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SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

SOUTH FLORIDA BLOOD BANK, INC. v. THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA and COMMUNITY BLOOD CENTER OF SOUTH FLORIDA, INC. - DOAH CASE NO. 02-0140 BID

On September 10, 2001 Petitioner, South Florida Blood Bank, Inc., filed its formal protest of the award of Request for Proposal #169-AA10, Administration of the Blood Drive Program to the incumbent provider, Community Blood Center of South Florida, Inc. The protest was forwarded to the Division of Administrative Hearings on January 10, 2002, for formal resolution, and a hearing on the matter was scheduled for April 30, May 1-2, 2002. During the pendency of the case, the

parties have conferred in an attempt to reach a settlement agreement pending School Board approval.

Details of this item will be forthcoming.