SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5 OF SPARTANBURG COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA

A RESOLUTION

AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF NOT EXCEEDING \$3,670,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, IN ONE OR MORE SERIES, WITH APPROPRIATE SERIES DESIGNATIONS, INCLUDING A TAX-EXEMPT SERIES AND A TAXABLE SERIES OF SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5 OF SPARTANBURG COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA; AUTHORIZING THE SOUTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS TO FACILITATE THE SALE OF THE BONDS UNDER ITS GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT PROGRAM; PRESCRIBING THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE BONDS MAY BE ISSUED; AUTHORIZING THE CHAIR OR VICE CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OR THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO DETERMINE CERTAIN MATTERS RELATING TO THE BONDS; PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE BONDS AND THE DISPOSITION OF THE PROCEEDS THEREOF; AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO.

Adopted: June 23, 2014

BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5 OF SPARTANBURG COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA, AS FOLLOWS:

<u>SECTION 1. Definitions</u>. Unless the context shall clearly indicate some other meaning, the terms defined in this Section shall have, for all purposes of this Resolution, the meanings hereinafter specified, with the definitions equally applicable to both the singular and plural forms and vice versa. The term:

"<u>Board</u>" shall mean the Board of Trustees of School District No. 5 of Spartanburg County, South Carolina.

"Bondholder" or the term "Holder" or any similar term shall mean the registered owner of the Bond.

"<u>Bonds</u>" shall mean the total aggregate principal amount of bonds authorized and issued pursuant to this Resolution.

"Bond Act" shall mean Title 59, Chapter 71, Article 1, and Section 11-27-50 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, as amended.

"<u>Books of Registry</u>" shall mean the registration books maintained by the Registrar in accordance with Section 6 hereof.

"County" shall mean Spartanburg County, South Carolina.

"<u>Installment Agreement</u>" shall mean the Amended and Restated Installment Purchase and Use Agreement by and between the School District and SCAGO Educational Facilities Corporation for Spartanburg School District No. 5 dated October 10, 2013.

"<u>Interest Payment Date</u>" shall mean March 2, 2015, or such other dates as the Chair of the Board or the District Superintendent determines.

"IRC" shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

"Paying Agent" shall mean Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. in Atlanta, Georgia, unless otherwise determined by the District Superintendent.

"<u>Registrar</u>" shall mean Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. in Atlanta, Georgia, unless otherwise determined by the District Superintendent.

"<u>Resolution</u>" shall mean this Resolution.

"SCAGO" shall mean the South Carolina Association of Governmental Organizations.

"<u>SCAGO Trust Agreement</u>" shall mean the Trust Agreement by and between the South Carolina Association of Governmental Organizations and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as trustee, dated as of a date to be determined by the parties thereto pursuant to which the SCAGO Certificates (hereinafter defined) will be issued.

"S.C. Code" shall mean the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, as amended.

"School District" shall mean School District No. 5 of Spartanburg County, South Carolina.

"<u>School District Representative</u>" shall mean the person or persons at the time designated to act on behalf of the School District in matters relating to the Bonds as evidenced by a written certificate furnished to SCAGO and the trustee thereunder containing the specimen signature of such person or persons and signed on behalf of the School District by the Chair or Vice Chair of the Board or the District Superintendent. Such certificate may designate an alternate or alternates each of whom shall be entitled to perform all duties of the School District Representative.

"State" shall mean the State of South Carolina.

"<u>Taxable Bonds</u>" to the extent issued, shall mean that portion or series of the Bonds authorized and issued hereunder, the interest on which is not excluded from gross income of the bondholders thereof for federal income tax purposes pursuant to the provisions of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder in effect on the date of original issuance of the Taxable Bonds.

"<u>Tax-Exempt Bonds</u>" shall mean that portion or series of the Bonds authorized and issued hereunder, the interest on which is excludable from gross income of the bondholders thereof for federal income tax purposes pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder in effect on the date of original issuance of the Tax-Exempt Bonds.

"Trustee" shall mean Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., or such other bank or trust company named by SCAGO.

SECTION 2. Findings and Determinations. The Board of the School District hereby finds and determines:

(a) The School District was created by Order of Consolidation of the Spartanburg County Board of Education dated November 24, 1951, under which all school districts of Spartanburg County were consolidated into seven districts. The School District is a duly constituted body politic and political subdivision of the State.

