

Demetrio Pérez, Jr., M.S., Member

SUBJECT: USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES FOR COMMERCIAL FILM PRODUCTIONS

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizes the importance of the television (TV) and film production industry to the economic well-being of South Florida. Furthermore, School Board policy has been established through School Board Rule 6Gx13- 1D-1.011, *Use of School Facilities for Commercial Film Production*, to provide standards for ensuring that commercial TV and film productions are consistent with the values promoted by Miami-Dade County Public Schools. The following recommendations are proposed to enhance the aforementioned rule :

1. Have all requests for filming approved by The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida;
2. Prohibit the use of Miami-Dade County Public Schools' emblem, stationery or official name of a real school/agency/department without authorization from the Superintendent of Schools or his designee;
3. Require all TV and film production companies to fill out the Application for Temporary Use of School Building Facilities of the Miami-Dade County Public Schools - Temporary Use Agreement;
4. Extend the current policy to include any outside organizations that request permission to film on Miami-Dade County Public Schools' property and/or to film Miami-Dade County Public Schools' employees or students.

**ACTION PROPOSED BY
MR. PÉREZ, JR., M.S.:**

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, accept the proposed recommendations regarding the current policy for Use of School Facilities for Commercial Film Production, and revise accordingly.

DP:ayw

**REPLACEMENT
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