Office of Superintendent of Schools Board Meeting of December 14, 2005

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SUBJECT:

AUDIT OF PAYROLL AND TIMEKEEPING PRACTICES AT

MAINTENANCE OPERATIONS

AND FACILITIES

CONSTRUCTION

COMMITTEE:

INNOVATION, EFFICIENCY & GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

The Office of Management and Compliance Audits has performed an audit of payroll and timekeeping practices at Maintenance Operations and Facilities Construction for the ten months ended April 30, 2005. The audit disclosed instances of non-compliance with District procedures; weaknesses in internal controls; ineffective timekeeping practices necessitating improvements in supervising and controlling employees work routines. The audit was conducted during a period of transition and reorganization of Maintenance Operations. Since then, Management has aggressively pursued taking corrective actions.

This report will be reviewed by the School Board Audit Committee at its December 7, 2005 meeting.

Copies of this report were previously distributed and will be placed on file in the Office of the Recording Secretary to the School Board and in the Citizen Information Center. Additional copies will be provided upon request.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, receive and file the Audit of Payroll and Timekeeping Practices at

Maintenance Operations and Facilities Construction.