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Mr. Thomas Freeman, Jr.  
Assistant Director  
Maintenance Craft Division  
American Postal Workers  
Union, AFL-CIO  
1300 L Street, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20005-4107

Re: L. Degregorio  
New Haven, CT 06511  
HLC-1J-C 13437

Dear Mr. Freeman:

On July 18, 1985, you met with USPS representative, Muriel Aikens, to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issue in this grievance is whether the grievant is entitled to holiday work pay in addition to holiday leave pay while on court leave.

During discussions, this case was identified as being similar to case HLC-5K-C 27458 which was pending arbitration at the national level.

Accordingly, it was agreed to hold this case in abeyance at the national level for possible application of the arbitration award.

On April 4, 1986, Arbitrator Richard I. Bloch rendered a decision on case HLC-5K-C 27458.

It is our mutual agreement to remand this case to the parties at Step 3 for application of the principles contained in the Arbitration decision of Arbitrator Bloch (attached).