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Mark Murdock, Acting Director  
VA Northern Indiana, HCS  
1700 E. 38<sup>th</sup> Street  
Marion, IN 46953

Subject: VISN 10 – Northern Indiana, HCS Implementation of GPS Radios for Engineering Staff  
(AFGE Locals 1020 and AFGE Local 1384)

Dear Mr. Murdock:

In accordance with Article 47, Section 2 C, of the Master Agreement, the National VA Council #53 formally demanding to bargain on the implementation of Northern Indiana, HCS implementation of GPS Radios for Engineering Staff within VISN 10. Ms. Alma L. Lee, President NVAC will name the Chief Negotiator and team members. Please provide the named bargaining team with any information and/or data concerning the cited subject. The negotiation 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 national bargaining obligation has been met. The named 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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