

This dispute is a duplicate of that previously reviewed by the Board in Third Division Award 32490. It involves the same parties, the same Claimant, and the same issue, and is virtually identical to that claim. Thus, its merits will be fully and finally determined by the Board in Award 32490.

We follow the long-standing precedent aptly stated in Second Division Award 12922:

“In keeping with past Awards of the Board which have held that the progression of duplicate claims or grievances covering a like matter is inconsistent with the intent of the Railway Labor Act in providing for the prompt and orderly settlement of disputes growing out of the interpretation or application of agreements covering rates of pay or working conditions, the claim will dismissed. (See Second Division Awards 12343, 11999, and 11394, and the Awards cited therein.)”

AWARD

Claim dismissed.

ORDER

This Board, after consideration of the dispute identified above, hereby orders that an award favorable to the Claimant(s) not be made.

**NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD
By Order of Third Division**

Dated at Chicago, Illinois, this 23rd day of November 1998.