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ARTICLE	19
SECTION	
SUBJECT	PO 402 T
	PTF SCHEME
	TRAINING

Re: M. Sanchez  
Woodland Hills, CA 91364  
B4C-5G-C 14078

Dear Mr. Tunstall:

On several occasions, the latest being January 25, 1989, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issues in this grievance involve the length of the deferment period for PTF's and the scheduling of scheme training pursuant to the 1984 National Agreement.


After reviewing this matter, we mutually agreed that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in this case. We further agreed that this was a local issue suitable for regional determination based upon application of the PO-402T (April 1981) to the specific fact circumstances.

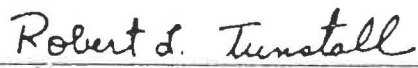
Accordingly, we agreed to remand this case to the parties at Step 3 for further processing, including arbitration if necessary.

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

Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

Sincerely,

  
Samuel M. Pulcrano  
Grievance & Arbitration  
Division

  
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