

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of ERLINDA B. MARCELO and U.S. POSTAL SERVICE,
POST OFFICE, Oakland, Calif.

*Docket No. 97-51; Submitted on the Record;
Issued September 1, 1998*

DECISION and ORDER

Before GEORGE E. RIVERS, DAVID S. GERSON,
A. PETER KANJORSKI

The issue is whether appellant has met her burden of proof in establishing that she sustained an emotional condition in 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 decision of the hearing representative of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated May 29, 1996 is in accordance with the facts and 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 May 29, 1996 is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C.
September 1, 1998

George E. Rivers
Member

David S. Gerson
Member

A. Peter Kanjorski
Alternate Member