

State of Florida
Education Practices Commission
Teacher Hearing Panel Agenda
October 28, 2025
Embassy Suites Tampa Airport/Westshore
555 North Westshore Boulevard
Tampa, Florida 33609
(813) 875-1555
1:30 PM

THE HEARING IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

The following members of the Education Practices Commission shall constitute the **Teacher Hearing Panel** and shall take final agency action in matters dealing with the disciplining of teachers.

Mason Lewis - Presiding Officer
Timothy Holley - Co-Presiding Officer
Jennifer Thaxton
Jamie Sheehan
Charlotte Wintz

Legal Advisor: Senior Assistant Attorney General, Lawrence Harris

CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

INFORMAL

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| 1. | Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Eyan Alexander
EPC#: 25-0609-TC PPS#: 234-2413 DOE: 1500022 | Jones/Pro Se
Duval |
| 2. | Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Lya Crowden-Richardson
EPC#: 25-0597-RT PPS#: 234-1544 DOE: 991251 | Holman/Pro Se
Duval |
| 3. | Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Olivia Cuellar
EPC#: 25-0595-RT PPS#: 223-3795 DOE: 1347229 | Gray/Pro Se
Hillsborough |

- 4. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Sadery Flete**
EPC#: 25-0616-RT PPS#: 234-1589 DOE: 1236319 Jones/Pro Se
Miami-Dade

- 5. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Christofer Lawrence, F42279**
EPC#: 25-0604-TC PPS#: 212-2027 DOE: 1360378 Gray/Pro Se
St. Lucie

- 6. **Carrie Palmetter vs. Manny Diaz, Jr.**
EPC#: 25-0615-D PPS#: 245-1698-YA DOE: 1518447 Duran, Jr./Wilmot
Marion

SETTLEMENT

- 7. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Megan Bowen**
EPC#: 25-0521-RT PPS#: 245-1795 DOE: 1419667 Holman/Duran, Jr.
Pasco

- 8. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Barbara Elliott**
EPC#: 25-0648-RT PPS#: 234-3536 DOE: 649781 Jones/Duran, Jr.
Citrus

- 9. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Darek Farmer**
EPC#: 25-0584-TC PPS#: 234-2315 DOE: 1476445 Jones/Pro Se
Alachua

- 10. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Karen Hall**
EPC#: 25-0588-RT PPS#: 234-0415 DOE: 795866 Jones/Duran, Jr.
Pasco

- 11. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Glenford Malcolm**
EPC#: 25-0555-RT PPS#: 234-0099 DOE: 1008499 Gray/Duran, Jr.
Hillsborough

12. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Ahmad Newbold**
EPC#: 25-0542-RT PPS#: 234-2261 DOE: 1173063 Jones/Wood
Miami-Dade
13. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Janet Noel**
EPC#: 25-0638-RT PPS#: 234-0864 DOE: 1041889 Holman/Wood
Miami-Dade
14. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Eboni Washington**
EPC#: 25-0642-RT PPS#: 234-4240 DOE: 1419015 Holman/Pro Se
Miami-Dade

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15. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Paul Cobbert**
EPC#: 25-0568-TC PPS#: 245-3212 DOE: 1209058 Jones/Pro Se
Clay
16. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Edward Johnson**
EPC#: 25-0573-TC PPS#: 234-3628 DOE: 1238018 Jones/Pro Se
Alachua
17. **Manny Diaz, Jr. vs. Rayko Lopez Diaz**
EPC#: 25-0567-RT PPS#: 223-1629 DOE: 1306303 Wilmot/Pro Se
Miami-Dade