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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina November 26, 1974

*1 Re: The Donalds-Due West Water and Sewer Authority

Honorable Purvis W. Collins Director S. C. Retirement System P. O. Box 11660 Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Dear Mr. Collins:

You have asked for an opinion from this Office as to the legal status of the above Authority.

The Authority was created by Act No. 1675 of 1972, by the General Assembly. Its members are appointed by the Governor. Its function is to operate and maintain, improve and extend facilities which will supply fresh water to the area provided in Act No. 1675.

On the basis of the foregoing, it is the opinion of this Office that the Donalds-Due West Water and Sewer Authority is a political subdivision of the State and an employer within the meaning of Code Section 61-1(5).

Sincerely,

A. Camden Lewis Assistant Attorney General

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