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Oscar Douglas named Director of General Counsel Investigations

Charleston, SC – Charleston County School District is proud to announce that Oscar Douglas has been named the Director of General Counsel Investigations.

Douglas has served the District as Deputy Director of Security & Emergency Management for the past two and a half years. Douglas is a native Charlestonian, where he began a 10-year law enforcement career as both a state agent and an investigator with the Charleston Police Department Special Operations Division. In 2000, he embarked upon a career in private security as a small business owner, a Department of State contractor in Iraq, and a tenured adjunct professor in the field of Criminal Justice. Douglas has served in leadership roles on several boards and commissions dedicated to diversity and inclusion, and currently chairs the State Juvenile Parole Board.

Douglas holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science (with concentration in Law & Criminal Justice) from The Citadel. He also holds a Master of Arts degree in Intelligence and Security Studies and a Graduate Certificate in Homeland Security from The Citadel.

"Oscar Douglas is a seasoned investigator with a wide variety of experiences," said Natalie Ham, Chief Counsel of the District. "He will be an incredible asset to the Office of Legal Counsel."

For more information, contact the Office of Strategy and Communications at (843) 937-6303.

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About the Charleston County School District

Charleston County School District (CCSD), a nationally-accredited school district, is the second largest school system in South Carolina representing a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools spanning 1,300 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves more than 50,000 students in 87 schools and specialized programs. With approximately 6,100 employees district-wide, CCSD is the fourth largest employer in the region.

CCSD offers a diverse, expanding portfolio of options and specialized programs, delivered through neighborhood, charter, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), and Montessori schools, and is divided into three Learning Communities. Options include specialized programs in science, engineering and mathematics; liberal arts; music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; and military and other public service enterprises.