Award No. 18

Case No. 13

System Docket No. CR-1460-D

SPECIAL BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT NO. 976

BROTHERHOOD OF MAINTENANCE OF WAY EMPLOYES

vs.

CONSOLIDATED RAIL CORPORATION

STATEMENT OF CLAIM:

30 Day suspension assessed J. R. Rose in connection with being charged with failure to comply with Rules I and 104 of the Rules of the Transportation Department.

Upon the whole record and all the evidence, after hearing, the Board finds that the parties herein are carrier and employee within the meaning of the Railway Labor Act, as amended, and this Board is duly constituted by agreement under Public Law 89-456 and has jurisdiction of the parties and subject matter.

AWARD: The Pilot and Operator were directly in charge of the crane's movement, the claimant was merely there to get qualified on the territory. Under these circumstances, it was not his direct responsibility to report the incident, therefore discipline shall be reduced to a reprimand.

C. A. Peacock, Neutral Member

F. Domzalski, Carrier Member

Dodd, Organization Number

Issued this 23rd day of May . 1986.