



**AMERICAN FEDERATION OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES
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Subject: NCO 20 – Notice of Intent to Establish Employee Input Committee (AFGE
Locals 181; AFGE Local 498; AFGE Local 1042; AFGE Local 1108; AFGE
Local 1273 and AFGE Local 2583)

Dear Mr. Allen:

In accordance with Article 47 Section 2 C., of the Master Agreement the National VA Council #53 is formally demanding to bargain on NCO 20 Employee Input Committee within the Department. Ms. Alma L. Lee, President of the National VA Council#53, will be naming the Union's Chief Negotiator and team members. Please provide the named bargaining team with all information and/or data related to the cited subject. The negotiation of this matter should normally begin no later than twenty (20) workdays after the Management's Chief Negotiator receives our demand to bargain.

Please cease and desist any implementation until the bargaining obligation has been met. The above named NVAC's bargaining team may request a briefing over the cited subject above, before sending any proposals. If you have any questions, please contact 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
Donald Fowler, 11th District Representative NVAC

AFGE: Good Government We Are Ready