CASE DIGEST:  U.S. Dep’t of the Treasury, IRS, 72 FLRA 728 (2022)
(Chairman Dubester concurring in part and dissenting in part)

In this case, the Authority granted interlocutory review of the Agency’s essence exceptions, but denied them for failure to establish that the Arbitrator’s interpretation of the parties’ negotiated grievance procedure was irrational, unfounded, implausible, or in manifest disregard of the parties’ agreement.

Chairman Dubester agreed with the dismissal of the Agency’s interlocutory contrary-to-law exception, but dissented from the decision to grant interlocutory review of the Agency’s essence exception.

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