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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina April 23, 1975

\*1 The Honorable M. E. McDonald State Senator Route 2, Box 9 Iva, South Carolina 29655

## Dear Senator McDonald:

You have requested my opinion as to whether a city councilman may also serve as a member of a county fire commission at the same time without violating the dual officeholding provision of the Constitution.

It is my opinion that each of these positions constitutes an office under the Constitution of this State and that both positions may not be occupied at the same time without offending the dual officeholding provision of the Constitution. A previous opinion of this Office dated May 9, 1972, covered this precise issue and I am enclosing herewith a copy of that opinion.

With best wishes, Very truly yours,

Daniel R. McLeod Attorney General

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