

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of JACK WILLERS and DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY,
ARSENAL, Rock Island, IL

*Docket No. 99-1163; Submitted on the Record;
Issued September 20, 2000*

DECISION and ORDER

Before DAVID S. GERSON, WILLIE T.C. THOMAS,
MICHAEL E. GROOM

The issue is whether the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs properly reduced appellant's compensation effective March 29, 1998 based on his capacity to earn wages as a molder.

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 decision of the hearing representative of the Office dated and finalized November 16, 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 decisions of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated and finalized November 16, 1998 and dated February 27, 1998 are affirmed.

Dated, Washington, DC
September 20, 2000

David S. Gerson
Member

Willie T.C. Thomas
Member

Michael E. Groom
Alternate Member