

Office of School Board Members  
Board Meeting of May 16, 2001

May 3, 2001

Jacqueline V. Pepper, Member

**SUBJECT: REQUEST THAT THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, DIRECT THE SUPERINTENDENT TO DRAFT A BOARD RULE TO ALLOW INFORMAL MONTHLY DISCUSSION SESSIONS OF ALL BOARD MEMBERS FOR THE PURPOSE OF DISCUSSING POLICY ISSUES AND B BOARD ITEMS PROPOSED BY INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS AT THEIR DISCRETION. THE RULE IS TO CONTAIN PROVISIONS THAT 1) NO VOTES OF ANY TYPE SHALL BE TAKEN IN THESE INFORMAL SESSIONS, 2) THE SESSIONS ARE TO BE FACILITATED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT'S DESIGNEE, AND 3) ALL REQUIREMENTS OF THE SUNSHINE LAW ARE TO BE MET**

Additional information will be forthcoming on this item.