



ARTICLE	37
SECTION	3.F.9
SUBJECT	3390

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

A8-W-822

Mr. Wallace Baldwin, Jr.
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American Postal Workers Union,
APL-CIO
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Washington, D. C. 20005

Re: APWU Local
Pueblo, Colorado
A8-W-0822/W8C5FC10122

Dear Mr. Baldwin:

On November 27, 1981, we met with you to discuss the above-captioned grievance at pre-arbitration.

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

The United States Postal Service and the American Postal Workers Union agree that the following terms and conditions will settle all issues in dispute in grievance number A8-W-822/W8C-5F-C-10122:

1. The Postal Service acknowledges its responsibility to fill the positions listed in Article 37, Section 3.A.9., of the 1981 National Agreement with the senior qualified bidder meeting the qualification standards established for that position from the appropriate craft(s).
2. The Postal Service may invite employees in the appropriate craft(s) to take applicable qualifying examinations at any time to establish that they meet the qualification standards, with regard to examination requirements for the positions listed in Article 37, Section 3.A.9.
3. The senior bidder for a vacant Self Service Postal Unit Technician position will be provided an opportunity to take the appropriate examination to determine if he/she meets the qualification standards, with regard to examination requirements, to enter the training program for such position if he/she has not qualified prior to the posted vacancy.

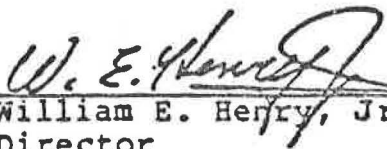
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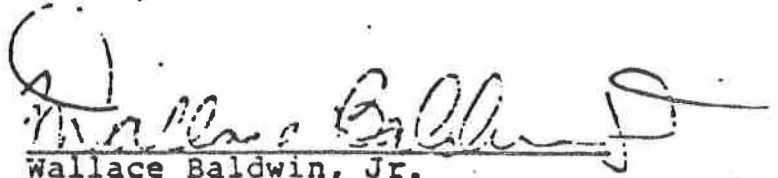
4. As remedy to this grievance the Pueblo, Colorado Post Office will implement this procedure, prospectively, in its installation immediately upon receipt of this resolution.

Please sign the attached copy to this decision as your acknowledgement of agreement to resolve this case.

Sincerely,



William E. Henry, Jr.
Director
Office of Grievance
and Arbitration
Labor Relations Department



Wallace Baldwin, Jr.
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