



Mr. Joey Johnson
Director of Labor Relations
National Rural Letter Carriers'
Association
1630 Duke Street
Alexandria, VA 22314-3467

Re: J06R-4J-C12071816
Johnson
Rockford, MI 49341

Dear Mr. Johnson:

On several occasions, the most recent being April 3, 2013, the parties discussed the above-captioned grievance at the fourth step of our contractual grievance procedure.

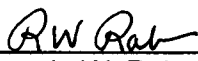
The issue in this grievance is whether additional credit is provided for separating parcels collected on the route by 3-digit ZIP Codes.

After reviewing this matter, we mutually agree that no national interpretive issue is fairly presented in this case. If rural carriers are required to separate parcels collected on the route, additional credit in Column 17, *Other Suitable Allowance*, is appropriate.

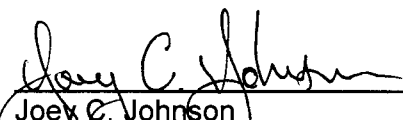
Accordingly, we agree to remand the case to the parties at Step 3 for proper application and further processing and arbitration, if necessary.

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.



Reggie W. Rabon
Labor Relations Specialist
Contract Administration (NRLCA)



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