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SUBJECT: REQUEST SCHOOL BOARD APPROVAL OF THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER SCHOOL CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT FOR NEW ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION HIGH SCHOOL OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, INC., ON BEHALF OF MAVERICKS HIGH OF NORTH MIAMI DADE COUNTY

COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

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STRATEGIC PLAN: GENERAL OPERATIONS**

Section 1002.33(7), Florida Statutes, Charter Schools, stipulates that a charter school contractual agreement may be modified during its initial term or any renewal term upon the recommendation of the sponsor and the approval of both parties to the agreement.

The initial charter school contractual agreement for New Alternative Education High School of Miami-Dade County, Inc., on behalf of Mavericks High of North Miami Dade County (Mavericks North) was approved by The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, on March 25, 2009, for a term of five years, commencing with the 2009-2010 school year and ending on June 30, 2014.

Mavericks North proposed to open at a facility located at 16150 N.E. 17 Avenue, North Miami Beach, Florida 33162; however, Mavericks North has requested a first amendment to its contractual agreement to add a temporary facility located at 1750 N.E. 167 Street, North Miami Beach, Florida 33162, until such time that the permanent facility is ready for occupancy. Mavericks North will serve a maximum of 550 at-risk students in grades nine through twelve, with a maximum of 400 students in its first year of operation, commencing with the 2009-2010 school year. The term of the contract shall be for five years, ending June 30, 2014. The charter school is scheduled to open August 2009; therefore, neither academic nor financial information is available at this time.

Section 7(b) of School Board Rule 6Gx13- 6A-1.471, Charter Schools (K-12), stipulates that charter school contractual agreements that fully conform to the approved Standard Charter School Contract do not require review and recommendation by the Charter School Contract Review Committee and can be forwarded directly to the School Board for consideration.

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Copies of the charter school contractual agreement will be transmitted to the School Board Members under separate cover and will be available for inspection by the public in the Office of Board Recording Secretary, Room 924, and in the Citizen Information Center, Room 158, 1450 N.E. Second Avenue, Miami, Florida 33132.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve the first amendment to the charter school contractual agreement with New Alternative Education High School of Miami-Dade County, Inc., on behalf of Mavericks High of North Miami Dade County to add a temporary facility located at 1750 N.E. 167 Street, North Miami Beach, Florida 33162, commencing with the 2009-2010 school year.

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