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

Re: Local
Mesa, AZ 85201
H7C-5F-C 3398

Dear Mr. Connors:

On several occasions, the latest being January 11, 1989, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issue in this grievance involves awarding a bid that required computer skills at the Mesa, AZ Post Office.

After reviewing this matter, we mutually agreed that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in this case. We further agreed that this was a local issue suitable for regional determination based upon application of the Memorandum of Understanding (Re: Bids With Required Computer Skills) on pages 204-205 of the National Agreement to the specific fact circumstances.

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

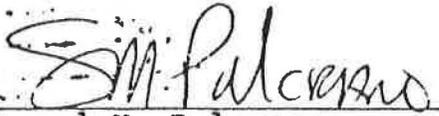
Please sign and return the enclosed copy of this letter as your acknowledgment of agreement to remand this case.

Mr. James Connors

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Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

Sincerely,



Samuel M. Pulcrano
Grievance & Arbitration
Division



Jim Connors
Assistant Director
Clerk Craft Division
American Postal Workers
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(Date) _____