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Mr. Kenneth D. Wilson  
Administrative Aide, Clerk Craft  
American Postal Workers Union, AFL-CIO  
817 - 14th Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20005

Re: J. Barber  
Phoenix, AZ  
A8-W-0724/W8C5KC7988+  
APWU - 0724

Dear Mr. Wilson:


On July 3, 1980, 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.

After reviewing the information provided, we mutually agreed that in accord with Article XXIV of the National Agreement, any employee on LWOP to devote full or part-time service to a Union signatory to the agreement shall be credited with step increases as if in a pay status. Accordingly, the grievant in this instant grievance shall receive her step increase retroactive to the original date it would have been granted.

Please sign the attached copy of this letter as your acknowledgment of the final disposition of this case.

Sincerely,

  
Robert L. Eugene  
Labor Relations Department

  
Kenneth D. Wilson  
Administrative Aide, Clerk Craft  
American Postal Workers Union,  
AFL-CIO

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