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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina

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Dear Mr. Collins:

You have asked for an opinion of this Office as to the legal status of the Anderson Minority Community Educational Program.

The documents which you enclosed with your letter establish that the Anderson Minority Community Educational Program is an eleemosynary corporation, chartered by the State of South Carolina. The certificate of incorporation and statement of purpose reveal no governmental authorizations, powers, capacities or functions.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Office that this program does not qualify as a political subdivision of the State or agency within the definition of 'employer' in § 61-1(5), South Carolina Code of Laws (Cum. Supp. 1974).

Sincerely,

A. Camden Lewis
Assistant Attorney General

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