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Mr. Vincent R. Sombrotto President National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL-CIO 100 Indiana Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20001-2197

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CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION UNIT N.A.L.C. WASHINGTON, D.C.

H7N-5T-C 7855 Re:

Branch

Oxnard, CA 93030

Dear Mr. Sombrotto:

Recently, a meeting was held with the NALC Director of City Delivery, Brian Farris, to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issue in this grievance is whether the filling out of PS Form 1571 is of a recurring nature.

After reviewing this matter, we mutually agreed that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in this case. If it is determined that the use of these forms are of a recurring nature, then appropriate time should be entered for completing the forms on Line 21. If use of the forms are not of a recurring nature, then the time should be entered on Line 22 during the mail count and inspection. determination for recurring or non-recurring must be made locally.

Accordingly, we agreed to remand this case to the parties at Step 3 for further processing, including arbitration if necessary.

Please sign and return the enclosed copy of this letter as your acknowledgment of agreement to remand this case.

Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

J. Scola, Grievance & Arbitration

Division

President

National Association of Letter

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