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Office of the Attorney General

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*1 Mr. John S. Edwards
Chairman
Edgefield County Election Commission
Edgefield, SC 29824

Dear Mr. Edwards:

Mr. Ellisor has referred your letter concerning the responsibility of the Edgefield County Election Commission in conducting a special election for school trustees in Edgefield County to our office. Act No. 1018 of the 1968 Acts and Joint Resolutions relates to the election for school trustees in Edgefield County and states at Section 2 that candidates will notify the county council of their intention to be a candidate, that the council shall publish the names of the candidates and certify the winning candidate. The Act does not make provisions for anyone other than the Election Commission to conduct the election. Therefore, it is my opinion that the Election Commission has the responsibility for conducting elections for school trustees in Edgefield County.

Very truly yours,

Treva G. Ashworth
Assistant Attorney General

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