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Mr. Tony D. McKinnon, Sr.
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1300 L Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005-4128

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Dear Tony:

This letter is in response to your May 3 letter to Douglas A. Tulino, Vice President, Labor Relations requesting "a four-week moratorium on the processing of grievances, disciplinary actions and arbitration hearings at the National, Regional, State, and Local levels for the period of Monday, August 15, 2016 to Friday, September 9, 2016" due to the American Postal Workers Union's Biennial National Convention and related meetings. The requested period spans a total of 26 days.

The Postal Service agrees with your request as follows:

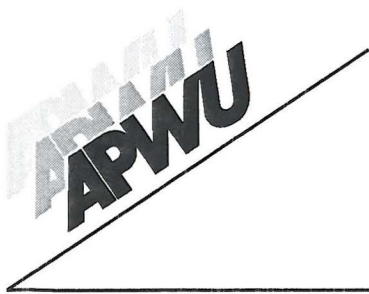
For all grievances and appeals to arbitration, time limits for filing and/or appeal will be extended for a period of 26 days beyond those specified in the National Agreement. In addition, suspensions that would otherwise be served because no grievance had been filed within 14 days or because no appeal had been filed to the next step of the grievance-arbitration procedure will be deferred for the 26-day extension period.

No arbitrations will be scheduled between August 15 and September 9, 2016.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Rickey R. Dean", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Rickey R. Dean
A/Manager
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May 3, 2016

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Via Facsimile & First-Class Mail

Mr. Doug Tulino, Vice President
Labor Relations
United States Postal Service
475 L'Enfant Plaza, SW, Room 9014
Washington, DC 20260-4100

Dear Mr. Tulino:

During the third and fourth weeks of August, the National, Regional, State and Local Officers of the American Postal Workers Union will be in Orlando, Florida for a National Executive Board Meeting and our Biennial National Convention. Officers will be away from their respective headquarters, field and local offices for four weeks.

As has been the case in the past, I am requesting a four-week moratorium on the processing of grievances, disciplinary actions and arbitration hearings at the National, Regional, State and Local levels for the period of Monday, August 15, 2016 to Friday, September 9, 2016.

Enclosed you will find a copy of what the parties agreed to during the 2014 National Convention. It is requested that I be forwarded a similar response.

Your cooperation and a timely response will be appreciated. If you have any questions regarding the foregoing, I can be contacted at (202) 842-4273.

Sincerely,

Tony D. McKinnon, Sr.
Director, Industrial Relations

Enclosures

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April 14, 2014

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Dear Mr. Tulino:

During the third and fourth weeks of July, the National and Regional Officers of the American Postal Workers Union will be in Chicago, Illinois for a National Executive Board Meeting and our Biennial National Convention. Officers will be away from their respective headquarters for two weeks.

As has been the case in the past, I am requesting a three-week moratorium on the processing of grievances, disciplinary actions and arbitration hearings at the National and Regional levels for the period of Monday, July 14, 2014 to Friday, August 1, 2014.

Enclosed you will find a copy of what the parties agreed to during the 2008 National Convention. It is requested that I be forwarded a similar response.

Your cooperation and a timely response will be appreciated. If you have any questions regarding the foregoing, I can be contacted at (202) 842-4273.

Sincerely,


Tony D. McKinnon, Sr.
Director, Industrial Relations

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April 23, 2014

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American Postal Workers Union,
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Dear Tony:

This letter is in response to your April 14 letter to Doug A. Tulino, Vice President, Labor Relations requesting "a three-week moratorium on the processing of grievances, disciplinary actions and arbitration hearings at the National and Regional levels for the period of Monday, July 14, 2014 to Friday, August 1, 2014" due to the American Postal Workers Union's Biennial National Convention and related meetings. The requested period spans a total of 19 days.

The Postal Service agrees with your request as follows:

For all grievances and appeals to arbitration, time limits for filing and/or appeal will be extended for a period of 19 days beyond those specified in the National Agreement. In addition, suspensions that would otherwise be served because no grievance had been filed within 14 days or because no appeal had been filed to the next step of the grievance-arbitration procedure will be deferred for the 19-day extension period.

No arbitrations will be scheduled between July 14 and August 1, 2014.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick M. Devine".

Patrick M. Devine
Manager
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