## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of SHERMAN H. WU <u>and</u> DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY, DEFENSE LANGUAGE INSTITUTE, Monterey, Calif.

Docket No. 96-2396; Submitted on the Record; Issued July 16, 1998

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## **DECISION** and **ORDER**

## Before MICHAEL J. WALSH, MICHAEL E. GROOM, A. PETER KANJORSKI

The issue is whether appellant sustained an emotional condition within the performance of duty.

The Board has given careful consideration to the issue involved, the contentions of appellant on appeal, and the entire case record. The Board finds that the April 30, 1996 decision of the hearing representative of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs, finalized on the same date, is in accordance with the fact and law in this case and hereby adopts the findings and conclusions of the hearing representative.

The decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated April 30, 1996 is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C. July 16, 1998

Michael J. Walsh Chairman

Michael E. Groom Alternate Member

A. Peter Kanjorski Alternate Member