

Office of Superintendent of Schools
Board Meeting of June 13, 2012

May 30, 2012

Office of School Board Attorney
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SUBJECT: THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA v. JEANETTE T. YASSIN, DOAH Case No. 11-4934

On September 7, 2011, the School Board took action to suspend without pay and initiate dismissal proceedings against Respondent, a teacher with Miami-Dade County Public Schools, for just cause including, but not limited to, Misconduct in Office and violations of School Board Rules 6Gx13-4A-1.21, *Responsibilities and Duties* and 6Gx13-4A-1.213, *Code of Ethics*. The Respondent timely requested an administrative hearing. The final hearing was held on January 13, 2012, before an Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ") of the Division of Administrative Hearings.

On May 17, 2012, the ALJ issued a Proposed Recommended Order recommending that the School Board enter a Final Order sustaining Respondent's suspension without pay and terminating her from further employment with the school district. We recommend acceptance of the ALJ's Recommended Order as the School Board's Final Order. Administration is in agreement with this recommendation.

A copy of the Recommended Order is being furnished to the Board under separate cover 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. Jeanette T. Yassin, DOAH Case No. 10-4934, as its Final Order, terminating Respondent's employment with the School Board and denying any claims for back-pay.

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