

**NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD**  
**THIRD DIVISION**

Award-No. 31941  
Docket No. MS-31871  
97-3-94-3-201

(L. E. Shirley  
PARTIES TO DISPUTE:(  
(Norfolk Southern Railway Company

**STATEMENT OF CLAIM:** As shown in Docket No. **MS-31871** and not repeated herein.

**FINDINGS:** The Third Division of the Adjustment Board finds:

That the dispute was certified to the Third Division of the Adjustment Board ex parte by the petitioning party; and

Under date of February 1, 1997, the petitioning party addressed a formal communication to the **Arbitration** Assistant requesting withdrawal of this case from further consideration by the Division which request is hereby granted.

## AWARD

Claim withdrawn.

NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD  
By Order of Third Division

Dated at Chicago, Illinois, this 4th day of March 1997.