

Mr. Fredric V. Rolando President National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL-CIO 100 Indiana Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20001-2144

Re:

Q06N-4Q-C 12219976

Class Action

Washington, DC 20260-4100

Dear Mr. Rolando:

Recently, our representatives met to discuss the above-referenced Article 19 appeal concerning the issuance of Management Instruction EL-823-2012-1, Bicycle Helmets. Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

After reviewing this matter, we mutually agree to resolve this grievance as follows:

The Postal Service will, upon request, provide a bicycle helmet to each letter carrier assigned to ride a bicycle in the course of his/her official duties. However, letter carriers will not be required to wear a bicycle helmet during the performance of official duties unless required by law.

Management Instruction EL-823-2012-1 will be updated to reflect this agreement.

Any grievance currently held for this case will be processed with this understanding in accordance with Article 15 of the National Agreement.

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

Alan S. Moore

Manager, Labor Relations

Policy and Programs U.S. Postal Service

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