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Re: Attached list of grievances

Dear Mr. Wilson:

On March 8, 1984, we met to discuss the above-captioned grievances at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

We mutually agreed that staffing of the multi-position flat sorting machine will be determined by the FSM 775 Flat Sorter Machine Guidelines. This handbook, presently being published by the Postal Service, will allow for flexibility in personnel management on the MPFSM as determined by mail volumes, both available and anticipated, and the sort plan. Therefore, grievances concerning staffing on MPFSMs are considered noninterpretive and must be processed at the lower levels based upon fact circumstances. Accordingly, these grievances are remanded to Step 3.

Please sign and return the attached copy of this decision as acknowledgment of agreement to remand these cases.

Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

Sincerely,

Robert L. Eugene

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