



EMPLOYEE AND LABOR RELATIONS GROUP
Washington, DC 20260

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Mr. James H. Rademacher, President
National Association of Letter
Carriers, AFL-CIO
100 Indiana Avenue, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20001

Dear Mr. Rademacher:

In early September 1975, you raised a question relative to how letter size magazines are counted under the 18 and 8 standard, specifically, in the San Francisco area. Please be advised that the San Francisco District has been advised that the magazines such as TV Guide, Readers Digest and similar items are considered as magazines for mail count purposes and, in accordance with Part 922.4 Methods Handbook, M-41, are not to be included in the letter size count.

Sincerely,

James G. Merrill
James G. Merrill, Acting Director
Office of Grievance Procedures
Labor Relations Department