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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina

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*1 The Honorable Irene K. Rudnick
Member
House of Representatives
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Aiken, South Carolina 29801

Dear Irene:

Thank you for your letter of April 27, 1977, concerning the validity of varying rates of automobile liability insurance premiums paid by males and females to ages 24.

This Office has prepared an opinion directed to a Member of the House of Representatives reciting that such variation appears to be justified by statistics obtained from the South Carolina State Highway Department. Whether the variation falls within the proportionate ranges of accidents incurred by each sex is a problem to which we have not addressed ourselves, as this is an actuarial matter.

If there is any question concerning this, please call upon me. The delay in answering your letter is due to the fact that Mr. Riggs's opinion was at the time in the course of preparation.

Very truly yours,

Daniel R. McLeod
Attorney General

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