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Mr. James Connors
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Clerk Craft Division
American Postal Workers
Union, AFL-CIO
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Washington, DC 20005-4107

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Re: Class Action
Traverse City, MI 49684
H4C-4MC 34002

Dear Mr. Connors:

On August 10, 1988, 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 utilizing supervisors to transport Express Mail to associate offices.

During our discussion, it was mutually agreed to settle the grievance. The settlement is based on an understanding between the parties that the general delivery and picking up of Express Mail is bargaining-unit work. - It is also understood that management has not designated this work to any specific craft. In accordance with the above understanding, management is prohibited from performing bargaining-unit work except as enumerated in Article 1, Section 6.

This settlement is not intended to prohibit management from assigning available personnel as necessary, including nonbargaining-unit persons, to meet its commitment where Express Mail is concerned in connection with noon and 3 p.m. deliveries as well as office closings.

Mr. James Connors

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Please sign and return the enclosed copy of this letter acknowledging your agreement to this settlement.

Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

Sincerely,



Samuel M. Pulcrano
Grievance & Arbitration
Division



James Connors
Assistant Director
Clerk Craft Division
American Postal Workers
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