

Office of Superintendent of Schools  
Board Meeting of February 21, 2018

February 9, 2018

Office of School Board Attorney  
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**SUBJECT: THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA v. WILLIAM L. ALEXANDER, DOAH CASE NO. 18-0527**

On January 17, 2018, the School Board suspended William L. Alexander without pay and initiated dismissal proceedings against him for just cause, including, but not limited to: violation of School Board Policies 4210, *Standards of Ethical Conduct*; 4210.01, *Code of Ethics*; 4121.01, *Employment Standards and Fingerprinting of All Employees* in accordance with §§ 1001.32(2), 1012.22(1)(f), 1012.32; 1012.40, 435.04, 435.06, and 447.209, Fla. Stat. After the Respondent timely requested a hearing, but before the Administrative Hearing took place Respondent tendered his letter of resignation on February 6, 2018.

After consultation with Administration, it is recommended that the resignation be accepted as achieving the objective sought by the School Board in this case. Acceptance of the resignation does not alter the following effects of the employment termination:

1. Prevention of future employment in any capacity by Miami-Dade County Public Schools if his disqualifying criminal offenses are not resolved in his favor; and
2. Retention of the information regarding the dismissal action by the Superintendent of Schools as a matter of official record due to his current disqualifying criminal offenses.

Acceptance of the resignation forwarded under separate cover will obviate the requirement for further legal actions by the School Board.

**RECOMMENDED:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida accept the resignation of William L. Alexander effective as of February 6, 2018.

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