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Office of the Attorney General

State of South Carolina

December 16, 1974

***1 Re: Charleston County Sheriff's Dept.**

Mr. Purvis W. Collins
Director
S. C. Retirement System
P. O. Box 11960
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Dear Mr. Collins:

You have asked for an opinion from this Office as to whether or not the Deputy Sheriffs of Charleston County are eligible to participate in the South Carolina Police Officers Retirement System.

There can be little doubt that the Deputy Sheriffs of any county, to include Charleston County, would fully meet the qualifications of Code Section 61-331(6). Your attention is directed to South Carolina Code Section 53-51, et seq. (1962, Supp. 1973).

Sincerely,

A. Camden Lewis
Assistant Attorney General

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