



Senate Finance
Special Subcommittee on
S. 298 the Higher Education Opportunity Act

Wednesday, January 30, 2019
10:00 a.m.
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Members:

Senator Peeler, *-Co-Chairman*
Senator Sheheen, *Co-Chairman*
Senator Jackson
Senator Williams
Senator Scott
Senator Hembree

- I. Call to Order**
 - Senator Harvey S. Peeler, Jr. – *Co-Chairman*
- II. Overview of the Higher Education Opportunity Act**
 - Senator Vincent A. Sheheen - *Co-Chairman*
- III. Commission on Higher Education**
 - Mike LeFever - *Interim Executive Director*
- IV. Research University Perspective**
 - Ed Walton - *Executive Vice-President/Chief Operating Officer, University of South Carolina*
 - Taylor Wright - *USC Student Body President*
- V. Comprehensive University Perspective**
 - President David A. DeCenzo - *Coastal Carolina University*
- VI. State Board for Technical and Comprehensive Education**
 - Dr. Tim Hardy - *Tech System President*
- VII. South Carolina Independent Colleges and Universities, Inc.**
 - Jeff Perez - *President and CEO*