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San Francisco Division Grievance No. 2-1056-84-156
P-RC 1046

January 13, 1986

- DECISION
- LETTER DECISION
- PRE-REVIEW REFERRAL

KENT H. ANDERSON, Company Member
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JOE VALENTINO, Union Member
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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, pursuant to Step Five A(ii) of the grievance procedure, to the Local Investigating Committee for settlement in accordance with the following:

Facts of the Case

At the Hunters Point Power Plant, a hydraulic gate that normally is operated by remote controls, had to be opened and closed manually through the use of come-a-longs, shackles and a 20-ton hydraulic jack. The gate, which is about six feet tall, needed manual assistance to open and close the last six inches. This activity was necessary in order to clean the tunnel of marine growth. Auxiliary Operators were assigned the work of setting up and operating the equipment needed to open and close the gate. The Union grieved, believing that the work of setting up the equipment should have been performed by maintenance employees. Once the equipment was set up, operating department employees would then be allowed to operate it.

Decision

Following a review of the case and the work performed, the Committee agreed that the setting up and operating of equipment for a function such as that involved in the grievance, falls within the purview of plant operations. Therefore, the assignment of the work to Auxiliary Operators was appropriate, and no violation of the Agreement occurred.

Based on the foregoing, this case is considered closed without adjustment and should be so noted by the Local Investigating Committee.


DAVID J. BERGMAN, Chairman
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