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Re: Election Office Case No. Post-52-LU853-CSF

Gentlemen.

A post-election protest was filed pursuant to the *Rules for the IBT International Union Delegate and Officer Election*, revised August 1, 1990 ("Rules"). The protest, filed by Rome A Aloise, a candidate for 1991 IBT International Convention delegate from Local 853, concerned the absentee ballots mailing procedure. Subsequent to his filing the protest, Mr Aloise, a successful candidate in the delegate and alternate delegate election for Local 853, sought to withdraw his protest. The Election Officer, determining that the withdrawal of the protest effectuates the purposes of the *Rules*, permits said protest to be withdrawn.

Very truly yours,

Michael H Holland

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cc: Donald E. Twohey, Regional Coordinator