Education Joseph H. Mathos, Deputy Superintendent

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION FOR THE SUPERINTENDENT OR HIS DESIGNEE TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT WITH READING, MATH AND LEARNING CENTERS, INC., D/B/A ALLISON ACADEMY TO PROVIDE EDUCATIONAL AND RELATED SERVICES FOR ONE EXCEPTIONAL STUDENT, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$15,050, FROM AUGUST 23, 2001 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2002

Authorization is requested, for the Superintendent or his designee, to enter into a contractual agreement with Reading, Math and Learning Centers, Inc., d/b/a Allison Academy, North Miami Beach, Florida, to provide educational and related services to one specific learning disabled student in a day treatment program in the least restrictive environment. This is a new contractual agreement.

Funding for this contract will be provided, at least in part, by FTE generated from the Florida Education Finance Program. The proposed contract has been developed to provide services for this student, in an amount not to exceed \$15,050, to be billed at a rate of \$1,505 per month.

The appropriation for this item is included in the General Fund of the 2001-2002 Tentative Adopted Budget under Fund 0100, Function 5217, Program 6840, Object 5310, Location 9731.

The Chief Executive Officer of Reading, Math and Learning Centers, Inc., d/b/a Allison Academy is Dr. Sarah Allison.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the Superintendent or his designee to enter into a contractual agreement with Reading, Math and Learning Centers, Inc., d/b/a Allison Academy to provide educational and related services to one exceptional student, in an amount not to exceed \$15,050, from August 23, 2001 through June 30, 2002.

> The appropriation for this item is included in the General Fund of the 2001-2002 Tentative Adopted Budget.

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