

EMPLOYEE AND LABOR RELATIONS GROUP Washington, DC 20260

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Mr. Alfred K. May Assistant Secretary-Treasurer National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL-CIO 100 Indiana Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20001

> Re: J. Kalesnik Springfield, MA NC-N-4402/V76-10075

Dear Mr. May:

On January 17, 1977, we met with you to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

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

The evidence presented indicate that the grievant in this instance is entitled to court leave as a result of being subpoenced by the District Court of Massachusetts to be a witness for the State. To this extent the grievance is sustained. The grievant will receive court leave for the time necessary to appear as a witness in lieu of annual leave.

Sincerely;

Robert B. Hubbell

Labor Relations Department

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