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REVIEW CLERKS

Mr. Wallace Baldwin, Jr.
Administrative Vice President
Clerk Craft
American Postal Workers Union, AFL-CIO
817 - 14th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005

(att. 11-M 54, 16)

Re: Class Action
Savannah, GA 31401
ELC-3D-C-6600

Dear Mr. Baldwin:

This decision replaces the decision dated August 25, 1982.

On August 11, 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 or not management violated Article XIX of the National Agreement by allowing the Review Clerks at the Savannah Post Office to check EDIT tapes for errors.

According to information provided, the Review Clerk is utilized for the purpose of identifying errors on EDIT tapes. The tapes are then given to the supervisor who analyzes the errors and completes the EDIT process. Clerks being edited are not identified by name, and the tapes are not taken out of the vicinity of the LSM operation.

During our discussion, we agreed that the practice as described does not violate the National Agreement or Handbooks M-16 and M-54; the duties being performed are within the scope of those contained in the Review Clerks Position Description; and that utilization of the Review Clerk as described expedites the EDIT process.

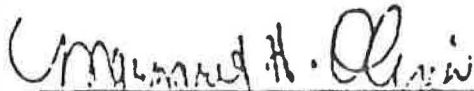
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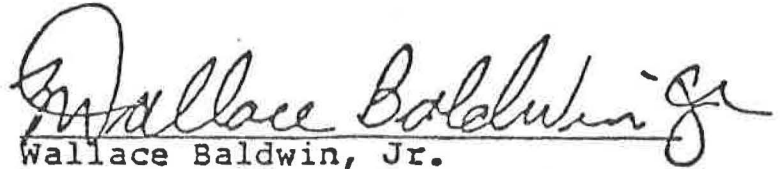
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Based on the above agreement, we agreed to resolve this case. Please sign a copy of this letter as acknowledgment of your agreement to the resolution.

Sincerely,


Margaret H. Oliver
Labor Relations Department


Wallace Baldwin, Jr.
Administrative Vice President
American Postal Workers Union,
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