

August 9, 2002

Paul R. Philip, Chief of Staff

**SUBJECT: SUSPENSION OF EMPLOYEE
LOUIS COUAMIN – SECURITY MONITOR
TOUSSAINT L'OUVERTURE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

On August 9, 2002, the Superintendent of Schools sent the following letter to Mr. Louis Couamin:

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 August 21, 2002, that the School Board suspend you without pay from your current position as Security Monitor, at Toussaint L'Ouverture Elementary School, for 30 workdays, effective at the close of the workday, August 21, 2002, for just cause, including, but not limited to: misconduct in office; and violation of School Board Rules 6Gx13-4A-1.21, Responsibilities and Duties, and 6Gx13-5D-1.07, Corporal Punishment-Prohibited. This action is taken in accordance with Sections 230.03(2), 230.23(5)(f), 231.3605 and 447.209, Florida Statutes.

You have waived, in writing, your right to contest your suspension.

RECOMMENDED: That effective August 21, 2002, at the close of the workday, the School Board suspend Mr. Louis Couamin, Security Monitor at Toussaint L'Ouverture Elementary School, for 30 workdays without pay.

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