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Subject: VISN 19 Business Office reorganization of CPAC Staff (Tricare, Champ VA and Workers Comp/DOL claims) to Oklahoma City VAMC

Dear Mr. Gigliotti:

In accordance with Article 47, Section 2, of the Master Agreement, National VA Council #53 is formally demanding to bargain on the VISN 19 Business Office reorganization of CPAC Staff as cited above in VISN 19 within the Department. Please provide the NVAC's Mid-Term Bargaining Team members named above 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 Team 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.
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