Office of Superintendent of Schools
Board Meeting of May 16, 2007

May 2, 2007

Office of School Board Attorney
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SUBJECT: THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA v. ALFREDO REGUEIRA - DOAH CASE NO. 06-4752

On October 11, 2006, the School Board took action to suspend paraprofessional, Alfredo Regueira, for 30 workdays without pay from his employment with The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida for misconduct in office and violation of School Board Rules 6Gx13-4.1.09, *Employee-Student Relationships*, 6Gx13-4A-1.21, *Responsibilities and Duties*, and 6Gx13- 4A-1.213, *Code of Ethics.* Mr. Regueira requested a hearing and the case was heard on January 25, 2007, before Administrative Law Judge, John G. Van Laningham.

By Recommended Order entered April 11, 2007, the Administrative Law Judge found that there was just cause to discipline Mr. Regueira and therefore recommended that the School Board enter a final order suspending him from his duties as a physical education paraprofessional for a period of 30 workdays without pay.

A copy of the Recommended Order is being furnished to the Board under separate cover, along with a copy of the proposed Final Order.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida enter a Final Order accepting the Administrative Law Judge's Recommended Order in the case of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida v. Alfredo Regueira, DOAH Case No. 06-4752, suspending Mr. Regueira for 30 workdays without pay.

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