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School Trustee
Fairforest, S. C.

Senator Paul Moore has requested that I write you with respect to the disposition of abandoned school buildings by school trustees.

Act No. 970 was enacted at the 1972 session of the General Assembly and authorizes the trustees of a school district to convey any school building within the district which is no longer needed for school purposes upon compliance with the provisions of Section 21–238.

Section 21–238 authorizes the sale or lease of school property by the trustees when they deem it expedient to do so and they are required to apply the proceeds of the sale or lease to the school fund of the district. If a county has a county board of education, the consent of that body must be obtained, but if the county does not have a board of education, the consent of the governing body of the county must first be obtained.

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