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May 11, 1972

ARTICLE \_\_\_\_\_  
SECTION \_\_\_\_\_  
SUBJECT Higher Level Pay  
Buffers + Sweepers

Mr. Richard I. Wevodau  
Administrative Aide  
American Postal Workers Union, AFL-CIO  
817 - 14th Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20005

Re: Grievance - B. Lartigue, M. Brown,  
R. Londo, E. Harris  
Houston, TX.  
STN-10

Dear Mr. Wevodau:

On April 21, 1972, we met with you to discuss the above captioned grievance in accordance with Article IX, of the 1968 Agreement.

The matters presented by you concerning this grievance as well as the applicable contractual provisions have been reviewed and given careful consideration. As a result of this review we believe that the operation of a power driven waxer and other heavy duty industrial equipment as outlined in the job description of a custodial laborer level 3, are not encompassed or intended to apply within the job description of a level 2 custodian, therefore, the grievance is sustained.

The remedy in resolving this grievance is that in the future when the Postal Service assigns level 2 custodians to operate power driven waxers, buffers and other heavy duty industrial equipment the employee will be compensated at the higher level pay (level 3) for the time assigned to that duty. As we mutually agreed, there will be no retroactivity of pay for work performed in the past by the grievants regarding the use of power driven waxers.

Sincerely,

*J.G. Merrill*  
J.G. Merrill

Labor Relations Division  
Employee & Labor Relations Group

