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SUBJECT: REQUEST AUTHORIZATION FOR THE SUPERINTENDENT TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT WITH MIAMI-DADE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT FOR THE CONTINUATION OF FULL SERVICE SCHOOLS IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$800,000, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2005, THROUGH JUNE 30, 2006

COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

The 2005 Florida Legislature has appropriated \$1,086,205 to the Miami-Dade County Health Department (M-DCHD) as the fiscal agent for Full Service Schools. The Full Service Schools initiative has been a collaborative project between Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) and M-DCHD for 14 years. M-DCHD has served as the fiscal agent since 1998. Funds in the amount of \$800,000 have been appropriated to M-DCPS to maintain Full Service Schools at 17 school sites, effective July 1, 2005, through June 30, 2006. The remainder of the funds (\$286,205.00) will be utilized by the M-DCHD for administrative and personnel services.

School Sites

Charles R. Drew Elementary
Dunbar Elementary
Frederick Douglass Elementary
Gratigny Elementary
J.H. Bright Elementary
L.B. Smith Elementary
L.C. Evans Elementary
L.C. Saunders Elementary
Miami Park Elementary
Norland Elementary
Opa Locka Elementary
Poinciana Park Elementary
R.R. Moton Elementary
Toussaint L'ouverture Elementary

Madison Middle
Norland Middle

Hialeah Senior High
Miami Beach Senior High
Norland Senior High

This funding will be used to employ professional and paraprofessional staff at elementary, middle, and senior high school sites in order to serve the health needs of students and families. Additionally, the staff will fulfill the criteria established by the M-DCHD to sustain the initiative.

Copies of the contractual agreement will be transmitted to School Board Members under separate cover and are available for inspection by the public in the Office of the Recording Secretary, Room 924, and the Citizen Information Center, Room 158, 1450 NE Second Avenue, Miami, Florida 33132.

The Executive Administrator of M-DCHD is Ms. Lillian Rivera

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

1. enter into a contractual agreement with the Miami-Dade County Health Department to utilize funds appropriated by the state to this agency for the continuation of Full Service Schools in Miami-Dade County Public Schools, effective July 1, 2005, through June 30, 2006; and
2. direct Financial Affairs to establish revenues and appropriations in the amount of \$800,000; such appropriations to be reported periodically to the Board.

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