

EMPLOYEE AND LABOR RELATIONS GROUP Weshington, DC 20260

AUG 31 1977

Mr. Thomas D. Riley Assistant Secretary-Treasurer National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL-CIO 100 Indiana Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20001

> Re: L. Dollard Philadelphia, PA

> > NC-E-7534 (Employee Claim no Regional No.)

Dear Mr. Riley:

On August 23, 1977, 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.

Based on the evidence presented in this grievance, we find that the grievant was properly denied payment for the loss of a battery in her motor vehicle.

Therefore, it is our conclusion that no violation of the National Agreement occurred and the grievance is denied.

Sincerely

Michael J. Haffison

Labor Relations Department

NOTE: Article XXVII clearly excludes motor

vehicles and their contents.

Arbitration Not Requested.