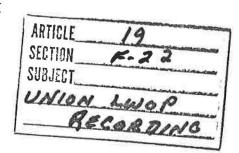


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Mr. Kenneth D. Wilson
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817 - 14th Street, N.W.
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Re: G. Santana Miami, FL 33152 H1C-3W-C-7425

Dear Mr. Wilson:

On September 29, 1982, we met 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 question in this grievance is whether the grievant's Leave Without Pay (LWOP) for PP 7-72 was properly recorded.

Our respective case files indicate that the grievant is an appointed official of the local APWU. During PP 7-82, the grievant was granted approximately 11 hours of LWOP to attend to local union obligations. The grievant's LWOP was not coded under PSDS Code 28, Leave Without Pay - Union Official's Leave.

It is our mutual understanding that inder the circumstances present in this case, the grievant was entitled to LWOP - Union Official's Leave. Therefore, we agreed to remand this case to the regional level to determine the amount of improperly coded LWOP and to adjust the grievant's leave records.

Please sign and return the enclosed copy of this decision as acknowledgment of agreement to remand this grievance.

Sincerely,

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