(b) Pursuant to the provisions of Act No. 189 (1995 Acts), each of the seven boards of trustees of the school districts within Spartanburg County were vested and allocated with total fiscal autonomy. The Spartanburg County Board of Education (the "County Board") was empowered to perform certain functions and all other powers, if any, formerly possessed by the County Board were devolved upon the seven boards of trustees of the local districts of Spartanburg County. Pursuant to Act No. 499 (1998 Acts), those remaining powers and duties of the County Board were devolved upon the Spartanburg County Education Oversight Committee, and the County Board was abolished.

(c) Article X, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, 1895, as amended (the "Constitution"), provides that after November 30, 1982, the governing body of any school district may incur general obligation debt in an amount not exceeding eight percent (8%) of the assessed value of all taxable property of such school district and upon such terms and conditions as the General Assembly may prescribe. Such Article further provides that if general obligation debt is authorized by a majority vote of the qualified electors of the school district voting in a referendum authorized by law, there shall be no conditions or restrictions limiting the incurring of such indebtedness except as specified in such Article.

(d) The Bond Act provides that the board of trustees of any school district may issue general obligation bonds of such school district for the purpose of defraying the cost of "capital improvements" (as defined therein) to any amount not exceeding the constitutional debt limitation applicable to such

school district. The Bond Act requires the county board of education wherein the school district is located, if there is such, to approve the issuance of such bonds.

(e) Section 11-27-50(2) of the Bond Act further provides that if an election be prescribed by the provisions of the Bond Act but is not required by the provisions of Article X of the Constitution, then in every such instance, no election need be held and the remaining provisions of the Bond Act shall constitute a full and complete authorization to issue bonds in accordance with such remaining provisions. Section 11-27-90 of the S.C. Code further provides that any school district of the State may issue bonds in fully registered form.

(f) The School District's Financial Advisor, Southwest Securities Inc. ("Southwest") has advised the School District that the South Carolina Association of Governmental Organizations ("SCAGO") has been formed to facilitate one or more pooled borrowing programs including a pooled general obligation debt program (the "SCAGO GO Program") for school districts in the State. Each participating school district in the SCAGO GO Program will have its general obligation debt ("GO Debt") sold together with GO Debt issued by the other participating school districts in order to achieve a lower net interest cost and lower issuance costs associated with its GO Debt. Pursuant to the terms of the SCAGO GO Program, SCAGO will cause the execution and delivery of certificates of participation evidencing undivided proportionate interests in the GO Debt of the participating school districts (the "SCAGO Certificates") pursuant to the SCAGO Trust Agreement.

(g) The School District previously has entered into the Installment Agreement with SCAGO Educational Facilities Corporation for Spartanburg School District No. 5 (the "Corporation") pursuant to which the Corporation agreed to sell the 2013 Facilities (as defined in the Installment Agreement) to the School District upon payment by the School District of Installment Payments (as defined in the Installment Agreement and including Base Payments and Additional Payments). Such Installment Payments are payable on or before the 20th day prior to each June 1 and December 1, and each payment of Installment Payments is in consideration for the conveyance of title to the School District of an undivided interest in the 2013 Facilities.

(h) The assessed value of all taxable property in the School District for tax year 2013, was not less than \$220,681,487. Eight (8%) percent of such sum is \$17,654,518. The School District currently has no outstanding general obligation debt. Thus, the School District may incur \$17,654,518 of general obligation debt within its applicable constitutional debt limitation.

(i) It is in the best interest of the School District to participate in the SCAGO GO Program and to provide for the issuance and sale of the Bonds of the School District pursuant to the aforesaid provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State in the principal amount of not to exceed \$3,670,000 for the purposes of providing funds to be applied for any one or more of the following purposes: (1) providing funds to make all or a portion of the interest portion of the Installment Payments to acquire an undivided interest in the 2013 Facilities; (2) any purposes permitted by the Bond Act; and (3) paying costs of issuance of the Bonds.

