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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

Re: H90N-4H-C 92041282
SON-3C-C 13061
CLASS ACTION
JACKSON TN 38301

Dear Mr. Sombrotto:

Recently, a meeting was held with the NALC Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, William Young, to discuss the above captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issue in this grievance is whether Management violated the National Agreement by assigning delivery of first class and priority mail within the boundaries of established city delivery to Clerks and Special Delivery Messengers.

After reviewing this matter, we mutually agreed that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in this case.

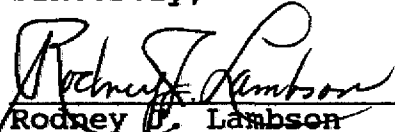
During our discussion we mutually agreed that the delivery of first class and priority mail on a route served by a letter carrier is letter carrier work. The propriety of a cross craft assignment can only be determined by the application of Article 7.2.

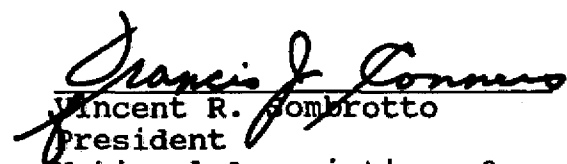
Accordingly, we agreed to remand this case to the parties at Step 3 for further processing with the above understanding, including arbitration if necessary.

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.

Sincerely,


Rodney C. Lambson
Grievance and Arbitration
Labor Relations


Vincent R. Sombrotto
President
National Association of
Letter Carriers, AFL-CIO

Date: 3/3/94