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\*1 Mr. Wesley O. Brustad  
Executive Director  
South Carolina Arts Commission  
1001 Main Street  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Dear Mr. Brustad:

Thank you for your letter of May 29 inquiring whether an individual who is a member of the Charleston County School Board may also serve as a member of the South Carolina Arts Commission.

It is my opinion that each of these positions constitutes an office within the meaning of the dual officeholding provision of the Constitution of this State and that the same individual may not therefore hold both offices at the same time. Each of these positions is created by statute, provides for the exercise of a portion of the sovereignty, and has all the attributes of an office.

With best wishes,  
Very truly yours,

Daniel R. McLeod  
Attorney General

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