<u>SECTION 3.</u> Authorization and Details of Bonds. Pursuant to the aforesaid provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State, there is hereby authorized to be issued not exceeding \$3,670,000 general obligation bonds (the "Bonds") of the School District, in one or more series, to obtain funds for any of the purposes mentioned in Section 2(i) above, including any financial and legal fees relating thereto and other incidental costs of issuing the Bonds. The Bonds will be issued in one or more series, each with an appropriate series designation, and, if necessary, one or more of the series of the Bonds may be designated as Taxable Bonds.

The Bonds shall be issued as fully-registered Bonds; shall be dated as of the date on which the Bonds are delivered to the initial purchaser thereof or such other date as the Chair or Vice Chair of the Board or District Superintendent determines; shall be in denominations of \$1,000 or any integral multiple thereof not exceeding the principal amount of the Bonds maturing in each year unless issued as a single Bond in the entire principal amount of the issue; shall bear interest (calculated on the basis of a 360-day year comprised of twelve 30-day months) from their date payable on the Interest Payment Date at such rate as may be determined at the time of the sale thereof by the Chair or Vice Chair of the Board or the District Superintendent; and shall mature not later than March 2, 2015 in the principal amount as determined by the Chair or Vice Chair of the Board or the District Superintendent.

Both the principal of and interest on the Bonds shall be payable in any coin or currency of the United States of America which is, at the time of payment, legal tender for public and private debts. Unless otherwise determined by the Chair or Vice Chair of the Board or the District Superintendent, Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. in Atlanta, Georgia, is hereby designated as the Registrar and Paying Agent for the Bonds.

<u>SECTION 4. Redemption Provisions</u>. The Bonds shall not be subject to redemption prior to their respective maturities.

SECTION 5. Authority to Determine Certain Matters. The Chair or Vice Chair of the Board or the District Superintendent, or any one of them acting alone, is hereby authorized and empowered to: (a) determine the respective original issue date of each series of Bonds; (b) determine the respective aggregate principal amounts of the Taxable Bonds and the Tax-Exempt Bonds; (c) determine the maturity dates and principal amounts maturing on such dates; (d) determine the Interest Payment Date and principal payment date if different from that set forth herein; (e) designate a Paying Agent and Registrar for each series of Bonds; if different from that set forth herein; (f) determine the date and time of sale of each series of the Bonds; (g) receive bids on behalf of the School District and award the sale of each series of Bonds in accordance with the terms of the respective Notice of Sale for each series of Bonds; and (h) execute all other agreements, certificates and documents as may be necessary or required in connection with the issuance of each series of Bonds.

<u>SECTION 6.</u> Registration, Transfer and Exchange of Bonds. The School District shall cause the Books of Registry to be kept at the offices of the Registrar for the registration and transfer of the Bonds. Upon presentation at its office for such purpose, the Registrar shall register or transfer, or cause to be registered or transferred, on such Books of Registry, the Bonds under such reasonable regulations as the Registrar may prescribe.

The Bonds shall be transferable only upon the Books of Registry of the School District, which shall be kept for such purpose at the principal office of the Registrar, by the registered owner thereof in person or by his duly authorized attorney upon surrender thereof together with a written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Registrar duly executed by the registered owner or his duly authorized attorney. Upon the transfer of any such Bond, the Registrar on behalf of the School District shall issue in the name of the transferee a new fully-registered Bond of the same aggregate principal amount, interest rate and maturity as the surrendered Bond. Any Bond surrendered in exchange for a new registered Bond pursuant to this Section shall be canceled by the Registrar.

The School District, the Registrar and the Paying Agent may deem or treat the person in whose name any fully-registered Bond shall be registered upon the Books of Registry as the absolute owner of such Bond, whether such Bond shall be overdue or not, for the purpose of receiving payment of the principal of and interest on such Bond and for all other purposes; and all such payments so made to any such registered owner or upon his order and shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond to the

extent of the sum or sums so paid, and neither the School District nor the Registrar or the Paying Agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary. In all cases in which the privilege of transferring Bonds is exercised, the School District shall execute and the Registrar shall authenticate and deliver Bond in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution. Neither the School District nor the Registrar or the Paying Agent shall be obliged to make any such transfer of Bonds during the fifteen (15) days preceding the maturity date on such Bond.

