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**\*1 Re: Hospitals, Chiropractors**

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Dear Mr. Callison:

Attorney General McLeod brought to my attention your letter of November 1, 1974, in which you set forth your opinion that chiropractors are not qualified for staff privileges in governmental or non-government hospitals.

As you are aware, this Office has previously advised that a duly licensed chiropractor is entitled to the use of public hospital facilities for the practice of his profession on the same basis as is a physician in the orthodox fields of medicine. 1967 Ops. Atty. Gen. \$2309, pg. 129. Please take note that the term 'public Hospital' has reference to those hospitals, etc., which are established under or are subject to Title 32, Chapter 3, Article 3, Code of Laws of South Carolina (1962).

Please be assured that your letter will be kept in the appropriate files so that any member of this Office who may have occasion to study this area of the law will have the benefit of your advice. We appreciate your assistance.

Very truly yours,

Wade S. Kolb, Jr.  
Staff Attorney

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