CASE DIGEST: U.S. Dep't of VA, John J. Pershing Veterans' Admin. Ctr., Poplar Bluff, Mo. & AFGE, Loc. 2338, 73 FLRA 842 (2024)

The Arbitrator issued an award finding the Union did not violate the parties' agreement by filing its grievance at the third step of the grievance procedure. The Agency filed exceptions alleging the award failed to draw its essence from the parties' agreement, the Arbitrator exceeded his authority, and the award was incomplete, ambiguous, and contradictory, so as to make implementation of the award impossible. The Authority denied the exceptions because the Agency filed to demonstrate the award was deficient.

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