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SUBJECT: REQUEST THAT THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, APPROVE THE 2009-2010 EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL (EESAC) MEMBERSHIP ROSTERS

COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

LINK TO STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK: STUDENT, PARENT, AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Section 1001.452, F.S., requires that every Miami-Dade County Public School form an Educational Excellence School Advisory Council (EESAC) for the purposes of implementing school improvement initiatives and accountability requirements with the involvement and support of key stakeholders. The EESAC plays a pivotal role in preparing, reviewing, and monitoring the School Improvement Plan.

Where applicable, EESAC membership includes the principal, the United Teachers of Dade designated steward, and a balanced number of teachers, educational support employees, parents, business/community representatives, and students. In addition, each EESAC must be representative of the ethnic, racial, and linguistic makeup, as well as of the various exceptionalities and economic diversity of the community served by the school. Finally, the 2009-2010 EESAC rosters, in order to comply with membership composition requirements, contain a majority of persons who are not employed by the school district.

The EESAC rosters are updated throughout the year to fill vacancies. All requests for composition waivers are reviewed by the District EESAC Support Committee.

A copy of the Educational Excellence School Advisory Council membership roster for each school is available on the web at: <http://osi.dadeschools.net/>. Additionally, a copy of the CD containing the rosters is also located in the Citizen Information Center, Room 158, 1450 N.E. Second Avenue, Miami, Florida 33132.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve the 2009-2010 Educational Excellence School Advisory Council (EESAC) rosters.

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