<u>SECTION 7.</u> Form of Bonds. The Bonds shall be substantially in the form attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u> and incorporated herein by reference, subject to such changes, additions or deletions as may be approved by the Chair or Vice Chair of the Board or the District Superintendent.

<u>SECTION 8.</u> Execution and Delivery of the Bonds. The Bonds shall be executed in the name of the School District with the manual or facsimile signature of the Chair or Vice Chair of the Board attested by the manual or facsimile signature of the Secretary of the Board under the seal of the School District which shall be impressed, imprinted or reproduced thereon. The Bonds shall not be valid or become obligatory for any purpose unless there shall have been endorsed thereon a certificate of authentication. The Bonds shall bear a certificate of authentication manually executed by the Registrar in substantially the form set forth herein.

The School District Representatives are further authorized and directed to deliver the respective Bonds upon the terms and conditions provided herein and under the SCAGO GO Program, to receive or cause to be received the proceeds of the sale of the respective Bonds, to execute and deliver such certificates and other closing documents and take such other action as may be necessary or appropriate in order to effectuate the proper issuance, sale and delivery of the respective Bonds.

Each participating school district in the SCAGO GO Program will be the issuer of its respective GO Debt and undivided proportionate interests therein will be evidenced by the SCAGO Certificates executed and delivered under the SCAGO Trust Agreement. The Board approves and consents to the assignment and pledge of the Bonds under the provisions of the SCAGO Trust Agreement and approves the execution and delivery by trustee of the SCAGO Certificates upon payment of the purchase price thereof, all as contemplated by the SCAGO GO Program.

<u>SECTION 9.</u> Sale of Bonds; Form of Notice of Sale. The respective Bonds shall be sold at public sale, after advertisement of the sale in a newspaper having general circulation in the State or, as determined by the District Superintendent, upon advice of Southwest in a financial publication published in the City of New York or, in the discretion of the District Superintendent, in both publications. As authorized by Section 11-27-50(7)(b) of the S.C. Code the advertisement must appear not less than seven (7) days prior to the date set as a sale date for such sale.

The Notice of Sale shall be in substantially the form set forth as <u>Exhibit B</u>.

SECTION 10. Deposit and Use of Proceeds. Upon the purchase and delivery of the respective Bonds, the proceeds derived from the sale thereof shall be deposited with the County Treasurer in a special fund to the credit of the School District and shall be applied solely to the purposes for which the respective Bonds have been issued, including payment of costs of issuance of the Bonds. The County Treasurer may, upon the written direction of a School District Representative, approve the deposit of a portion of such proceeds into an escrow fund of the School District (the "Escrow Fund") to be established under the SCAGO Trust Agreement. Disbursements from the Escrow Fund shall be made upon the written order of a School District Representative or the County Treasurer. The portion of the proceeds of the respective Bonds on deposit in the Escrow Fund shall be applied solely to the payment of Installment Payments as described in Section 2(g) hereof. The District Superintendent is hereby authorized and

directed for and on behalf of the School District, to execute such agreements and give such directions as shall be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Resolution, including the execution and delivery of any agreements necessary for the Escrow Fund. The portion of the proceeds of the respective Bonds to be applied to costs of issuance may be paid as determined by a School District Representative. Any remaining proceeds shall be applied for the purposes set forth in Section 2(i)(2).

<u>SECTION 11.</u> Security. The full faith, credit, resources and taxing power of the School District are hereby irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal and interest on the Bonds as they respectively mature and for the creation of such sinking fund as may be necessary therefor. There shall be levied annually by the Auditor of the County and collected by the Treasurer of the County in the same manner as county taxes are levied and collected, a tax, without limit, on all taxable property in the School District sufficient to pay the principal and interest of the Bonds as they respectively mature and to create such sinking fund as may be necessary therefor.

The Auditor and Treasurer of the County shall be notified as to the delivery of and payment for the Bonds and are hereby directed to levy and collect, respectively, on all taxable property in the School District, a tax, without limit, on all taxable property in the School District sufficient to pay the principal and interest of the Bonds as they respectively mature and to create such sinking fund as may be necessary therefor.

