for the Beaufort County School District

RE: **Freedom of Information Act Request**

Dear Sir/Madam or Custodian of Records:

Under the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act, §30-4-10, et seq., I am requesting an opportunity to inspect and/or obtain copies*of public records, including, but not limited to, emails, correspondence, documents, text messages, and any other materials pertaining to the following:

1.The hiring of Superintendent Frank Rodriguez, from January 2019 through May 1, 2019

2. Any/all communications, to include emails and text messages, to/from/between Dr. Herb Berg and any elected school board member(s), to include the following *email addresses, as it pertains to the subject of Dr. Frank Rodriguez and/or the hiring of Dr. Frank Rodriguez, from January 1 - May 1, 2019;

[redacted]

3. Any/all communications, to include emails and text messages to/from/between Dr. Herb Berg and Dr. Frank Rodriguez, from January 1 - May 1, 2019.

Copy of any communication from any electronic device that is transacting government business

If there are any fees for searching or copying these records, please inform me if the cost will exceed $50.00. However, I would also like to request a waiver of all fees in that the disclosure of the requested information is in the public interest.

While the statute allows for ten business days to respond this request I ask you expediate this matter since it is extremely time sensitive.
Please contact me with information about when I might expect copies or the ability to inspect the requested records.

Sincerely,
Richard Bisi