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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina

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*1 Honorable G. Olin Richbourg
Judge of Probate
Sumter County Court House
Room 206
Sumter, S. C. 29150

Dear Judge Richbourg:

I trust you have received under separate cover the opinion of Assistant Attorney General J. C. Coleman on the effect of the eighteen year old rights amendment on the age of majority for minor estates.

In answer to the second question you posed in your letter of March 13, the amendment would not have any effect on the age of marital consent. The marriage statute would have to be amended for that age to be lowered from 18 to 16.

Sincerely,

Jim Bradford
Law Clerk

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