Ms. Pyatt echoed Mr. Moody's remarks regarding Ms. Buzhardt. She further stated it has been a pleasure for her to work with Ms. Buzhardt.

Ms. Pyatt introduced Ms. Jackie Carter. She indicated Ms. Carter has transferred from the agency's Health Related Professions. She noted Ms. Carter would be the primary person for handling the auctioneer licenses and would be working as an Administrative Assistant to her in other areas.

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possible hearing before the Administrative Law Judge was been set for 1:30 p.m., Thursday, December 14, 2000. All comments regarding the proposed regulations must be received by 5:00 p.m., November 27, 2000. She asked that some of the commission members be available to attend the hearing should a one be held. She noted staff would not be able to inform the commission if there will not be a hearing until after November 27th.

Mr. Ivan Broadwell, Legislative Chairman, SC Auctioneers' Association, there are a couple problems developing within the state. He went on to say one of the problems deals with sales tax on charities. He presented the members with a letter he prepared to the South Carolina Department of Revenue (attached) on behalf of the South Carolina Auctioneers'

Mr. Shaw moved to endorse the South Carolina Auction Association on the matter of the ruling by the Department of Revenue. Ms. Frierson seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

A discussion ensued regarding the municipalities taxing the auctioneers. During the