

**AGENDA REQUEST**  
**THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA**

Meeting Date <b>8/5/03</b>	<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:50%; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">Open Agenda ___ Yes ___ No</td> <td style="width:50%; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">Time Certain Request ___ Yes ___ No</td> </tr> </table>	Open Agenda ___ Yes ___ No	Time Certain Request ___ Yes ___ No	Agenda Item Number <b>C-1</b>
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<b>TITLE:</b>	Revisions to School Board Policy 3320 – Purchasing Policies								
<b>REQUESTED ACTION:</b>	Adopt the revisions to School Board Policy 3320: Purchasing Policies at this final reading.								
<b>SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND:</b>	<p>The Florida Legislature has recently enacted changes to Section 287, Florida Statutes, regarding public purchasing. As a result, the attached version of School Board Policy 3320 has been revised to comply with the revised authorizing statutes. Additionally, a section has been added authorizing the district to take advantage of the Direct Purchase Program for construction projects in accordance with State of Florida requirements. The Direct Purchase Program allows the District to save the cost of sales tax that contractors must pay to their suppliers by having the District make the building material purchases directly from the supplier and avoiding the sales tax. As stated in the attached matrix of changes, several other changes have been made either at the request of the School Board Attorney's Office or to clarify previous portions of the policy.</p> <p>A detailed matrix of changes is attached.</p>								
<b>MAJOR SYSTEM GOALS:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> •Goal One: All students will achieve at their highest potential.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> •Goal Two: All schools will have equitable resources.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> •Goal Three: All operations of the school system will support and align with student achievement and needs.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> •Goal Four: All stakeholders work together to build a better school system.</li> </ul>								
<b>FINANCIAL IMPACT:</b>	There is no financial impact to the School Board of Broward County.								
<b>EXHIBITS: (List)</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Proposed Revised Policy 3320: Purchasing Policies</li> <li>2. Summary of Recommended Changes</li> </ol>								
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Approved in Open Board Meeting on:           **AUG - 5 2003**            
 By:           *Lois Wepler*           School Board Chair