

Office of Superintendent of Schools
Board Meeting of February 13, 2002

January 30, 2002

Personnel Management and Services
Nelson E. Diaz, Deputy Superintendent

**SUBJECT: DISMISSAL OF EMPLOYEE
JORGE L. RODRIGUEZ - TEACHER
MIAMI SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL**

On January 30, 2002, the Superintendent of Schools sent the following letter to Mr. Jorge L. Rodriguez:

I am exercising my responsibility as Superintendent of Schools and recommending to The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, at its scheduled meeting of February 13, 2002, that the School Board suspend you and initiate dismissal proceedings against you from your current position as Teacher at Miami Senior High School, effective at the close of the workday, February 13, 2002, for just cause, including but not limited to: immorality; misconduct in office; gross insubordination; willful neglect of duty; and violation of School Board Rules 6Gx13-4-1.08, Violence in the Workplace; and 6Gx13-4A-1.21, Responsibilities and Duties. This action is taken in accordance with Sections 230.03(2), 231.36(1)(a), 231.36(6)(a), and 447.209, Florida Statutes.

If you wish to contest your suspension and dismissal, you must request a hearing in writing within 15 calendar days of the receipt of notice of the Board action, in which case, formal charges will be filed and a hearing will be held before an administrative law judge.

RECOMMENDED: That effective February 13, 2002, at the close of the workday, the School Board suspend and initiate dismissal proceedings against Mr. Jorge L. Rodriguez, Teacher at Miami Senior High School, pending the outcome of a hearing, if requested.

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