Supporting Summary Explanation and Background (for I-4) Continuation:

The Sponsor shall approve or deny the SIP, and shall notify the charter school in writing within 10 calendar days of its decision. The Sponsor shall deny a SIP if it does not comply with guidelines as outlined in subsection 4 of the rule. If denied, the Sponsor shall provide, in writing, specific reasons for denial and timeline for resubmission. A district SIP Review Committee conducted SIP support sessions and assisted the charter schools with the SIP process and content review. The director and a representative of the school's governing board shall submit to the Sponsor, for approval, a School Improvement Plan to raise student achievement. They are requested to appear before the Sponsor at this public meeting to present the plan.

SIPs for the following charter schools are submitted for approval:

- 1. Somerset Academy Hollywood (5387)
- 2. Somerset Academy Pompano (5388)
- 3. Henry McNeal Turner (5418)
- 4. Somerset Preparatory Academy at North Lauderdale (5003)

The SIPs are available at: http://www.broward.k12.fl.us/ospa, click Initiatives, click School Improvement Plans.

All supporting documents are available online via the Broward County Public Schools eAgenda at:

http://www.Webappe.browardschools.com/eagenda

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