Battaglia , B . Post Office:

Hicksville, NY

A98N-4A-C 00205770 NALC GTS No.: \$5883

Grievant:

Case No.:

50053

REGULAR ARBITRATION PANEL

In the Matter of the Arbitration

between

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

"Service"

-and-

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LETTER CARRIERS, AFL-CIO

"Union"

Kathleen M. Devine, Arbitrator BEFORE:

APPEARANCES:

For the U.S. Postal Service:

Carmine V. Palladino, Labor Relations Specialist

For the Union:

Edward Mushorn, Director/City Delivery, Branch 6000

Place of Hearing:

1377 Motor Parkway, Hauppauge, NY

Date of Hearing:

Date of Award:

February 6, 2001 February 12, 2001

Relevant Contract Provision:

Article 19

Contract Year:

1998-2001

Type of Grievance:

Contract

AWARD SUMMARY

A hearing will be rescheduled regarding the above referenced matter.

Kathleen M. Devine, Arbitrator

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AWARD

A hearing regarding the grievance of Letter Carrier Battaglia was scheduled for February 6, 2001. The Union requested an adjournment of the hearing. The Postal Service objected to the Union's request.

I granted the Union's adjournment. A hearing regarding the grievance of Letter Carrier Battaglia will be rescheduled by the parties.

February 2 , 2001.	Kathleen M. Devine, Arbitrator
STATE OF NEW YORK) COUNTY OF SUFFOLK)	ss.:
I, KATHLEEN M. DEVINE,	do hereby affirm upon my oath as
Arbitrator that I am the	individual described herein and who
executed this instrument,	which is my Award.
February 2 , 2001.	Kathleen M. Devine, Arbitrator