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Clerk Craft Division
American Postal Workers
Union, AFL-CIO
817 14th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20005-3399

ARTICLE	25
SECTION	
SUBJECT	
FORM	1412

Re: J. Lowery
Fort Worth, TX 76101
H1C-3A-C 25730

J. Lowery
Fort Worth, TX 76101
H1C-3A-C 25731

D. Lopez
Fort Worth, TX 76101
H1C-3A-C 26576

Dear Mr. Anderson:

On February 5, 1985, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievances at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issue in these grievances is whether the disputed duties constitute higher level work.

After further review of this matter, we agreed that there was no national interpretive issue fairly presented as to the meaning and intent of Article 25 of the National Agreement. Whether or not the consolidation of Forms 1412, in these instances, constitute higher level work is a noninterpretive question suitable for regional determination based on the specific fact circumstances of each case.

Accordingly, we agreed to remand these cases to Step 3 for further consideration by the parties.

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

Mr. Gerald Anderson

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Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

Sincerely,

for Margaret H. Oliver

Muriel Aikens
Labor Relations Department

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