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April 21, 1958

Rehabilitation Coordinator (8 time)	34,000
Psychiatric Social Worker (3/4 time)	5,597
Trust Department	3,200
Citizens and Southern National Bank	2,800
Box No. 510	3,720
Columbia, South Carolina	4,500
Attention Mr. J. T. Woodward, Jr., Trust Officer	2,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>56,817</b>

Gentlemen:

As indicated in my communication dated October 31, 1956, the South Carolina Mental Health Commission is currently engaged in a research project at the South Carolina State Hospital with the purpose of making an evaluation of custodial wards as compared with intensive treatment wards.

Authorization was granted by the trust department on November 15, 1956 for the expenditure of small amounts of money from the Ensor Research Fund in connection with the aforementioned project. At that time, it was set forth that in the event larger expenditures from the proceeds of the Ensor Fund were necessary another formal request would be made for them.

The purpose of this letter is to secure authorization for the expenditure of \$3,200 from the Ensor Research Fund which will be utilized as matching money in order to procure a Federal Vocational Rehabilitation Grant to further the work of the research-treatment project referred to previously.

The South Carolina State Hospital is making available \$8,000 from its operating appropriation, which, when added to the \$3,200 Ensor Funds, would make a total of \$11,200. This would constitute the State Hospital's pro rata share of a vocational rehabilitation facilities grant, which, for one year, will supply federal funds at a ratio of 7 to 3, thus making a total budget for the rehabilitation portion of the proposed project of \$37,317.

Vocational Rehabilitation Funds are already available to state agencies on a matching basis, and tentative agreements have been reached between the hospital superintendent, Dr. William S. Hall, and the Director of State Vocational Rehabilitation, Mr. P. G. Sherer. This rehabilitation project would be directed at re-training and re-motivation of patients and the follow-up of these people in "on-the-project training" and in job placements throughout the State following discharge from the hospital.

Research will be directed at determining patients' interests and aptitudes; determination of bases for successes in some cases and factors in the failure of others; in determining what facilities both inside and outside the hospital are being used, plus reasons for their being neglected, plus methods of bringing them into more effective use.

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The budget for the proposed rehabilitation portion of the Model Ward Research Project is listed below:

Personnel

	<u>Cost</u>
Rehabilitation Coordinator (1/2 time)	\$4,000
Psychiatric Social Worker (3/4 time)	5,597
Secretary	3,300
Clerk-Typist	2,800
Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor	5,720
Industrial Training Instructor (Male)	4,500
Industrial Training Instructor (Female)	4,000
Psychologist (1/2 time)	3,000
Personnel Total	\$32,917

Equipment

	<u>Cost</u>
Shop Equipment	\$3,000
Office Equipment	1,400
Equipment Total	4,400
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$37,317</b>

As a matter of information, it will be necessary that the \$3,200 be disbursed in a lump sum payment on, or shortly after, July 1, 1958.

At this time, we do not contemplate another sizeable request for additional money from the Ensor Research Fund. However, it is possible that we will continue to expend small amounts for travel, miscellaneous supplies and research literature in accordance with the authorization contained in your letter of November 15, 1956.

Please let me hear from you at your earliest convenience referable to this request.

Yours very truly,

George A. Buchanan, Jr.  
 Chairman  
 Ensor Research Foundation

WSH:RHC

CC: Dr. William S. Hall, Superintendent  
 S. C. State Hospital  
 Columbia, S. C.