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Office of the Attorney General

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\*1 Herman E. Cain Superintendent Edgefield County Schools Edgefield, South Carolina

Dear Mr. Cain:

You have requested that this Office advise you as to whether a public school teacher may be a trustee of the school board in an adjoining school district. I refer you to Act No. R311, H1745, approved May 1, 1973, which amends Section 21-240 and making it read, 'it shall be unlawful for a school trustee to receive pay as a teacher of a free public school that is located in the same county as is the school district in which such person is a trustee.' This apparently authorizes teachers to be trustees in counties other than the one in which they receive pay. I apologize for the delay in answering your inquiry; however, I was waiting for these statutes to be published.

Very truly yours,

Timothy G. Quinn Senior Assistant Attorney General

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