Office of Superintendent of Schools Board Meeting of October 11, 2000

October 6, 2000

Personnel Management and Services Nelson E. Diaz, Deputy Superintendent

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO RESOLVE HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN CLAIM

Representatives from UNITEDHealthcare of Florida, Inc. and The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, participated in negotiations to resolve a disputed health insurance claim concerning dependent coverage.

A tentative agreement, subject to Board approval, has been reached resolving this claim dispute. A backup memorandum will be provided by the Board Attorney's Office under separate cover.

Administration and the Board Attorney recommend that the Board authorize the resolution of the claim as set forth in the recommendation listed below.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida authorize resolution of UNITEDHealthcare of Florida, Inc. claim #113-1040, by providing UNITEDHealthcare of Florida, Inc. reimbursement of fifty (50%) percent of claims paid for claim #113-1040, said reimbursement to come from the Board's self-insured general liability claims reimbursement fund, subject to receipt of full releases from all parties to the dispute, including UNITEDHealthcare of Florida, Inc.'s agreement to not count this claim as part of the Board's overall claims experience for rate determination purposes in the future.

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REPLACEMENT F-11