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State of South Carolina

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208 Areawide Planning Section
South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control
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2600 Bull Street
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Dear Mr. Sansbury:

You have requested an opinion of this Office regarding the statutorily derived authority necessary for the delegation of responsibilities for management agencies outlined in Section 208 of the Federal Clean Water Act.

Twelve general questions have been posed regarding responsibilities under the Federal Clean Water Act and the statutory authority to carry out those responsibilities possessed by counties, municipalities, and special purpose districts under state law. Our responses to those questions are contained in the attached chart which categorizes pertinent statutory and constitutional provisions concerning the particular entity's authority.

Therefore, it is the opinion of this Office that the responsibilities specifically stated in Section 208 of the Federal Clean Water Act and included in the attached chart are authorized by the corresponding statutes and constitutional provisions noted thereon.

Very truly yours,

Richard P. Wilson
Assistant Attorney General

ATTACHMENT

LEGAL AUTHORITY TO CARRY OUT ASSIGNED RESPONSIBILITY

(All citations are from the 1976 South Carolina Code of Laws and the South Carolina Constitution)

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