February 24, 2014

To: Local Presidents
Regional Directors/Representatives
National Executive Board

Re: Article 12 – Excessing Related to Area Mail Processing (AMP) Events

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

Please find enclosed a copy of the above-referenced notification from the Postal Service regarding excessing related to Area Mail Processing (AMP) events.

According to the Postal Service, excessing related to Area Mail Processing events has been placed on an indefinite hold. Therefore, the Postal Service is releasing the residual vacancies withheld for placement of employees who were potentially impacted by AMP events. In addition, the Postal Service will review the status of each formerly withheld residual vacancy for continuing viability in accordance with the National Agreement between the Parties.

Please disseminate this information, as you deem appropriate and should you have any questions, comments and/or suggestions regarding the above, please contact this office or forward your responses to the Contract Administration Department.

Fraternally,

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Manager, Contract Administration

cc: John F. Hegarty, National President
Mark A. Gardner, National Secretary-Treasurer
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Dear John:

This letter serves as notice that Article 12 excessing related to Area Mail Processing (AMP) events has been placed on an indefinite hold. Therefore, the Postal Service is releasing the residual vacancies withheld for placement of employees who were potentially impacted by an AMP event.

As such, the Postal Service in each Area will review the status of each formerly withheld residual vacancy for continuing viability. If the jobs continue to be viable, the appropriate contractual process will be used to fill them. If it is determined that the residual withheld assignments are no longer valid, appropriate procedures will be followed in accordance with the Collective Bargaining Agreement.

Sincerely,

Allen Mohl
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And Employee Workplace Programs