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District/School Operations

**SUBJECT: EXPULSION AND ASSIGNMENT OF STUDENTS TO  
ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL PROGRAMS**

**COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY  
ENGAGEMENT**

**LINK TO STRATEGIC  
FRAMEWORK: EDUCATION**

The Superintendent of Schools has recommended that these students be expelled from the regular and adult programs of Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) and assigned to alternative schools/programs for the maximum time permitted under law, which is the 2010-2011 school year, the 2011 summer session, and the 2011-2012 school year.

The parents have been duly notified of the recommendations for expulsion and were given an opportunity for a conference with staff and were advised of the right to a hearing before an impartial hearing examiner.

The basis for these recommendations are as follows:

SM#	GR	VIOLATION	ASSIGNMENT
SM-11	06	Possession of firearm, Level V	Alternative Telecommunications Program
SM-14	11	Possession of firearm, Level V	YMAACD at Miami MacArthur North
SM-15	11	Possession of firearm, Level V	YMAACD at Miami MacArthur North

Additional information regarding each student has been forwarded to the Board under separate cover.

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

1. expel the student specified in supplemental material SM-11, furnished under separate cover to School Board members, from the regular and adult programs of Miami-Dade County Public Schools and assign to alternative school/programs for the maximum time permitted under law, which is the 2010-2011 school year, the 2011 summer session, and the 2011-2012 school year;
2. expel the student specified in supplemental material SM-14, furnished under separate cover to School Board members, from the regular and adult programs of Miami-Dade County Public Schools and assign to alternative school/programs for the maximum time permitted under law, which is the 2010-2011 school year, the 2011 summer session, and the 2011-2012 school year;
3. expel the student specified in supplemental material SM-15, furnished under separate cover to School Board members, from the regular and adult programs of Miami-Dade County Public Schools and assign to alternative school/programs for the maximum time permitted under law, which is the 2010-2011 school year, the 2011 summer session, and the 2011-2012 school year;
4. provide educational services in alternative school/programs during the term of the expulsion; and
5. following the term of the expulsion, permit the students to be returned to regular school programs in Miami-Dade County Public Schools, if approved by District/School Operations.