

Ms. Evelyn Langlieb Greer, Member

**SUBJECT: EFFICIENCY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION TO ELIMINATE
 THE EARLY CHILDHOOD TASK FORCE**

COMMITTEE: INNOVATION, EFFICIENCY & GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

The School Board of Miami-Dade created the Efficiency and Competition Committee on March 12, 2002 and restructured the Committee on March 16, 2005. The Efficiency Committee has met and determined that its first order of business is to review each of the standing Board committees and to recommend to this Board whether to sunset, restructure or continue without change such committees.

The Efficiency Committee met on April 29 and May 16, 2005 and adopted the following criteria for assessing standing Board committees:

- What was the Committee's function and mission when it was created?
- Did the Committee fulfill its mission?
- Does the Committee have an ongoing function?
- Has the Committee met regularly?
- Does staff believe the Committee is valuable?
- Should the Committee be restructured/eliminated?
- Can its mission be accomplished in a more efficient streamlined manner?

The Efficiency Committee reviewed the committee known as the Early Childhood Task Force which is staffed by Mr. Michael Conte, District Supervisor, Early Childhood Programs.

The Early Childhood Task Force was initiated by UTD to address issues related to the universal Pre-Kindergarten program. The last meeting of the Task Force was on January 25, 2005. Since the Universal Pre-K program has been implemented, the purpose of the Committee has been fulfilled.

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The Committee's purpose can be fulfilled more efficiently by staff.

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**ACTION PROPOSED BY
MS. EVELYN LANGLIEB GREER:**

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County,
Florida:

1. eliminate the Early Childhood Task Force;
2. thank the members of the Early Childhood Task Force for membership.