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Dear Mr. Uzzell:

In response to your request for an opinion from this Office concerning the method of appointment of the members of the Beaufort Memorial Hospital Board of Regents, my opinion is that they are presently to be appointed 'by a majority of the county legislative delegation, including the Senator' pursuant to Section 1 of Act No. 1197 of 1966. 54 STAT. 2976 (1966). After January 1, 1980, the Beaufort County Council will be authorized to provide for the appointment of its members pursuant to [Section 4-9-170, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA](#), 1976, as amended, inasmuch as the statutory method of appointment is provided by special rather than general law.

With kind regards,

Karen LeCraft Henderson
Senior Assistant Attorney General

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