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The Arbitrator issued an award finding the Agency did not violate the parties' master collective-bargaining agreement or § 7106(b) of the Federal Service Labor-Management Relations Statute when it (1) required the grievant to complete certain trainings, and (2) issued the grievant an oral admonishment for failing to complete one of the trainings. The Union filed exceptions to the award on contrary-to-law, contrary-to-public policy, exceeded-authority, and "other" grounds. Because the Union failed to raise one of its arguments to the Arbitrator, the Authority partially dismissed the exceptions. The Authority denied the remaining exceptions because the Union failed to support them.

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