SECTION 12. Sinking Fund; Payment of Bonds. The School District covenants that it will deposit or cause to be deposited into the applicable sinking fund, and the County Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to deposit or cause to be deposited into such sinking fund payments relating to the Bonds on or before their respective maturity date. The County Treasurer, on behalf of the School District and at the written direction of a School District Representative, shall transfer or cause to be transferred from time to time any moneys then on deposit in the sinking fund to the trustee under the SCAGO Trust Agreement.

<u>SECTION 13. Federal Tax Covenants</u>. The School District hereby covenants and agrees with the holders of the Tax-Exempt Bonds that it will not take any action which will, or fail to take any action which failure will, cause interest on the Tax-Exempt Bonds to become includable in the gross income of the bondholders thereof for federal income tax purposes pursuant to the provisions of the IRC and the regulations promulgated thereunder in effect on the date of original issuance of the Tax-Exempt Bonds and that no use of the proceeds of the Tax-Exempt Bonds shall be made which, if such use had been reasonably expected on the date of issue of the Tax-Exempt Bonds would have caused the Tax-Exempt Bonds to be an "arbitrage bond" as defined in the IRC and to that end the School District shall:

(a) comply with the applicable provisions of Section 103 and Sections 141 through 150 of the IRC so long as the Tax-Exempt Bonds are outstanding;

(b) establish such funds, make such calculations and pay such amounts, in the manner and at the times required in order to comply with the requirements of the IRC relating to required arbitrage rebate of certain amounts to the United States; and

(c) make such reports of information at the time and places required by the IRC.

The District Superintendent and the Finance Director, or either of them acting alone, are hereby authorized to adopt written procedures to ensure the School District's compliance with federal tax matters relating to the Tax-Exempt Bonds.

SECTION 14. Exemption from State Taxes. Both the principal of and interest on the Bonds shall in accordance with the provisions of Section 12-2-50 of the S.C. Code be exempt from all State, county, municipal, school district, and all other taxes or assessments, except estate or other transfer taxes, direct or indirect, general or special, whether imposed for the purpose of general revenue or otherwise.

<u>SECTION 15. Events of Default</u>. The School District agrees that each of the following events may be considered an "Event of Default" under the SCAGO Trust Agreement:

(a) If default shall be made in the due and punctual payment of principal of or any interest on the Bond, including failure to make when due a sinking fund payment under Section 12 of this Resolution; or

(b) If the School District shall default in the performance of any covenant, agreement or condition on its part to be performed under the Bonds or this Resolution other than a default in payment, and such default shall continue for a period of 30 days after written notice thereof is received by the School District.

<u>SECTION 16. Remedies</u>. The School District agrees that each of the following may be included as remedy for an "Event of Default" under the SCAGO Trust Agreement:

(a) In any case of an Event of Default, the trustee under the SCAGO Trust Agreement may take such action or actions for the enforcement of the rights of the owners as due diligence, prudence and care would require and to pursue the same with like diligence, prudence and care, including commencement of an action for mandamus or other appropriate action to require the School District to comply with the terms of this Resolution.

(b) If the School District shall fail or refuse to make any required deposit on the relevant sinking fund payment date in order to make the transfer to its applicable Sinking Fund Account, the trustee under the SCAGO Trust Agreement, shall take such action as is necessary to invoke the provisions of Section 59-71-155 of the S.C. Code regarding transfers from the State general fund to make payments on bonded indebtedness of South Carolina school districts; and upon being indemnified against cost and expense, exercise any remedy at law or in equity for the benefit of the owners of the SCAGO Certificates, and shall disburse all funds so collected to the holders of the SCAGO Certificates or assignee of the Bonds.

<u>SECTION 17. SCAGO</u>. The School District hereby authorizes SCAGO to facilitate the sale of the respective Bonds together with other GO Debt issued by other participating school districts in the SCAGO GO Program as determined by SCAGO.

SECTION 18. Acknowledgement of SCAGO Certificates; Registered Owner; Limitation of Liability. The School District, by participating in the SCAGO GO Program, recognizes the rights of the owners of the SCAGO Certificates, acting directly or through the trustee under the SCAGO Trust Agreement, to enforce the obligations and covenants contained in the Bonds and this Resolution; provided that in no event shall the School District be liable for any obligations, covenants or damages except those which arise out of the Bonds authorized by this Resolution, and, in particular, the School District shall not be liable for any obligations, liabilities, acts or omissions of SCAGO or any other participating school district in the SCAGO GO Program.

