

## EMPLOYEE AND LABOR RELATIONS GROUP Washington, DC 20260

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Mr. Richard I. Wevodau Executive Vice President Maintenance Craft American Postal Workers Union, AFL-CIO 817 14th Street, NW Washington, DC 20005

> Re: E. E. Hopkins Shreveport, LA AC-S-8794/A5-DA-5977 APWU 8794

Dear Mr. Wevodau:

On December 17, 1976 we met with you to discuss the abovecaptioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

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

Documents involving the evaluation of employees concerning their standing on the promotion eligibility register should properly be placed in the promotion eligibility files. Such documentation is not an appropriate matter to be filed in the employees official personnel folder unless specifically requested by the employee. To this extent, we find the grievance is sustained.

The record is devoid of any convincing evidence to establish that the placement of the documents in question in the grievant's official personnel folder constituted discrimination under Article II of the National Agreement. Consequently, that portion of the grievance is denied.

By copy of this letter, the postmaster is instructed to remove the documents in question from the grievant's official personnel folder. If these documents are considered necessary and relevant to the evaluation in question, then they should be properly placed in the promition eligibility files.

Sincerely,

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William E. Henry, fr. Labor Relations Department