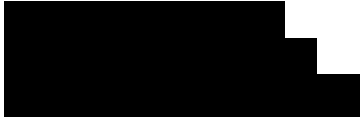




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January 27, 2020



Re: Contura Energy Services, LLC d/b/a
Cumberland Contura Mine
Case 06-CA-245356

United Mine Workers of America,
International Union, and its Local 2300,
AFL-CIO, CLC (Contura Energy Services,
LLC d/b/a Cumberland Contura Mine)
Case 06-CB-245379

Dear 

Your appeal from the Regional Director's refusal to issue complaint has been carefully considered. The appeal is denied substantially for the reasons in the Regional Director's letter of November 6, 2019. We determined that a departure from the Regional Director's decision was not warranted, as the evidence was insufficient to support a finding that the Employer and the Union violated the National Labor Relations Act, as alleged. In that regard, we note the absence of any evidence that either the Union or the Employer harbored any animus against you or that the alleged conduct was either accompanied by unlawful threats or motivated by unlawful considerations.

Accordingly, further proceedings were deemed unwarranted.

Sincerely,

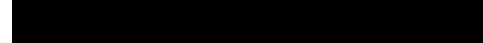
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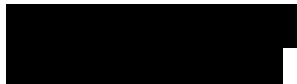
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