

Office of School Board Members
Board Meeting of September 13, 2006

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Dr. Marta Pérez, Member

SUBJECT: REQUEST THAT THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, DIRECT THE SUPERINTENDENT TO CONDUCT INSPECTIONS OF ALL CONDUITS AND PIPING SUPPORTS IN HALLWAYS IN THE ENTIRE DISTRICT.

COMMITTEE: SCHOOL SUPPORT AND ACCOUNTABILITY

The recent collapse of air conditioning ducts in two of our schools, as well as, reports from other schools that have had the same kind of problems, needs to be investigated. The district has been very lucky that these collapses have happened when school is not in session.

Since it has been brought to my attention that conduits and piping support problems still exist in the district. I am requesting that the board direct the Superintendent to conduct inspections of all conduits and piping supports in hallways in the entire district as a precautionary measure before someone gets injured. The safety of our students and staff is our top priority.

**ACTION PROPOSED BY
DR. MARTA PÉREZ:**

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, direct the Superintendent to:

1. conduct inspections of all conduits and piping supports in hallways in the entire district and take immediate action to correct this deficiency; and
2. report back to the board with the findings.

**Item Withdrawn
(9/13/06)**

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