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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina

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\*1 Honorable M. Lois Eargle  
Representative  
Solomon Blatt Building  
Post Office Box 11867  
Columbia, S.C. 29211

Dear Representative Eargle:

This will reply to your question whether the Governor would appoint a temporary highway commissioner in event a new commissioner for the 15th District has not been elected when Mr. Holliday's term had expired on April 15, 1982.

[Section 57-3-220, Code of Laws of South Carolina](#) 1976, specifically provides ‘\* \* \* each district highway commissioner shall serve until his successor shall have been elected and qualified’. Therefore, the present commissioner would continue in Office until the delegation has elected a successor in the manner provided in the [Section 57-3-220](#), and has taken the oath of office and his commission is issued by the Governor.

If you have further questions, do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Frank K. Sloan  
Deputy Attorney General

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