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Hermes Yanes Miami Fireball Academy, LLC 13312 SW 6<sup>th</sup> St. Miami, FL 33184

Re: INQ 13-256

Your company has no limitations under Sec. 2-11.1 (c)(2) of the County Ethics Code to do business with the County.

Dear Mr. Yanes:

We have reviewed your request for an ethics opinion and find that your privately owned company, Miami Fireball Academy, LLC, has no limitations under the County Ethics Code at Sec. 2-11.1 (c)(2) to do business with the County.

Neither you nor any of your immediate family members are employed by Miami-Dade County. Your mother, Lissett Serpa, is employed by the Miami-Dade County School Board, which is <u>not a County agency</u>.

As an employee of the School Board, your mother does not fall within the jurisdiction of the Miami-Dade County Code of Ethics. However, as a County vendor, be advised that you will be subject to certain sections of the County Code as well as relevant state law.

If any of the facts you have presented change, or if you have further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me or my colleague, Gilma Diaz-Greco, Staff Attorney.

Sincerely,

VICTORIA/FRIGO Senior Staff Attorney