

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES INVENTORY
NOMINATION FORM

Continuation Sheet

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Name Historic (Dr. John Glenn) HouseLocation West side of S.C. Hwy. 215; approximately
~~3.5 miles southeast of Jenkinsville~~

Common

Classification BuildingOwner Rawlinson E. Martin, Sr.
206 Calvert Ave.
Clinton, S.C. 29325Representation in Existing Surveys South Carolina Inventory of Historic Places, 1983

Description The Dr. John Glenn House is a two-story, weatherboarded frame, end-gabled residence with double-pile and central-hall plan with rear shed room. A two-tiered porch with pedimented gable end shelters the three central bays of the five-bay facade. The porches are supported by four paneled wooden posts and feature a plain wooden balustrade on both levels. The facade, which is symmetrical on both levels, has a central door flanked on each side by two six-over-six windows. The first-story door features a six-pane transom and four-pane sidelights; the second-story door has sidelights but no transom. The floor plan consists of a central hall with two room on either side. The front rooms have wide horizontal plank walls above paneled wainscoting.

Significance Stylistic elements of the Dr. John Glenn House suggest a ca. 1845 construction date. In that year Dr. John Glenn purchased land in the Little River area from the Thompson family.¹ The Dr. John Glenn House is significant as a very intact example of an antebellum vernacular residence in Fairfield County.

¹Book PP, p. 319, Fairfield County Deeds, South Carolina Department of Archives and History, Columbia, S.C

Acreage 4.6 acres

Verbal Boundary Description The nominated property is shown as the red line on the accompanying Fairfield County Tax Map #236, drawn at a scale of 1 inch equals 400 feet. It includes the historical building and its setting. The tax map showing this property is attached to the nomination for High Point.

UTM Reference Point 17/476818/3789420Other Information