

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE  
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June 17, 1983

Mr. Gerald Anderson  
Assistant Director  
Clerk Division  
American Postal Workers  
Union, AFL-CIO  
817 - 14th Street, N.W. —  
Washington, D.C. 20005-3399

Re: J. Sanchez  
Manati, PR 00701  
R1C-1L-C 9117

Dear Mr. Anderson:

On June 7, 1983, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The matters presented as well as the applicable contractual provisions have been reviewed and given careful consideration.

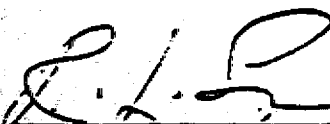
We mutually agreed that in light of the existing provisions of 432.32, ELM, this grievance does not pose a nationally interpretive question.

Part-time flexibles may be required to observe a service day lasting more than 10 hours but less than 12 hours. Whether or not there exists a valid past practice in this local office to limit PTF's to a 10-hour service week is determined by examination of the fact circumstances.

Accordingly, as further agreed, this case is hereby remanded to Step 3 for further processing by the the parties at that level.

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

Sincerely,



Robert L. Eugene  
Labor Relations Department



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