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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina

May 3, 1976

\*1 The Honorable James B. Edwards  
Governor  
Columbia, South Carolina

Dear Governor Edwards:

Mr. Poliakoff of this Office prepared an opinion in answer to your request concerning your authority to withdraw the veto of a bill after the expiration of the five-day constitutional period but before the General Assembly had acted upon the veto.

The letter of Mr. Poliakoff was read to me over the telephone and I directed that it be sent to you immediately because I am in concurrence with the views expressed in it.

In my opinion, no withdrawal of a veto can be made after the expiration of the constitutional five-day limit.

Very truly yours,

Daniel R. McLeod  
Attorney General

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