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Dear Mr. Johnson:

Recently Judy Hoard and I met in prearbitration discussion of HIM-4K-C 25503, Des Moines, Iowa, BMC. The issue in this grievance is whether employees are entitled to Sunday premium pay for the time they received administrative leave, after being released from duty before the normal completion of their tour of duty due to an "Act of God."

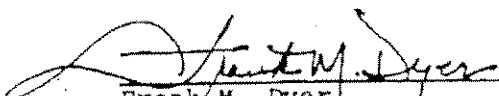
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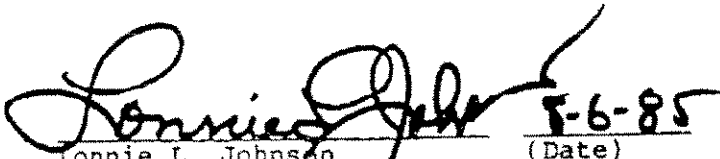
It was mutually agreed to full settlement of this case as follows:

Part 519.1 of the ELM defines administrative leave as ". . . absence from duty authorized by appropriate postal officials . . . without loss of pay." Therefore, those employees who would have normally received Sunday premium on the day in question will be appropriately compensated at the rate of pay in effect at the time of the incident.

Please sign and return the enclosed copy of this letter acknowledging your agreement to settle this case, withdrawing HIM-4K-C 25503 from the national pending arbitration listing.

Sincerely,


Frank M. Dyer
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Arbitration Division
Labor Relations Department


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Enclosure

American Postal Workers Union, AFL-CIO

Memorandum

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From the Office of C. J. "CLIFF" GUFFEY *CJG*
Director, Clerk Division



January 16, 2001

TO: National Business Agents
SUBJECT: **Payment of Sunday Premium during Administrative Leave**

Arbitrator Parkinson's December 8, 2000 National Level Award (J90M-1J-C 95047374), favorably resolved the question of employees' entitlement to night differential while on Administrative Leave.

The Arbitrator did not address the question of Sunday Premium. He noted however, that a national settlement existed which resolved that issue. The subject Step 4 pre-arbitration settlement of H1M-4K-C 25503, July 27, 1985, is attached for your reference.

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