## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

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In the Matter of BETTY J. ALI <u>and</u> U.S. POSTAL SERVICE, PHOENIX GMF, Phoenix, Ariz.

Docket No. 98-1651; Submitted on the Record; Issued July 8, 1999

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

## Before MICHAEL J. WALSH, DAVID S. GERSON, BRADLEY T. KNOTT

The issue is whether the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs properly terminated appellant's compensation benefits effective March 2, 1997.

The Board has given careful consideration to the issues involved, the contentions of appellant on appeal and the entire case record. The Board finds that the decision of the hearing representative of the Office dated January 5, 1998, is in accordance with the facts and the law in this case and hereby adopts the findings and conclusions of the Office hearing representative.

The decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated January 5, 1998, is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C. July 8, 1999

> Michael J. Walsh Chairman

David S. Gerson Member

Bradley T. Knott Alternate Member