



UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
475 L'Enfant Plaza, SW
Washington, DC 20260

September 17, 1982

ARTICLE	37
SECTION	3A9
SUBJECT	FOUR MONTH 204 B Assignments

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

Re: Class Action
Wilmington, DE 19850
H1C-2B-C 1359

Dear Mr. Baldwin:

On June 29, 1982, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure as set forth in Article 15, Section 2 of the National Agreement.

The matters presented by you as well as the applicable contractual provisions have been reviewed and given careful consideration.

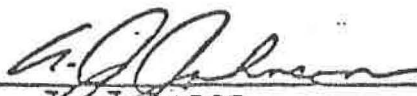
The issue in this case is whether the disputed duty assignment should be reposted due to the incumbent's detail to a 204-B position.

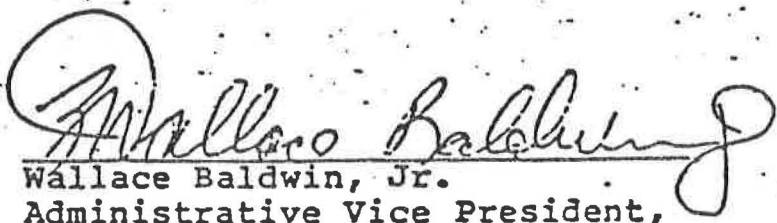
It is our mutual understanding that the issues in this case are not in dispute at this level. The parties at this level agree that the proper application of Article 37, Section 3.A.7 requires:

1. That temporary details to supervisory positions must be continuous to require a duty assignment to be declared vacant.
2. PS Form 1723 should be prepared indicating actual dates and times of the detail.
3. PS Form 1723 should be promptly provided to the Union at the local level.

Please sign and return the attached copy of this decision as your acknowledgment of agreement to settle this grievance.

Sincerely,


A. J. Johnson
Labor Relations Department


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