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Mr. James Connors
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Clerk Craft Division
American Postal Workers
Union, AFL-CIO
1300 L Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20005-4107

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Re: Class Action
Northbrook, IL 60062
H4C-4A-C 31964

Dear Mr. Connors:

On November 5, 1987, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issue in this grievance is whether local management's refusal to honor the Union's request for information unless a special form is used violates the National Agreement.

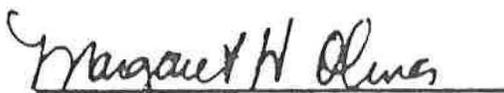
After reviewing this matter, we mutually agreed that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in this case. We agreed that this is a local dispute suitable for regional determination.

Accordingly, we agreed to remand this case to the parties at Step 3 for further processing, including arbitration if necessary.

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

Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

Sincerely,


Margaret H. Oliver
Grievance & Arbitration
Division


James Connors
Assistant Director
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