

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE 475 L'Entant Plaza. SW Washington, DC 20260

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Mr. James I. Adams
Assistant Director
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American Postal Workers Union,
AFL-CIO
817 14th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20005-3399

ARTICLE 8
SECTION 8
SUPERIOR NOT TO REPAIR

Re: Class Action

Grand Rapids, MI 49501

B1C-4B-C 14530

Dear Mr. Adams:

On September 9, 1983, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The grievance concerns whether part-time flexible employees who were told not to report for work five hours prior to their scheduled reporting time are entitled to a contractual guarantee pursuant to Article 8, Section 8.

It remains the position of the Postal Service that the work schedules of PTF employees may be changed with reasonable notice. In this case, the PTF employees received reasonable notice not to report. They are not entitled to any work guarantee.

Accordingly, as we find no violation of the National Agreement, this grievance is denied.

Time limits extended by mutual consent.

Sincerely,

Robert L. Eugene

Labor Relations Department