

Case Digest: *U.S. Dep't of the Air Force, 377 Aerospace Med. Squadron, Kirtland Air Force Base, N.M.*, 71 FLRA 501 (2019)

The Agency conceded filing untimely exceptions to an arbitration award. Nonetheless, the Agency requested that the Authority consider the exceptions, alleging that an employee “either intentionally or negligently” failed to mail them. The Authority’s Regulations do not permit, for any reason, the extension or waiver of the thirty-day timeframe for filings exceptions in § 7122(b) of the Federal Service Labor-Management Relations Statute. Therefore, the Authority dismissed the Agency’s exceptions as untimely.

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