

PUBLIC LAW BOARD NO. 3514

Case No. 79

Award No. 89

PARTIES Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees
to -and-
DISPUTE: Consolidated Rail Corporation

STATEMENT OF CLAIM:

Appeal by J. Suskie, Track Foreman, to have discipline in the form of time held out of service removed.

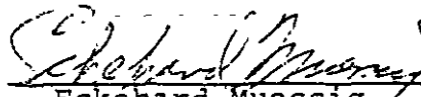
FINDINGS: The evidence shows that the Claimant admitted that he left his work site without permission and then failed to return promptly to his work location.


While the Board notes and is not unaware of the reasons advanced by the Claimant for his actions which led to this claim, we do not find them mitigating. The Carrier's decision to assess the discipline cannot be said to be an unreasonable use of its discretion and the claim is denied.

AWARD

As specified in the Findings.


F. J. Domzalski
Carrier Member


Eckehard Muessig
Neutral Member


J. P. Cassese
Employee Member

JAN 23 1986