

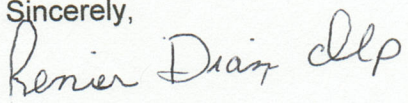
May 24, 2012

Penelope "Penny" Townsley
Supervisor of Elections
Miami-Dade County
PO Box 521550
Miami, FL 33152

Dear Ms. Townsley:

Please accept this as my official notification of my resignation from my current position as a Miami-Dade County School Board Member for District 5. Said resignation is to comply with the resign-to-run law (Section 99.012, Florida Statutes) since I am currently a candidate for the State of Florida, House of Representatives, and will be qualifying for a House District seat. My resignation will be effective November 6, 2012. If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me at (305) 528-6909 or email me at rdiazdelaportilla@hotmail.com.

Sincerely,



Renier Diaz de la Portilla
School Board Member, District 5
Candidate for the House of Representatives

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