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EMPLOYEE AND LABOR RELATIONS GROUP

Washington, DC 20260

March 23, 1979

Mr. Richard I. Wewodau
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Re: APWU-Local
Athens, GA
AC-S-23828/A5-AT-20195
APWU 23828

Dear Mr. Wewodau:

On September 5, 1978, 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.

At issue in this grievance is the use of a craft employee in an overtime status as a craft employee between regular tours on which the craft employee served as an acting supervisor. It is noted that a previous grievance from the same installation was resolved by mutual agreement that a craft employee in a 204B status would not be returned to the craft for an overtime assignment as long as another craft employee is available and qualified to perform the assignment.

In the instant case, local management has not disputed the Union's contention of other available employees. Therefore, the Postmaster is instructed to conform with the previous agreed to settlement at Step 3 and cease making such assignments as those at issue when qualified craft employees are available notwithstanding the fact that the employee in the 204B status is on the Overtime Desired List as a craft employee.

Accordingly, we mutually agreed that the foregoing fully resolves this grievance and we consider the case closed.

Please sign the attached copy of this letter as your acknowledgement of the agreed to resolution.

Sincerely,

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