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*By E-mail and first class mail*

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Re: ***South Carolina v. North Carolina, No. 138, Original; North Carolina's Progress Report No. 4.***

Dear Special Master Myles:

North Carolina respectfully submits its Progress Report No. 4 in advance of the telephone conference call scheduled for May 23, 2008. North Carolina is pleased to report that South Carolina and North Carolina have continued to confer about a proposed Case Management Plan and are close to being able to submit a proposal that incorporates all elements on which the States agree. There remain a few matters about which there is fundamental disagreement. North Carolina anticipates that it may be possible to narrow the disagreements somewhat more after your rulings on the motions that were argued at the hearing in Richmond.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James C. Gulick". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

James C. Gulick  
Senior Deputy Attorney General

cc: All Counsel of Record