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

> Re: H7N-3D-C 23071 Class Action Birmingham AL 35203

Dear Mr. Hutchins:

In a prearbitration settlement of the above referenced case, dated December 9, 1991, it was agreed to develop a joint committee to review the presence of a removable passenger jump seat in a Long Life Vehicle (LLV) from the perspectives of safety and performance.

After further joint discussions by our representatives, we have mutually agreed that the presence of a removable passenger jump seat does not constitute a safety hazard. However, the seat will be removed from the vehicle after use if it is not going to be used again in the immediate future.

Please sign and return the enclosed copy of this letter as your acknowledgment of agreement to resolve this issue in this manner.

Sincerely,

Anthony J. Vegliante

Manager Grievance and Arbitration Labor Relations

Lawrence G. Hutchi

Vice President National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL-CIO

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Enclosure