Office of Professional Standards Maria Teresa Rojas, Assistant Superintendent

SUBJECT:

ACCEPTANCE OF RESIGNATION GEORGE P. GUERRIER – TEACHER CAMPBELL DRIVE MIDDLE SCHOOL

LINK TO DISTRICT

STRATEGIC PLAN:

IMPROVE EFFECTIVENESS OF INSTRUCTION AND

EFFICIENCY OF OPERATIONS

On May 24, 2007, Mr. George P. Guerrier submitted his resignation to Miami-Dade County Public Schools effective June 5, 2007. Had he not submitted his resignation, he would have been recommended for suspension without pay and dismissal proceedings of his employment contract would have been initiated at the School Board Meeting of June 13, 2007, for just cause, including but not limited to: misconduct in office; and violation of School Board Rules 6Gx13-4-1.08, Violence in the Workplace, 6Gx13-4A-1.21, Responsibilities and Duties, 6Gx13-4A-1.213 Code of Ethics, and 6Gx13-5D-1.07, Corporal Punishment-Prohibited.

The employee submitted his resignation, effective June 5, 2007. Upon consultation with the School Board Attorney's Office, the Office of Professional Standards recommends that the resignation be accepted as achieving the objectives sought by the School Board in this case. Acceptance of the resignation does not alter the following effects of the employment termination:

- provision of information to the Office of the State Attorney for investigation as may be requested;
- formal notification to the Education Practices Commission;
- prevention of any future employment in any capacity by the Miami-Dade County Public Schools, unless recommended by the Superintendent and approved by the School Board.

Acceptance of the resignation will also obviate the requirement for further legal actions by the School Board.

RECOMMENDED:

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, accept the

resignation of Mr. George P. Guerrier, Teacher at Campbell Drive Middle

School, effective as of June 5, 2007.

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