

Office of Superintendent of Schools
Board Meeting of January 16, 2002

December 21, 2001

Personnel Management and Services
Nelson E. Diaz, Deputy Superintendent

**SUBJECT: SUSPENSION OF EMPLOYEE
REINA M. TORRES - BUS DRIVER
CENTRAL EAST TRANSPORTATION CENTER**

On December 20, 2001, the Superintendent of Schools sent the following letter to Ms. Reina M. Torres:

I am exercising my responsibility as Superintendent of Schools and recommending to The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, at its scheduled meeting of January 16, 2002, that the School Board suspend you without pay, from your current position as School Bus Driver at Central East Transportation for 10 workdays, effective at the close of the workday, January 16, 2002, for just cause, including, but not limited to: non-performance and deficient performance of job responsibilities; violation of School Board Rules 6Gx13-3E-1.10, Transportation-Specific Procedures; 6Gx13-4A-1.21, Responsibilities and Duties; and 6Gx13-5D-1.07, Corporal Punishment-Prohibited. This action is taken in accordance with Sections 230.03(2), 230.23(5)(f), and 447.209, Florida Statutes; and Articles II and XI of the **Contract between the Miami-Dade County Public Schools and the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees, Local 1184.**

You have waived, in writing, your right to an administrative hearing.

RECOMMENDED: That effective January 16, 2002, at the close of the workday, the School Board suspend Ms. Reina M. Torres, School Bus Driver at Central East Transportation Center, for 10 workdays without pay.

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