

Office of Superintendent of Schools
Board Meeting of January 14, 2009

December 22, 2008

Office of School Board Attorney
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SUBJECT: THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA v. HANNIBAL ROSA, DOAH Case No. 08-1495

On March 12, 2008, the School Board took action to suspend and initiate dismissal proceedings against Hannibal Rosa, a teacher with Miami-Dade County Public Schools for failure to correct noted performance deficiencies within the 90-day performance probation. Mr. Rosa requested an administrative hearing on the termination of his employment and the hearing was held on September 18, 2008 before Administrative Law Judge Claude B. Arrington.

By Recommended Order entered December 16, 2008, the Administrative Law Judge recommended that the School Board enter a final order reinstating Respondent with back pay.

A copy of the Recommended Order is being furnished to the Board under separate cover, along with a copy of the proposed Final Order for the Board's consideration.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida enter a Final Order accepting the Administrative Law Judge's Recommended Order in the case of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida v. Hannibal Rosa, DOAH Case No. 08-1495, reinstating Respondent to his position as a teacher and awarding back pay for the period of the suspension.

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