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Mr. Lawrence G. Hutchins
Vice President
National Association of
Letter Carriers, AFL-CIO
100 Indiana Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20001-2197

Re: E7N-5F-C 9555
Branch
Las Vegas, NV 89114

Dear Mr. Hutchins:

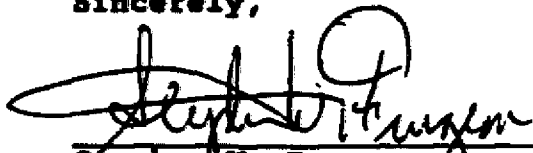
Recently, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance currently pending national level arbitration.


This grievance concerns the meaning of the word "hospitalization" as used in Part 342.2 of Handbook EL-311.

During our discussion, we mutually agreed that the term "hospitalization" as used in Part 342.2 of Handbook EL-311, Personnel Operations, EL-311, does not include out-patient visits to the hospital. We agreed to remand the case to the region for further processing, including arbitration if necessary.

Please sign and return the enclosed copy of this letter as your acknowledgment of agreement to remand case no. E7N-5F-C 9555 and remove it from the pending national arbitration listing.

Sincerely,


Stephen W. Furgeson
General Manager
Grievance and Arbitration
Division


Lawrence G. Hutchins
Vice President
National Association of
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Date 3/10/92

Enclosure

