

Case 9  
Award 88  
ORT File 2468

SPECIAL BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT NO. 355

Parties: THE ORDER OF RAILROAD TELEGRAPHERS  
THE BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY

AWARD IN DOCKET NO. 88

STATEMENT  
OF CLAIM:

1. Carrier violated the terms of the Agreement when on October 31, 1956, Carrier permitted or required a clerk in the depot at Fostoria, Ohio, to receive and copy a reservation message by phone direct with the Reservation Bureau at Chicago, Illinois.
2. Carrier shall now compensate senior idle operator for one day's pay for October 31, 1956.

FINDINGS:

The use of the telephone by a Clerk at Fostoria, Ohio to ask the central reservation bureau in Chicago if reserved space is available for a passenger who is waiting to see if he can ride to Chicago as a passenger on Carrier's train is not work reserved solely to telegraphers, to the exclusion of all other crafts or classes.

We have so held in similar claims and will hold here. A denial award is required.

A W A R D

Claim denied.

/s/ Edward A. Lynch  
Edward A. Lynch  
Chairman

/s/ B. N. Kinkead  
B. N. Kinkead      Dissenting  
Employee Member

/s/ T. S. Woods  
T. S. Woods  
Carrier Member

Dated at Baltimore, Maryland,  
this 20th day of February, 1962.