### SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

# **BETWEEN THE**

## UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

### AND THE

# AMERICAN POSTAL WORKERS UNION, AFL-CIO

RE: Q10V-4Q-C 13222748/HQTV20130340

The parties agree to resolve all issues in case # Q10V-4Q-C 13222748/HQTV20130340. The issue involved whether the application of the language contained in Article 39.2.A.11 is controlling regarding the conversion of a Motor Vehicle Craft Postal Support Employee (PSE) when a residual vacancy occurs within the same occupational group and grade. The parties agree that this dispute was resolved in consideration of the language set forth in the MOU Re: Filling of Residual Vacancies signed March 20, 2014.

This agreement shall be without precedent as to any other dispute now pending or in the future between and among these parties and cannot be cited by either party in any forum for purposes other than enforcing or interpreting the provisions contained herein.

Accordingly, the parties agree that the case referred to initiate this interpretive issue be remanded back to Step 3 and any cases held in abeyance pending this National dispute may continue to be processed in accordance with Article 15.

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