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ARTICLE _____
SECTION _____
SUBJECT Contracting Out
Custodial Work
Not Interpretive

Re: Class Action
Kewanee, IL 61443
E4T-4A-C 16767

Dear Mr. Wevodau:

On June 9, 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 management violated the National Agreement by contracting out custodial work.


After reviewing this matter, we mutually agreed that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in this case. We agreed the matter is suitable for regional determination by application of the Collins Award in case number E4T-3W-C 9682 to the facts involved.

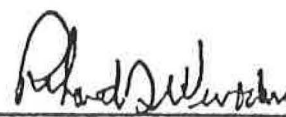
Accordingly, we agreed to remand this case to the parties at Step 3 for further processing, including arbitration if necessary.

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,


Andre B. Buchanan
Grievance & Arbitration
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