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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina

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*1 Ms. Nelle G. Power
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County of Greenville
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Greenville, S.C. 29601

Dear Ms. Power:

We are in receipt of your letter of May 30, 1975, in which you requested a list of the crimes which would disqualify a person from registering to vote. South Carolina Code of Laws, 1962, as amended, Section 23-62.5(b) establishes the following as disqualifying crimes:

Persons convicted of burglary, arson, obtaining goods or money under false pretenses, perjury, forgery, robbery, bribery, adultery, bigamy, wife-beating, housebreaking, receiving stolen goods, breach of trust with fraudulent intent, fornication, sodomy, incest, assault with intent to ravish, larceny, murder, rape or crimes against the election laws shall be disqualified from being registered or voting, unless such disqualification shall have been removed by pardon.

Very truly yours,

Treva G. Ashworth
Assistant Attorney General

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