<u>SECTION 19.</u> Discharge of Resolution. If the School District shall pay or cause to be paid, or there shall otherwise be paid, to the owner or owners of a SCAGO Certificate, the total principal and interest due or to become due thereon through maturity (as determined in accordance with the Trust Agreement), in

the manner stipulated therein and in this Resolution, then the pledge of the full faith, credit and taxing power of the School District under this Resolution, and all covenants, agreements and other obligations of the School District hereunder, shall thereupon cease, terminate and become void and be discharged and satisfied with respect to the Bonds for which such payment was made.

<u>SECTION 20. Filings with Central Repository</u>. In compliance with Section 11-1-85 of the S.C. Code, the School District covenants that it will file or cause to be filed with a central repository for further availability in the secondary bond market when requested: (a) a copy of the annual audit of the School District within thirty (30) days of the School District's receipt thereof; and (b) within thirty (30) days of the occurrence thereof, relevant information of an event which, in the opinion of the School District, adversely affects more than five percent (5%) of the School District's revenue or its tax base.

<u>SECTION 21. Authorization</u>. The Chair of the Board, the Vice Chair of the Board, the Secretary of the Board, the District Superintendent and the Finance Director of the School District, are fully empowered and authorized to take such further action and to execute and deliver such additional documents and certificates as may be necessary to effect the issuance of the respective Bonds. The District Superintendent is hereby authorized to retain the McNair Law Firm, P.A., as bond counsel, and Southwest Securities Inc., as Financial Advisor, with respect to the issuance of the Bonds.

<u>SECTION 22. Repeal of Conflicting Resolutions</u>. All rules, policies, regulations, resolutions and parts thereof, procedural or otherwise, in conflict herewith or the proceedings authorizing the issuance of the Bonds are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed, and this Resolution shall take effect and be in full force from and after its adoption.

[Signature page follows]

Adopted this 23rd day of June, 2014.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5 OF SPARTANBURG COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA

Chair

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Secretary

EXHIBIT A

FORM OF BOND

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5 OF SPARTANBURG COUNTY

[TAXABLE]

GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND, SERIES ____

No. R-1

INTEREST RATE	MATURITY DATE	ORIGINAL ISSUE DATE	CUSIP

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT: \$_____

REGISTERED HOLDER: South Carolina Association of Governmental Organizations

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that the School District identified above (the "School District"), is justly indebted and, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the registered holder named above, or registered assigns, the principal amount shown above on the maturity date shown above and to pay interest on such principal sum from the date hereof at the interest rate per annum shown above until this Bond matures. Interest on this Bond is payable on the Maturity Date shown above, and each year thereafter, until this Bond matures, and shall be payable by check or draft mailed to the person in whose name this Bond is registered on the registration books of the School District maintained by the registrar, presently Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. (the "Registrar"), at the close of business on the fifteenth (15th) day of the calendar month next preceding each Payment Date. The principal and interest on this Bond are payable in any coin or currency of the United States of America which is, at the time of payment, legal tender for public and private debts; provided, however, that interest on this fully registered Bond shall be paid by check, draft or transfer of funds.

This Bond shall not be entitled to any benefit under the Resolution of the School District authorizing this Bond (the "Resolution"), nor become valid or obligatory for any purpose, until the Certificate of Authentication hereon shall have been duly executed by the Registrar.

For the payment of the principal and interest on this Bond as they respectively mature and for the creation of such sinking fund as may be necessary therefor the full faith, credit, resources and taxing power of the School District are hereby irrevocably pledged, and there shall be levied annually by the Auditor of the County in which the School District is located (the "County") and collected by the Treasurer of the County, in the same manner as county taxes are levied and collected, a tax, without limit, on all taxable property in the School District sufficient to pay the principal and interest of this Bond as they respectively mature and to create such sinking fund as may be necessary therefor.

This Bond is issued pursuant to and in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the State of South Carolina, including Article X, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, 1895, as amended; Title 59, Chapter 71, Article 1, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, as amended; Title 11, Chapter 27, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, as amended; and the Resolution.

This Bond and the series of which it is one is not subject to redemption prior to maturity.

