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Director Freddie Pough  
South Carolina Department of Juvenile Justice  
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Dear Director Pough:

While the House Legislative Oversight Committee issued its study of the Department of Juvenile Justice a year ago, the Committee has requested regular reports from the agency. Accordingly, the agency has provided the Committee with monthly reports that provide a statistical overview of the safety of juveniles and agency employees. These monthly reports are posted online for the public to view in furtherance of the Committee's mission to inform the public about state agencies.

While there is no longer an expectation that the agency provide the Committee with these monthly reports, the agency may desire to continue publication of these reports as another step towards government transparency. Thank you for the agency's continued partnership in the legislative oversight process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Wm. Weston J. Newton".

Wm. Weston J. Newton

Enclosure

cc: House Legislative Oversight Committee Members  
The Honorable Jay Lucas, Speaker of the South Carolina House  
Senate Special Subcommittee to Study the Department of Juvenile Justice  
The Honorable Henry McMaster, Governor of South Carolina