be little impact on small businesses from the establishment of the proposed District. In fact, the impact may be positive in that the District must competitively bid all of its contracts. Establishment of the proposed District will not have any impact on small counties as Citrus County is not a small county as defined. The analysis provided is based on a straightforward application of administrative, legal and economic theory with input received from the petitioner's engineer and other professionals associated with the petitioner.

A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE TIME, DATE AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, February 6, 2002, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Citrus County Government Center, Conference Room 166, 3600 West Sovereign Path, Lecanto, Florida 34461

Any person requiring a special accommodation to participate in the hearing because of a disability should contact Joseph Patton, (850)877-6555, at least two (2) business days in advance to make appropriate arrangements.

COPIES OF THE PETITION MAY BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING: Joseph Patton, Rose, Sundstrom & Bentley, LLP, 2548 Blairstone Pines Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, or the Florida Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission, Office of Policy and Budget, Executive Office of the Governor, Capitol Building, Room 1703, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0001.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Board of Acupuncture has received a petition for a declaratory statement from Paul E. Susz, Petitioner. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of Rule 64B1-3.001, Florida Administrative Code as it applies to Petitioner. Petitioner seeks a declaratory statement from the Board as to whether an acupuncturist acted outside the scope of their duties by performing a nerve conduction study.

A copy of the petition may be obtained by writing: Karen Eaton, Executive Director, Board of Acupuncture, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, BIN #C06, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3256.

Section VIII Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding the Validity of Rules

Notice of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination have been filed by the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Section IX Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges

NONE

Section X Announcements and Objection Reports of the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee

NONE

Section XI Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and **Purchasing**

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Polk County School Readiness Coalition, Inc. announces the following Request for Proposal to which all persons are invited to bid.

TIME: Proposal available January, 2002

PLACE: Polk County

PURPOSE:

The Polk County School Readiness Coalition will be soliciting proposals for a school readiness program and related services for the 2002-2003 fiscal year. Services will be funded through federal, state and local allocations. Providers must meet state and federal criteria for this School Readiness program, Project Safety Net and other support services. School Readiness Legislation requires specific services including Eligibility/Enrollment and Provider Payments, Parent and Child Services, Provider Services and Health Screening and Diagnostic Services.

All multi-agency collaboration with a lead agency or single agencies are encouraged to submit a proposal. Please contact the Polk County School Readiness Coalition, P. O. Box 8091, Lakeland, FL 33802-8091, (863)499-2440 or (863)499-2637 (fax) for more information. The proposal will be available for distribution by