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PAGE 2: About Agencies Scheduled for Study in 2015

Q1: Please share any comments, suggestions or concerns you may have about these agencies. Please note your responses may be included verbatim in a Committee report, which may be posted online.

State Treasurer

The Treasurer of SC invests the state's resources and handles something over \$40 billion in tax payer resources per year. Clearly, this is no sleepy bookkeeper job. It requires expertise, education, experience and background. If this is going to remain an elected position, the current incumbent is proving every day that a set of minimum qualifications should be required before one can run for the Treasurer's Office. Mr. Loftis has screwed up the Bank of New York settlement, lost retirees millions of dollars and continues to mismanage the state's funds. His claim to transparency is a joke. He has an unwritten policy that, if a request for information comes in that is not reflected in some routine periodic report, then the response is that that information is not reported or collected and is thus not available. This is an abrogation of the spirit of the Freedom of Information Act. Clearly, Mr. Loftis does not have the background for this job. To insure this won't happen again, please suggest legislation that insures our next elected Treasurer is actually qualified to do the job. This is a disaster which is not just waiting to happen, it is happening.

PAGE 3: There are three questions seeking general information.

Q2: What is your age?

65-74 years old

Q3: Which best describes your current role?

Former State employee

Q4: In which county do you live?

Charleston