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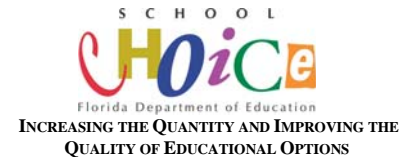
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MEMORANDUM

TO: District School Superintendents
Charter School Directors

FROM: Steven Adams, Director
Charter, Virtual and Home Education

SUBJECT: Revised Technical Assistance Paper, Asbestos Regulations and Charter Schools

In support of the State Board of Education's imperative to increase the quantity and improve the quality of educational options for Florida's families, the Department is pleased to provide this revised technical assistance paper (TAP) on Asbestos Regulations and Charter Schools. The TAP clarifies that charter schools are subject to The Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) and are required to designate a person to ensure that the responsibilities of asbestos management are properly implemented.

For additional information or questions concerning this TAP, please contact Karen Hines-Henry at 850-245-0502 or karen.hines@fldoe.org.

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Attachment

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