

MEMORANDUM

December 6, 2016

TO: The Honorable Chair and Members of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida

FROM: Alberto M. Carvalho, Superintendent of Schools *AMC*

SUBJECT: LEGISLATIVE UPDATE – FLORIDA SENATE COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Senate President Negron released committee assignments for the 2016-2018 term. Unfortunately, there are no Miami-Dade County delegation members on key committees pertaining to K-12 education. The committee assignments are as follows:

**Senate Education**

Dorothy Hukill, Chair	David Simmons
Debbie Mayfield, Vice Chair	Wilton Simpson
Gary Farmer	Linda Stewart
Bill Galvano	Perry Thurston
Tom Lee	

**Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education**

David Simmons, Chair	Denise Grimsley
Dana Young, Vice Chair	Tom Lee
Doug Broxson	Bill Montford
Gary Farmer	Darryl Rouson

**Upcoming Events**

- ✓ Board's Advocacy Trip — February 22, 2017
- ✓ 2017 Legislative Session Start — March 7, 2017
- ✓ Miami-Dade County Days in Tallahassee — April 5-6, 2017

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ms. Iraida R. Mendez-Cartaya, Associate Superintendent, Office of Intergovernmental Affairs, Grants Administration and Community Engagement, at 305 995-1497.

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