

**MEMORANDUM** Agenda Item No. 11(A)(5) TO: Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez September 1, 2011 DATE: and Members, Board of County Commissioners Resolution requiring County Mayor FROM: R. A. Cuevas, Jr. SUBJECT: County Attorney to submit any proposed agreement for the compensation of an executive employee that exceeds existing employee compensation policies to the Board of County Commissioners for consideration

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Sally A. Heyman, and Co-Sponsors Commissioner Esteban L. Bovo, Jr., Vice Chairwoman Audrey M. Edmonson and Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan.

R. A. Cu County Attorney

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TO:	Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez and Members, Board of County Commissioners	DATE:	September 1, 201	1	
FROM:	R. A. Cuevas, Jr. County Attorney	SUBJECT:	Agenda Item No.	11(A)(5)	
	Please note any items checked.				
	<ul> <li>"3-Day Rule" for committees applicable if raised</li> <li>6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing</li> <li>4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing</li> <li>Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget</li> </ul>				
	Budget required				
	Statement of fiscal impact required				
	Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing				
	No committee review				
	Applicable legislation requires more than a majority vote (i.e., 2/3's, 3/5's, unanimous) to approve				
	Current information regarding funding source, index code and available balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required				

Approved		Mayor
Veto		
Override		

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## RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION REQUIRING MAYOR OR MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO SUBMIT ANY PROPOSED AGREEMENT FOR THE COMPENSATION OF AN EXECUTIVE EMPLOYEE THAT EXCEEDS EXISTING EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION POLICIES TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR CONSIDERATION

WHEREAS, the County has in the past offered and agreed to provide compensation and severance packages to certain executive employees which exceeded the benefits otherwise authorized by existing County employment policies; and

WHEREAS, such packages can be costly to the County; and

WHEREAS, the County is presently facing substantial budgetary constraints; and

WHEREAS, the County's budgetary situation has required it to limit or reduce executive

pay and benefits; and

WHEREAS, this Board wishes to ensure that any compensation or severance package provided to an executive employee is reasonable and appropriate before it is accepted and becomes binding on the County,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that before the County enters into any agreement to provide an executive employee or potential executive employee with a compensation or severance package that exceeds what is available under the County's Pay Plan and other existing employment policies of general application, the Mayor or Mayor's designee shall submit such proposed agreement to this Board for its consideration, approval, modification or rejection.

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The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Sally A. Heyman, and

the Co-Sponsors are Commissioner Esteban L. Bovo, Jr., Vice Chairwoman Audrey M.

Edmonson and Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan. It was offered by

Commissioner , who moved its adoption. The motion was

seconded by Commissioner

and upon being put to a vote, the

vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman Audrey M. Edmonson, Vice Chairwoman Bruno A. Barreiro Lynda Bell Esteban L. Bovo, Jr. Jose "Pepe" Diaz Sally A. Heyman Barbara J. Jordan Jean Monestime Dennis C. Moss Rebeca Sosa Sen. Javier D. Souto Xavier L. Suarez

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 1<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2011. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

> MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

## HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By:

Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

C/r.

Lee Kraftchick