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Amir Farooqi, Director  
Central Alabama Veterans Health Care System (CAVHCS)  
215 Perry Hill Road  
Montgomery, AL 36109

Subject: VISN 7 – CAVHCS, Temporary Relocation of Community Care Staff  
(AFGE Local 110 and AFGE Local 503)

Dear Mr. Farooqi:

In accordance with Article 47, Section 2 C, of the Master Agreement, the National VA Council #53 formally demanding to bargain on the CAVHCS temporary relocation of community Care Staff as cited above within the Department. 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) 670-9357.

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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