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ARTICLE _____
SECTION _____
SUBJECT OSMC

Re: R. Stevens
AMF Kennedy, NY 11430
H1T-1M-C 43851

Dear Mr. Wevodau:

On August 16, 1985, and again on September 6, 1985, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issue in this grievance is whether the grievant was promoted to an ET-8 on the proper date.

After reviewing this matter, we mutually agreed that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in this case. The parties at this level agree that in the case of ZMT, ESP and PSDS Equipment and BMC Systems Course, an employee shall be promoted to ET-8 upon successful completion of any of these resident training courses whether or not a vacancy exists. The promotion to an ET-9 is accomplished upon successful completion of On-Site Maintenance Certification (OSMC) and only if a level 9 vacancy exists.

Accordingly, we agreed to remand this case to the parties at Step 3 for application of the above understanding to the fact circumstances.

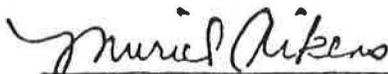
Please sign and return the enclosed copy of this letter as your acknowledgment of agreement to remand this case.

Mr. Richard I. Wevodau

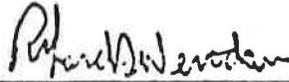
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Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

Sincerely,



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Labor Relations Department



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