

LABOR RELATIONS



Mr. Joey Johnson
Director of Labor Relations
National Rural Letter Carriers'
Association
1630 Duke Street
Alexandria, VA 22314-3465

Re: J06R-4J-C09249822
Class Action
Batavia, IL 60510

Dear Joey:

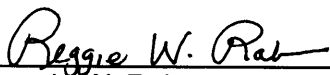
On February 23, 2011, the parties discussed the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

The issue in this grievance concerns compensation when a rural carrier makes multiple trips to retrieve delivery point sequence (DPS) letters during the mail count.

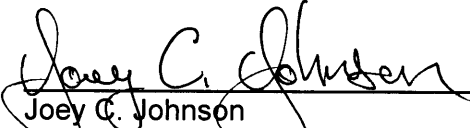
After reviewing this matter, we determined the parties discussed multiple trips in the Louisville, Kentucky, pre-arbitration settlement (D95R-4D-C 01037982) dated March 19, 2003. The parties understand that every reasonable effort should be made to limit the number of trips necessary to retrieve DPS letters. This includes using the necessary equipment to complete the retrieval in one trip. In the event multiple trips are authorized, the route will be provided additional credit under Column 17 only for the distance beyond 50 feet for each individual trip.

Time limits were extended by mutual consent.

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



Reggie W. Rabon
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Date: 3/11/2011