WHEREAS, the arts enrich the quality of life in South Carolina by providing diverse disciplines of study, practice, pursuit and pleasure; and

WHEREAS, artistic skills can be preserved, cultivated and enhanced by the maintenance and improvement of an organized program of arts education; and

WHEREAS, the youth of the present will become the artists, performers, professors, teachers and arts administrators of the future.

NOW, THEREFORE, in order to establish a more fertile environment throughout South Carolina for the advancement and intensive training of young artists, I do hereby establish the Board of Directors of the Governor's School for the Arts (hereinafter called the "Board").

The Board shall consist of 17 members named by the Governor. The appointees shall include 7 Members from the State at-large for terms of three years; 1 Member from each Congressional District for a term of three years; 2 Governor's Designees; and 2 Ex-Officio members. The Chief Executive Officer of Furman University, and the Superintendent of the School District of Greenville County shall serve ex-officio. The Governor shall designate as Chairman one of the at-large members who shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor.
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The Board shall review and make recommendations to the Governor's School for the Arts and the Governor's Office on budgetary matters affecting the Governor's School prior to the release of state funds for the school. The Board shall provide direction to the Governor's School for the Arts on matters of major importance to its success. The Board shall develop and implement an on-going funding program to secure contributions from the private sector for the advancement of the goals, objectives and operations of the Governor's School for the Arts. The Board shall periodically review and report to the Governor on the progress and success of the Governor’s School for the Arts.

General staff support for the Board of Directors of the Governor's School for the Arts shall be provided by the Greenville County School District. The staff of the Governor’s Office and other agencies may be utilized by the Board at appropriate times.


CARROLL A. CAMPBELL, JR.
Governor

ATTEST:

JOHN T. CAMPBELL
Secretary of State