

Office of Superintendent of Schools
Board Meeting of August 20, 2003

August 14, 2003

Mercedes Toural, Chief Education Officer
and Deputy Superintendent of Schools

**SUBJECT: REQUEST APPROVAL TO RELOCATE STUDENTS AT DORAL
ACADEMY CHARTER MIDDLE SCHOOL FOR A PERIOD OF
APPROXIMATELY ONE MONTH**

COMMITTEE: EDUCATION AND SCHOOL OPERATIONS

The original charter school contractual agreement with Doral Academy Charter Middle School, Inc., was approved by The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, on March 12, 2003, for a term of ten years commencing with the 2003-2004 school year.

Due to unforeseen delays in obtaining the necessary permits for the permanent facility at 2601 NW 112 Avenue, Miami, Florida 33172, Doral Academy Charter Middle School has requested to relocate the school to a facility at The Firefighters Memorial Building, 8000 NW 21 Street, Miami, Florida 33122, or Cobb Theatres, 11471 NW 12 Street, Miami, Florida 33172, for which Certificates of Occupancy and Fire Permits have been provided. The students will be served at either temporary facility for a period of approximately one month while the permanent building is prepared for occupancy.

Upon granting of a Certificate of Occupancy and Fire Permit for the permanent building, the students will be moved without delay.

This item does not appear in the published agenda. There is good cause to vary from the agenda in order for the school to open in a safe facility for the 2003-2004 school year.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve the relocation of Doral Academy Charter Middle School to The Firefighters Memorial Building, 8000 NW 21 Street, Miami, Florida 33122, or Cobb Theatres, 11471 NW 12 Street, Miami, Florida 33172, for a period of approximately one month.

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