

September 22, 1981

Mr. Joseph H. Johnson, Jr.
Director, City Delivery
National Association of Letter
Carriers, AFL-CIO
190 Indiana Avenue, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20001

Re: Branch
Santa Barbara, CA 93102
H8N-5G-C 16694

Dear Mr. Johnson:

On July 28, 1981, we met with you to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The matters presented by you as well as the applicable contractual provisions have been reviewed and given careful consideration.

The question in this grievance is whether or not management violates Article XXIV of the National Agreement by use of a Daily Management Productivity Control Form. In our opinion, this issue does not fairly present an interpretive question.

The form in question is merely a management tool being utilized to gather information. As such, it is not used for disciplinary or route adjustment purposes. The case file does not reflect that use of the disputed form is in any manner an effort to effect time or work standards.

Accordingly, as we find no violation of the National Agreement, this grievance is denied.

Time limits were extended by mutual agreement.

Sincerely,

(signed)

Soward R. Carter
Labor Relations Department

** Use of internal management form. Arbitration not requested.