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D.J. BERGMAN, CHAIRMAN

DECISIONSan Joaquin Division Grievance No. 25-53-76-53ELETTER DECISIONP-RC 283DPRE-REVIEW REFERRALDisciplinary Layoffs of Line Subforeman and T&D Driver

February 28, 1977

MR. R. J. STEELE, Company Member	MR. V. D. LOVEALL, Union Member
San Joaquin Division	San Joaquin Division
Local Investigating Committee	Local Investigating Committee

The above-subject grievance has been discussed by the Pre-Review Committee prior to its docketing on the agenda of the Review Committee and is being returned to the Local Investigating Committee for settlement in accordance with the following:

The case concerns the one-day disciplinary layoff of a T&D Driver and a two-day disciplinary layoff of a Line Subforeman for their failure to properly follow safety regulations while operating a Company vehicle. Even though the T&D Driver was operating the vehicle unsafely, the failure on the part of the Line Subforeman in allowing the incident to continue when he was aware of the mechanical malfunction of the vehicle was irresponsible. The Pre-Review Committee is in agreement that the grievants' actions were improper and disciplinary action is in order. However, in view of the Line Subforeman's past service and the sequence of events surrounding the occurrence, the Pre-Review Committee is of the opinion that the Division's last offer of settlement is equitable, reducing the two-day disciplinary layoff of the Line Subforeman to a one-day disciplinary layoff.

When a settlement is reached by the Local Investigating Committee, the Review Committee should be sent a copy of the final disposition.

D. J. BERGMAN, Chairman Review Committee

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L. N. FOSS, Secretary Review Committee

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FACT FINDING COMMITTEE NO. 377-76-179 P-RC 283

SAN JOAQUIN DIVISION LOCAL INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE NO. 25-53-76-53 (DIVISION GRIEVANCE NO. 25-53-76-53)

MEMORANDUM OF DISPOSITION

San Joaquin Division Grievance 25-53-76-53 was referred to the Fact Finding Committee on 11-15-76. The Fact Finding Committee, in turn, referred the grievance to the Review Committee on 12-14-76.

The case was returned to the Local Investigating Committee by the Pre-Review Committee, to be settled in accordance with the following:

The case concerns the one-day disciplinary layoff of a T&D Driver and a two-day disciplinary layoff of a Line Subforeman for their failure to properly follow safety regulations while operating a vehicle. It is agreed that the grievants' actions were improper and disciplinary action is in order. However, in view of the Line Subforeman's past service record without recorded safety infractions, the two-day disciplinary layoff of the Line Subforeman will be reduced to a one-day disciplinary layoff. This action is in accordance with the District's initial recommendation.

This case is closed.

FOR UNION:

Vernon D. Loveall

Business Representative Local 1245, IBEW, AFL-CIO

FOR COMPANY:

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General Foreman

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