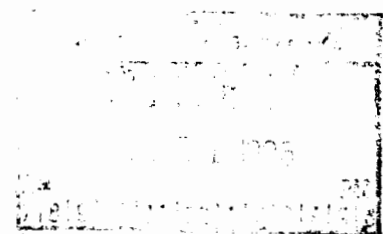


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WHEREAS, I have called for a hearing to be held pursuant to §1-3-240 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976 (the "Code") to consider the removal of Mary C. Corpening from her position as Clerk of Court for Jasper County;

WHEREAS, §1-3-240 of the Code does not establish or require a specific procedure pursuant to which the hearing must be conducted and does not require that I personally preside at the hearing;

WHEREAS, I desire to appoint a hearing officer to preside at the hearing for the purposes of fact finding and making recommendations to me; and


WHEREAS, as Governor, I will render a final decision on the question of Ms. Corpening's removal based on my independent evaluation of all the evidence presented at the hearing.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power conferred upon me by the Constitution and laws of the State of South Carolina, I

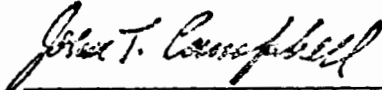
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hereby designate Jody Greenstone to preside as hearing officer in the hearing which will be held pursuant to §1-3-240 of the Code to consider the removal of Mary C. Corpening from her position as Clerk of Court for Jasper County. Ms. Greenstone's role will be limited to fact finding and the making of recommendations to me.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE
GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF
SOUTH CAROLINA, THIS 20th
DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1986.


RICHARD W. RILEY
Governor

ATTEST:


JOHN T. CAMPBELL
Secretary of State