

Office of School Board Members
Board Meeting of February 14, 2001

February 6, 2001

Manty Sabatés Morse, Member

SUBJECT: EXTENSION OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS CONTRACT

Since December of 1996, Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) has experienced a series of dramatic events and challenges and has emerged stronger than ever before. A large part of this success has been due to the leadership of the Superintendent of Schools. Based on a number of accomplishments and the need to provide a smooth transition in the operation of the school system as hundreds of experienced personnel, managerial and instructional, leave the district in 2002 and 2003 under the State of Florida's Deferred Retirement Option Program (DROP), it is my intent to bring to the Board a recommendation to extend the Superintendent's contract.

Details of this Agenda Item will be submitted to the Board prior to the meeting of February 14, 2001.