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Union, AFL-CIO
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ARTICLE\_
SECTION\_
SUBJECT\_Staffing
Full-Time vs PTR

Re: Class Action

Lubbock, TX 79402

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Dear Mr. Wevodau:

On February 24, 1984, we met to discuss the above-captioned case at the fourth step of the contractual grievance procedure set forth in the National Agreement.

The question raised in this grievance involved whether 2 full-time or 2 part-time custodial positions are needed at the Lubbock, Texas, Post Office.

After further review of this matter, we mutually agreed that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in the particulars evidenced in this case. There is no dispute between the parties at Step 4 as to the meaning and intent of Section 240 of Handbook MS-47. We agreed that the question raised requires application of that provision to the fact circumstances instead of an interpretation.

Accordingly, as we further agreed, this case is hereby remanded to the parties at Step 3 for further processing and arbitration if necessary.

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

Sincerely,

Margaret H. Oliver

Labor Relations Department

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Richard I. Wevodau
Assistant Director
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