

Office of Administrative Law Judges

WASHINGTON, D.C.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING

AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

LOUISIANA STATE OFFICE, NEW ORLEANS

Respondent

and

Case No. DA-CA-80650

AMERICAN FEDERATION OF GOVERNMENT

EMPLOYEES, LOCAL 3475

Charging Party

Ivy Prout, Esquire	For the Respondent
Dorothy Pleasant, Union President	For the Charging Party
William Kirsner, Esquire	For the General Counsel, FLRA
Before: SAMUEL A. CHAITOVITZ	Chief Administrative Law Judge

DECISION AND ORDER REMANDING CASE

This case was initiated by an unfair labor practice charge filed on June 10, 1998, by the American Federation of Government Employees, Local 3475 (AFGE Local 3475), alleging a violation of section 7116(a)(1), (5) and (8) of the Federal Service Labor-Management Relations Statute (the Statute), by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Louisiana State Office, New Orleans, Louisiana (HUD). A Complaint and Notice of Hearing was issued on September 30, 1998, and was later amended, alleging that HUD failed to supply requested information and to properly respond to the request for information.

A hearing was held on December 16, 1998, in New Orleans Louisiana. At the close of the hearing the General Counsel of the FLRA moved to remand the Complaint to the Dallas Regional Office of the FLRA for disposition based on the parties settlement agreement. All parties executed the settlement agreement and joined in the motion to remand the case. The settlement agreement, as represented by the parties, appears to the undersigned to effectuate the purposes and policies of the Federal Service Labor-Management Relations Statute. Accordingly, remanding this

matter to the Dallas Regional Office of the FLRA for disposition is appropriate. It is therefore,

ORDERED

Pursuant to section 2423.31(1) of the Rules and Regulations of the FLRA, 5 C.F.R. § 2423.31(1), that this matter is hereby **REMANDED** to the Regional Director of the Dallas Regional Office of the FLRA for further action consistent herewith.

Issued, Washington, DC, December 18, 1998.

SAMUEL A. CHAITOVITZ

Chief Administrative Law Judge