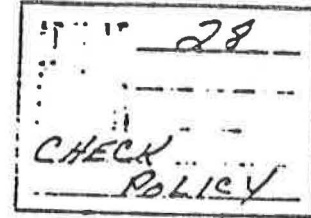




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Re: B. Garrison
Houston, TX 77088
H1C-3U-C 20899

Dear Mr. Morgen:

On August 23, 1983, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issue in this grievance is whether the grievant was properly issued the disputed letter of demand for an "insufficient funds check."


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 28 of the National Agreement. This is a purely local factual dispute over the application of Article 28, Section 1, and Financial Handbook F-1, Section 332.6.

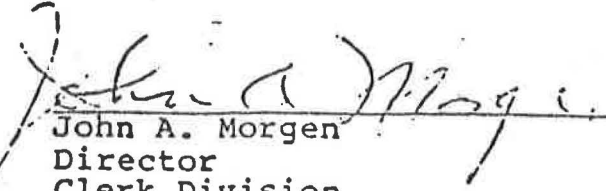
Accordingly, we agreed to remand this case to Step 3 for further consideration by the parties.

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

Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

Sincerely,


A. J. Johnson
Labor Relations Department

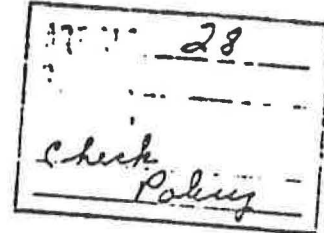

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Re: L. Himes
Houston, TX 77088
H1C-3U-C 20848

Dear Mr. Morgen:

On August 23, 1983, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issue in this grievance is whether the grievant was properly issued the disputed letter of demand for an "insufficient funds check."

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 28 of the National Agreement. This is a purely local factual dispute over the application of Article 28, Section 1, and Financial Handbook F-1, Section 332.6.


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