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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina

October 31, 1975

**\*1 Re: Accumulation of annual or sick leave for temporary State employees.**

Honorable Thomas S. Linton  
Code Commissioner and Director of the Legislative Council of the General Assembly  
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Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Dear Mr. Linton:

Attorney General McLeod has referred your letter of October 2, 1975, to me for reply. I apologize for the delay in getting an answer to you.

You have asked whether temporary State employees accumulate any annual or sick leave. I direct your attention to § 1-42.2, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1962, as amended, regarding sick leave; § 1-91.8-1-91.15, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1962, as amended, regarding annual leave for State employees; to the Sick Leave Guidelines approved by the State Budget and Control Board regarding the 1974 Sick Leave Act for State employees; and to Annual Leave Guidelines as revised by the State Budget and Control Board on June 19, 1973. Each of these statutes and guidelines state that eligibility for annual and sick leave shall be granted to and accrued by permanent State employees. None of the above-mentioned provisions include temporary State employees in their eligibility sections.

Any questions concerning the implementation of sick leave or annual leave should be referred to the Employee Relations Unit of the State Personnel Division.

With kindest regards.

Very truly yours,

Stephen T. Savitz  
Assistant Attorney General

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