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## **Press Release**

## Miami-Dade County Office of the Inspector General Seeking Reaccreditation

In July of 2010, the Miami-Dade County Office of the Inspector General (OIG) was accredited by the Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation (CFA) pursuant to standards developed for the Florida inspector general community. Accreditation is valid for a three year period. The OIG was reaccredited in 2013. The OIG is once again in the process of seeking reaccreditation for the next three years. The OIG has to maintain compliance with more than 40 standards in order to receive reaccreditation status.

On April 26, 2016, Inspector General Mary T. Cagle will welcome a team of assessors from the CFA to examine all aspects of the Miami-Dade County Office of the Inspector General's policies and procedures, management and operations.

As part of the on-site assessment, agency members and the general public are invited to offer comments to the assessment team. Comments must be in writing and must address the agency's ability to comply with CFA standards. A copy of the standards is available through the OIG's Public Information Officer at 305-375-1946.

For more information regarding CFA or for persons wishing to offer written comments about the Miami-Dade County Office of the Inspector General's ability to meet the standards of accreditation, please write: CFA, P.O. Box 1489, Tallahassee, Florida, 32302.

The CFA Assessment Team will consist of Team Leader, Investigations Manager Erin Romeiser of the Office of the Chief Inspector General, Executive Office of the Governor, Tallahassee, Florida and Team Member, Investigator Anthony Jackson of the Office of Inspector General for the Florida Department of Education, Tallahassee, Florida.