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MEETING OF THE SC COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION

1122 Lady St., Suite 400, Columbia, SC 29201 AND VIA Zoom Webinar

12:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 7, 2025

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1.	Introductions & Roll Call to Establish Quorum	Laura Belcher
2.	Approval of Minutes	Wes Hayes
	A. <u>June 5, 2025</u>	
3.	Chair's Report	Wes Hayes
4.	President & Executive Director's Report	Jeff Perez
5.	Committee Reports	
5.01	Report of the Executive Committee	Wes Hayes
	A. <u>Proposed 2025 CHE Bylaw Revisions</u> (For Action)	
5.02	Report of the Committee on Academic Affairs & Licensing	Edgar Dyer

CONSENT AGENDA

- A. Scholarship Enhancement Eligibility Review (SEER) Policy Update
- B. New Program Proposals
 - 1. Winthrop University, B.S., Aviation and Business Management
 - 2. <u>Clemson University, B.S., Science Teaching with Chemistry concentration</u>
 - 3. <u>Clemson University, B.S., Science Teaching with Physics concentration</u>
 - 4. Clemson University, M.S., Finance
 - 5. Winthrop University, Master of Business Administration
 - 6. College of Charleston, B.S./A.B., Entrepreneurship
- C. New Center Proposal
 - 1. <u>University of South Carolina Columbia, Center for American Civic</u> Leadership and Public Discourse

5.03 Report of the Committee on Student Services

Jenni Bryson

- A. Scholarship Appeals Cycle 2024-25 Overview (For information, no action)
- B. College Application Month 2024-25 Overview (For information, no action)
- C. <u>Tucker Hipps Transparency Act Fall 2024</u> (For information, no action)

5.04 Report of the Committee on Finance and Administration

Paul Batson

- A. Quarter 4 Budget Report (For information, no action)
- B. FY 25 Year End Cash Balances Review (For information, no action)
- C. FY 27 Personnel Budget Request (For information, no action)
- D. <u>Proviso 117.21, Organizations Receiving State Appropriations Report</u> (For information, no action)
- E. FY 27 IT Plans (For information, no action)

5.05 Report of the Committee on Strategic Planning and Accountability

Doug Snyder

- A. Mission, Values and Initiatives of the Strategic Plan 2030 (For Action)
- B. Suggested CHE Related Statute Repeals and Minor Adjustments (For Action)
- C. Accountability (For information, no action)
- D. <u>External Studies Update</u> (For information, no action)
- 6. Other Business Wes Hayes
- 7. Executive Session (If needed)
- 8. End of Business Meeting

Wes Hayes

Committee & Other Meetings:

Committee on Finance and Administration

Wednesday, August 6

11:00 a.m.

CHE Main Conference Room and via Zoom

Committee on Student Services

Wednesday, August 6

12:00 p.m.

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