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Dear Sir:

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Referring to correspondence ending with your letter of February 15, 1968, and the discussion at recent conference concerning your desire for an understanding whereby trainmen and yardmen would be assigned vacation periods in the class of service in which they performed the preponderance of the work during the first ten months of the qualifying year.

Your desire in this respect was prompted by a number of complaints you had received where a prior right yardman was working in road service but at the time the vacation assignments were made he placed in yard service so he could get a better vacation assignment and would then revert again to road service and the same thing was happening where a road man was working in yard service but placed back in road service to get a better vacation date.

This will confirm understanding reached that commencing with the year 1969 in the case of trainmen and yardmen they will be assigned vacation periods on the basis of the class of service in which they perform the preponderance of their work during the first 10 months of the qualifying year.

Yours truly,

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