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**SUBJECT: REQUEST SCHOOL BOARD APPROVAL OF THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER SCHOOL CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT WITH RENAISSANCE CHARTER SCHOOL, INC., ON BEHALF OF RENAISSANCE MIDDLE CHARTER SCHOOL**

**COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

Section 1002.33(7), Florida Statutes, Charter Schools, states that a charter school contractual agreement may be modified during its initial term or any renewal term upon the recommendation of the sponsor and the approval of both parties to the agreement.

The initial charter school contractual agreement for Renaissance Middle Charter School was approved by The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, on June 15, 2005, for a term of ten years, commencing with the 2005-2006 school year, pursuant to Section 1002.33(7)12, Florida Statutes, Charter Schools.

Renaissance Middle Charter School is located at 8360 NW 33 Street, Miami, Florida 33122, and serves approximately 44 students in grade six.

Renaissance Middle Charter School requested a first amendment which would allow the school to remain at its current location during its second year of operation and until a new permanent facility is located.

The Charter School Contract Review Committee (CRC) met on May 8, 2006, and by a unanimous vote, made a recommendation for approval of the first amendment to the charter school contractual agreement with Renaissance Charter School, Inc., on behalf of Renaissance Middle Charter School.

Copies of the amendment are available for inspection by the public in the Office of Board Recording Secretary, Room 924, and in the Citizen Information Center, Room 158, 1450 NE Second Avenue, Miami, Florida 33132.

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**RECOMMENDED:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, grant approval of the first amendment to the charter school contractual agreement with Renaissance Charter School, Inc., on behalf of Renaissance Middle Charter School to remain at its current facility during its second year of operation and until a permanent facility is located.

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