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SUBJECT: **2003 AYP APPEAL RESULTS**

Today Florida Department of Education Commissioner Horne announced the revised results of the 2003 Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) results. In Broward, twelve schools had their preliminary AYP designation changed as a result of a DOE recalculation. Nine schools (Central Park Elementary, City of Pembroke Pines Charter Middle, Nova Dwight D. Eisenhower Elementary, Pioneer Middle, Somerset Academy Charter Elementary, Somerset Academy Charter Middle, Welleby Elementary, Westchester Elementary and Winston Park Elementary) had their AYP designation changed from No to Yes and three schools (Arc Broward, Broward Intensive Halfway, and S. Florida Intensive Halfway) who had initially received an AYP designation of No should not have received an AYP designation. In addition, the Florida Department of Education website currently references changes to Westglades, New Renaissance and Millennium Middle Schools. However, initial discussion indicates that changes for these schools were made based on incorrect data related to a change in school identification numbers. The Department of Education staff has indicated they will make appropriate changes to the website.

The updated school AYP information can be accessed through the Florida Department of Education's website at <http://web.fldoe.org/NCLB/default.cfm> If you have questions regarding this release, please contact me at (754) 321-2470, or Anne Dilgen, Director, Student Assessment, at (754) 321-4257.

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