



ARTICLE 8
SECTION 4 B
TRAINING

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
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Mr. Richard I. Wevodau
Director
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American Postal Workers
Union, AFL-CIO
817 14th Street, N.W.
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Re: APWU - Local
Saginaw, MI 48605
H1C-4B-C 37025

Dear Mr. Wevodau:

On May 2, 1985, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

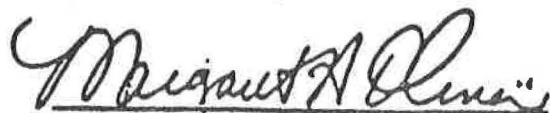
This grievance involved advance notice of a schedule change to attend training.

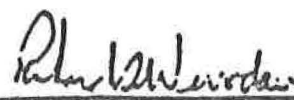
During our discussion, we agreed to settle this case based on our mutual understanding as follows:

1. While there is no contractual obligation for the Employer to pay out-of-schedule premium to employees in a training situation, the parties recognize the need for the employees to be informed as far in advance as possible when a schedule change for training purposes is needed.
2. Therefore, when it is possible, the employees should be notified of the schedule change by Wednesday of the preceeding week.

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

Sincerely,


Margaret H. Oliver
Labor Relations Department


Richard I. Wevodau
Director
Maintenance Craft Division
American Postal Workers