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SUBJECT: AUDITOR GENERAL OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA'S REPORT NO. 2004-108, MIAMI-DADE COUNTY DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD, WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT EDUCATION PROGRAM OPERATIONAL AUDIT, PRESENTED BY THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND COMPLIANCE AUDITS

The above-mentioned audit report, which is the eighth in a series to be issued by the Auditor General of the State of Florida, has been received. This operational audit focused on Miami-Dade County Public Schools Office of Adult/Vocational, Alternative, and Community Schools in its administration of the Workforce Development Education (WDE) Program for the period July 1, 2001, through August 31, 2003. This report includes findings and recommendations as well as the district's responses.

The Auditor General requires that the report be received and filed at the next regularly scheduled School Board meeting. Therefore, the School Board Audit Committee will review this report at its March 16, 2004 meeting and will submit its recommendations to the School Board and to the superintendent of schools on March 16, 2004.

Copies of this report will be distributed to School Board members, the superintendent of schools, and appropriate district staff and will be placed on file in the Office of the Recording Secretary to the School Board and in the Citizen Information Center.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, receive and file the Auditor General of the State of Florida's Report No. 2004-108 - Miami-Dade County District School Board, Workforce Development Education Program Operational Audit, presented by the Office of Management and Compliance Audits.

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