Memorandum of Understanding

The following constitutes an agreement between the Department of Veterans Affairs, Office of Information and Technology (OI&T) and the American Federation of Government Employees (AFL-CIO), National Veterans affairs Council #53, concerning the Deployment of Microsoft Office 2016 and Migration to Microsoft Office Suite 365.

- 1. The national parties agree the migration to Office 2016 and then the migration to Office Suite 365 will occur over several months. AFGE Locals shall be provided with a written notice by an appropriate management official stating when the migrations will occur at their duty location and/or duty station.
- 2. Training related to the Office 2016 and Office Suite 365 migrations shall be on duty time for AFGE bargaining unit employees and be available at various dates and times.
- 3. AFGE Locals Representatives may attend any training related to the field testing and field communications that may be occurring at their duty station and/or duty location. The appropriate management official shall provide the AFGE Local with communication of the testing at least three days in advance.
- 4. Upon their receipt the appropriate management Official shall provide a copy of this MOU to the AFGE Local President.

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