Except for the initial assignment of this Bond to the Trustee under the SCAGO Trust Agreement (as defined in the Resolution), this Bond is transferable, only upon the books of the School District kept for that purpose at the principal office of the Registrar by the registered holder in person or by his duly authorized attorney upon surrender of this Bond together with a written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Registrar duly executed by the registered holder or his duly authorized attorney. Thereupon a new fully registered Bond of the same aggregate principal amount, interest rate, and maturity shall be issued to the transferee in exchange therefor as provided in the Resolution. The School District, the Registrar and the Paying Agent may deem and treat the person in whose name this Bond is registered as the absolute owner hereof for the purpose of receiving payment of or on account of the principal hereof and interest due hereon and for all other purposes.

Under the laws of the State of South Carolina, this Bond and the interest hereon are exempt from all State, county, municipal, school district and other taxes or assessments, except estate or other transfer taxes, direct or indirect, general or special, whether imposed for the purpose of general revenue or otherwise.

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required by the Constitution and laws of the State of South Carolina to exist, to happen and to be performed precedent to or in the issuance of this Bond exist, have happened and have been performed in regular and due time, form and manner as required by law; that the amount of this Bond, together with all other indebtedness of the School District does not exceed the applicable limitation of indebtedness under the laws of the State of South Carolina; and, that provision has been made for the levy and collection of a tax, without limit, on all taxable property in the School District sufficient to pay the principal and interest of this Bond as they respectively mature and to create such sinking fund as may be necessary therefor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the aforesaid School District, pursuant to Section 8 of the Resolution has caused this Bond to be signed with the manual/facsimile signature of the Chair of the Board of Trustees of the School District, attested by the manual/facsimile signature of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the School District and the seal of the School District impressed, imprinted or reproduced hereon.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5 OF SPARTANBURG COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA

Chair, Board of Trustees

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Secretary, Board of Trustees

REGISTRAR'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION

Date of Authentication: _____

This Bond is the bond described in the within mentioned Resolution of School District No. 5 of Spartanburg County, South Carolina.

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., as Registrar

By:

Authorized Officer

The following abbreviations, when used in the inscription on the face of this Bond, shall be construed as though they were written out in full according to applicable laws or regulations.

TEN COM - as tenants in common

TEN NET - as tenants by the entireties

JT TEN - as joint tenants with right of survivorship and not as tenants in common

UNIF GIFT MIN ACT -

Custodian (Minor) (Cust) (Minor) under Uniform Gifts to Minors Act (State)

Additional abbreviations may also be used though not in above list.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5 OF SPARTANBURG COUNTY, SOUH CAROLINA [TAXABLE] GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND, SERIES _____ (SCAGO LOAN NUMBER: ____)

Debt Service Schedule

DATE	PRINCIPAL	COUPON	INTEREST	PERIOD TOTAL

EXHIBIT B

FORM OF SUMMARY NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that each of the following school districts (the "School Districts") shall offer collectively for public sale its general obligation bonds (collectively, the "Bonds") in the amounts indicated on _____, ____, 20__.

[PRINCIPAL AMOUNTS AND NAMES OF PARTICIPATING SCHOOL DISTRICTS]

The Bonds will be collectively sold as the South Carolina Association of Governmental Organizations Certificates of Participation, Series 20____ (Evidencing Undivided Proportionate Interests in General Obligation Debt of Certain South Carolina School Districts).

Sale Date:	, 20
Sale Time:	11:00 a.m., South Carolina time
Bonds Dated:	, 20
Interest Payments:	Semiannually on March 1 and September 1 commencing
Maturity:	, and such other maturities as may be provided
Redemption Provisions:	The Bonds are not subject to redemption.
Book-Entry-Only:	The Bonds will be book-entry-only.
Legal Opinion:	McNair Law Firm, P.A., Columbia, South Carolina
Financial Advisor:	Southwest Securities Inc., Columbia, South Carolina

Proposals will be received by Southwest Securities Inc., on behalf of the South Carolina Association of Governmental Organizations and the School Districts. The Bonds will be issued in bookentry only form in the denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof. A copy of the Preliminary Offering Circular in deemed final form and the Official Terms and Conditions of Sale are available via the internet at http://officialstatements.swst.com.

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