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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina

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*1 Honorable Billy L. Eaddy
Member
House of Representatives
314-C Blatt Building
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Dear Representative Eaddy:

In response to your request for an opinion from this Office regarding the provision of Act No. 283 of 1975, the 'home rule' legislation, requiring the county council to provide office space and sufficient appropriations to operate a legislative delegation office, I am enclosing a copy of a recent opinion directed to another Representative from Florence County. While the 'home rule' legislation requires that the legislative delegation be provided an office, it does not require that more than one office be provided. If the Florence County Council is amenable to providing a part-time office in each of two locations in such a way that the total appropriations would not be greater than the amount needed to provide one full-time office, I think that that arrangement would be authorized under the requirements of the statute.

With Kind regards,

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Senior Assistant Attorney General

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