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

Re: G90N-4G-C 95012986
CLASS ACTION
SAN ANTONIO TX 78284-9511

Dear Mr. Sombrotto:

On January 23, 1996, I met with your representative 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 the National Agreement in implementing DPS.

After reviewing this matter, it is mutually agreed that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in this case. DPS Implementation: A Training Guide for Delivery Management in Part 4.6 contains specific information concerning what to do if quality deteriorates after attaining the quality threshold. Accordingly, we agreed to remand this case to the parties at Step 3 for further processing consistent with the above understanding.

Please sign and return the enclosed copy of this decision as your acknowledgment of agreement to settle this case in its entirety.

Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

Sincerely,

Larry J. Leehans
Grievance and Arbitration
Labor Relations

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

Date: 2/7/96