

Award No. 8967  
Docket No. TE-9140

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

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**PARTIES TO DISPUTE:**

**THE ORDER OF RAILROAD TELEGRAPHERS**  
**THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY**

**STATEMENT OF CLAIM:** Protest against the position of Operator-Clerk, third trick, Kalamazoo, being abolished effective June 9, 1952 by General Order No. 204, and Block Operations being transferred to other offices, clerical duties performed by Agent forces and Train conductors in violation of Scope Regulations; also, Award Nos. 4042 and 4053. Claim is made covering losses sustained by regular incumbents and other employees affected, contending that the position was closed without the duties thereof being abolished in fact.

**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 complainant party; and

That hearing thereon has been held and concluded. Under date of August 13, 1959, the parties jointly addressed a formal communication to the Secretary of the Third Division requesting withdrawal of this case from further consideration by the Division, which request is hereby granted.

Claim dismissed.

**AWARD**

**NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD**  
By Order of **THIRD DIVISION**

**ATTEST:** F. P. Morse  
Acting Secretary

Dated at Chicago, Illinois, this 15th day of September, 1959.