MINUTES OF THE STANDARDS, LEARNING, AND ACCOUNTABILITY MEETING
Tuesday, October 6, 2026-10:51 a.m.
849 Learning Lane
West Columbia, SC 29172

SLA Committee Members in Attendance:

Jacqueline Lynn, Committee Chair
Dr. Christian Hanley Jr., 9th Judicial Circuit
Dr. Ginger Catoe, 5th Judicial Circuit
Joey Haney–16th Judicial Circuit

Also in Attendance:

Dr. David Mathis, SBE Chair
Dr. Joette C. Johnson, 7th Judicial Circuit
Richard Harrington, 12th Judicial Circuit
Cliff Warren, 14th Judicial Circuit
Honorable Rita Allison, Governor's Appointee
Joyce Crimminger, Chair-Elect
David Trent, 8th Judicial Circuit
Cheryl Collier, 13th Judicial Circuit
Ken Richardson, 15th Judicial Circuit

I. **WELCOME AND DETERMINATION OF A QUORUM:** The meeting was called to order at 10:51 a.m. by Committee Chair Lynn.

II. **RECOGNITION OF VISITORS AND NEWS MEDIA:** Chair Lynn welcomed everyone in attendance. There were no news media in attendance.

III. **APPROVAL OF COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR SEPTEMBER 1, 2026:** The minutes for September 1, 2026, was approved by unanimous consent.

IV. **APPROVAL OF COMMITTEE AGENDA FOR OCTOBER 6, 2026:** The agenda for the October 6, 2026, meeting was approved by unanimous consent.

V. **PUBLIC COMMENT:** There wasn't anyone present for public comment.

VI. **COMMITTEE ITEMS:** The following items were heard and approved by the Committee.

FOR APPROVAL

1. Florence One Schools' Requests an S.C. Code Ann. §59-19-350 Schools of Innovation Waiver—Jewell Stanley, Director, Office of Federal and State Accountability, Division of College, Career, and Military Readiness

Board member Dr. Hanley made a motion to approve this item. Board member Dr. Catoe seconded the motion. The motion carried.

FOR INFORMATION
No items

VII. CONSENT AGENDA: Board member Dr. Hanley made a motion to approve the Consent agenda. Board member Dr. Catoe seconded the motion. The motion carries.

VIII. OTHER BUSINESS: There was no other business discussed.

IX. ADJOURNMENT: Board member Joey Haney moved to adjourn. Board member Dr. Hanley seconded. Motion was unanimously approved; meeting adjourned at 11:02 a.m.