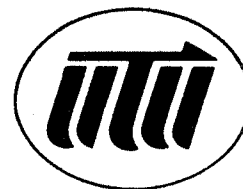


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Dear Mr. Boldra:

During our conference of December 19, 1994, we discussed the above claims in favor of various claimants, Tulsa Terminal, claiming additional overtime on various dates, account required to work more than 2 hours overtime.

Each of these cases involved incidents in which the yard crew apparently arrived at the tie up point prior to 10 hours on duty, but exceeded 10 hours while performing some necessary administrative duties in connection with their assignment, including the handling of a fax machine or other communication device to provide information to the officers and/or agents of the Carrier designated to receive same. You argued that the claimants were not specifically instructed to exceed 10 hours on duty, and the involved supervisor was not made aware of the excessive overtime until after the fact.

We agreed that in such cases in the future, before the crew exceeds 10 hours on duty they should notify a Trainmaster or other designated supervisor that the completion of such administrative duties will result in excessive overtime under Article 3, Section F of the Yardmen's Schedule. Then, if the supervisor instructs them to complete those duties, the Yard Foreman will record the name of the supervisor on his time slip along with the excessive overtime claim.

It was agreed that these instant claims will be withdrawn without prejudice to agreement rules on a nonreferable basis.

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If the above correctly recites our understanding, please sign and date one copy of this letter and return it for our files. Please advise us in the usual manner when payment is accomplished.

Sincerely,

for 

C. M. Vahldick
General Chairman

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AGREED:



R. A. Boldra
Assistant Director Labor Relations

Date Feb. 13, 1995