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SUBJECT	<u>Bulk mail</u>

Mr. Robert L. Tunstall
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1300 L Street, N.W.
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MAY 01 1987

Re: C. Johnson
Chicago BMC, IL 60700-9998
H4C-4A-C 14747

Dear Mr. Tunstall:

On April 1, 1987, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issue in this grievance is whether or not the grievant was properly trained and tested for the Bulk Mail Technician position.

After reviewing this matter, we mutually agreed that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in this case. This is a local dispute suitable for regional determination by application of Management Instruction EL-730-85-3 dated May 14, 1985 to the particular circumstances.

Accordingly, we agreed to remand this case to the parties at Step 3 for further processing, including arbitration if necessary.

Please sign and return the enclosed copy of this letter as your acknowledgment of agreement to remand this case.

Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

Sincerely,

Muriel A. Aikens
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Labor Relations Department

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