

Office of Superintendent of Schools  
Board Meeting of June 21, 2000

June 8, 2000

Personnel Management and Services  
Nelson E. Diaz, Deputy Superintendent

**SUBJECT: SUSPENSION OF EMPLOYEE  
GERALD A. MERKERSON - TEACHER  
HIALEAH MIDDLE SCHOOL**

On June 8, 2000, the Superintendent of Schools sent the following letter to Mr. Gerald A. Merkerson:

I am exercising my responsibility as Superintendent of Schools and recommending to The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, at its scheduled meeting of June 21, 2000, that the School Board suspend you, for 30 workdays from your current position as Teacher at Hialeah Middle School, effective at the close of the workday, June 21, 2000, for misconduct in office, and violation of School Board Rule 6Gx13-~~4A-1.21~~, Responsibilities and Duties. This action is taken in accordance with Sections 230.03(2), 230.23(5)(f), 231.36(4)(c), and 447.209, Florida Statutes.

You have forfeited, in writing, your right to contest your suspension.

**RECOMMENDED:** That effective June 21, 2000, at the close of the workday, the School Board suspend Mr. Gerald A. Merkerson, Teacher at Hialeah Middle School, for 30 workdays.

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