

Mr. Frank J. Cobo, Member

SUBJECT: REQUEST THAT THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, DIRECT THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS TO PROVIDE AN ANALYSIS AND EVALUATION OF THE FEASIBILITY OF CONSOLIDATING ALL SECURITY FOR MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS UNDER THE MIAMI-DADE SCHOOLS POLICE DEPARTMENT

Currently, security in the school district is sub-divided under several district entities. There are security specialists, security monitors, outside vendor security and school police all of whom, at times, report to different individuals and entities.

In the school districts that have proprietary police departments, the current trend appears to be to centralize these security functions in an effort to provide uniformity and consistency when encountering safety and security issues. Additionally, should there be a major incident or event involving a community or school district security breach without consolidation of all security functions, there might not be the continuity necessary for coordinating and ensuring the security and safe learning environment of our students.

Therefore, this agenda item requests that the School Board direct the Superintendent of Schools to provide an analysis and evaluation of the feasibility of consolidating all security for Miami-Dade County Public Schools under the Miami-Dade Schools Police Department.

**ACTION PROPOSED BY
MR. FRANK J. COBO:**

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REPLACEMENT

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