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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina February 3, 1975

*1 Re: Retirement No. 690

Honorable James P. Harrelson Senator District No. 15 Drawer 732 Walterboro, South Carolina 29488

Dear Senator Harrelson:

Unfortunately under the Retirement Act there is no administrative procedure whereby a different option may be selected after payment on an account due.

The Retirement System's hands are tied and I see no administrative procedure which would allow them to make any changes in the account of G. W. Fennell.

This opinion, of course, does not preclude court action. I am very sorry and understand the difficulty of the situation, but feel that the Retirement System is bound by the statutory law of South Carolina not to make any changes in the method of payment.

Sincerely,

A. Camden Lewis Assistant Attorney General

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