



OFFICE OF THE POSTMASTER GENERAL  
Washington, D.C. 20260

April 19, 1972

Mr. Tony Huerta  
National Field Director  
National Association of Letter  
Carriers, AFL-CIO  
100 Indiana Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20001

Re: Donald E. Stephens  
Tulsa, Oklahoma  
N-S-153

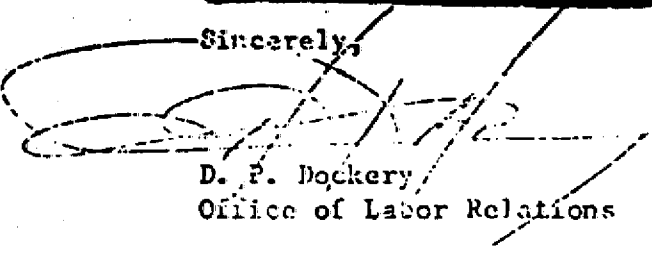
Dear Mr. Huerta:

On April 11, 1972 a meeting was held pursuant to Article XV, Step 4 of the National Agreement at the National Headquarters of the US Postal Service concerning the above captioned matter.

It is the position of the Postal Service in light of all facts brought forth at the Step 4 meeting that the actions of the Superintendent of the Southside Station in this fact situation were arbitrary and not in keeping with the intent of Article XVII, Section 3 of the National Agreement. However, it should be noted that the steward has upon him the obligation to be specific in terms of the request made and the duty to demonstrate its relevance to the grievance in question.

The steward may resubmit his request for overtime information setting forth the names of those carriers whose overtime record he wishes to see and the time period which he wishes to review.

Sincerely,

  
D. P. Dockery  
Office of Labor Relations