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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina

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\*1 Honorable C. Alexander Harvin, III  
Representative  
District No. 66  
515B Blatt Building  
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Dear Representative Harvin:

You have requested an opinion as to whether the county or State executive committee has the authority to set the date for a political party's county convention.

South Carolina Code of Laws, 1976, as amended, Section 7-9-70 provides in part that [e]very general election year county conventions shall be held on a day from March first to March thirty-first to be determined by the county executive committee. A notice shall be published by the committee . . .

Therefore, the Code provides that the date for the county convention will be determined by each county executive committee.

Sincerely,

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Senior Assistant Attorney General

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