

Facilities Planning and Construction  
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**SUBJECT: TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT WITH RICHARD BENZAQUEN ARCHITECT & PLANNERS, TO PERFORM ARCHITECTURAL/ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR H.D. McMILLAN MIDDLE SCHOOL PROJECT # A-0414**

The firm of Richard Benzaquen Architect & Planners was commissioned to provide architectural/engineering services for the addition, remodeling and renovation at H.D. McMillan Middle School. Presently, the project is at phase III design.

The scope of work at H.D. McMillan Middle School has substantially changed, from its original concept to reflect current needs. The new scope of work will include an approximately five hundred (500) student stations addition.

After reviewing the circumstances, both parties agreed that the Board terminate the agreement with Richard Benzaquen Architects & Planners, without cause, and issue a request for qualifications (RFQ) for architectural/engineering services, for the revised scope of work.

**RECOMMENDED:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida direct the Superintendent to:

1. terminate the agreement with Richard Benzaquen Architect & Planners, without cause, for the addition, renovation and remodeling project at H.D. McMillan Middle School;
2. provide written notification of such action to Richard Benzaquen Architect & Planners; and
3. issue a request for qualifications (RFQ) for architectural/engineering services for the revised scope of work at H.D. McMillan Middle School.

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