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Kimberly D. Moseley, Deputy Assistant Secretary Office of Labor Management Relations (LMR) Department of Veterans Affairs 810 Vermont Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20420

Subject: VHA Mandatory Seasonal Influenza Vaccination Program

Dear Ms. Moseley:

In accordance with Article 47, Section 2, of the Master Agreement, National VA Council #53 is formally demanding to bargain on VHA Mandatory Seasonal Influenza Vaccination Program as cited above within the Department. Please provide the NVAC's Mid-Term Bargaining Committee with all information and/or data related to this subject. The negotiations of this matter should normally begin no later than twenty (20) workdays after the Management Chief Negotiator in this matter receives our demand to bargain.

Please cease and desist any implementation until the bargaining obligation has been met. The Mid-Term Bargaining Committee may request a briefing over the cited subject above, before sending any proposals. If you have any questions please call me at (217) 554-4866.

Sincerely,

Oscar L. Williams, Jr.

Chairperson, Mid-Term Bargaining Committee

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cc: Alma L. Lee, President National VA Council #53

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