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ARTICLE	14
SECTION	
SUBJECT	OCR/BCR
	Breaks

Re: Class Action
North Suburban,
H1C-4A-C 36399

Dear Mr. Anderson:

On March 27, 1985, we met to discuss the above-captioned at the fourth step of the contractual grievance procedure forth in the 1981 National Agreement.

The question raised in this grievance involved whether OCR and BCR operators should be granted an additional break when overtime is required.

After further review of this matter, we mutually agreed that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in the particulars evidenced in this case. This is a local dispute over the application of section 432.34 of the Employee and Labor Relations Manual and is an issue suitable for regional determination based on the specific individual circumstances of the case.

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

Please sign and return a copy of this letter as your acknowledgment of agreement to remand this case.

Time limits are extended by mutual agreement.

Sincerely,

Brenda K. Butler
Labor Relations Department

Gerald A. Anderson
Assistant Director
Clerk Craft Division
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