U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of NAYSRU LY <u>and</u> U.S. POSTAL SERVICE, POST OFFICE, Santa Ana, CA

Docket No. 98-366; Submitted on the Record; Issued January 20, 2000

DECISION and **ORDER**

Before DAVID S. GERSON, WILLIE T.C. THOMAS, BRADLEY T. KNOTT

The issue is whether appellant sustained an emotional condition in the performance of duty causally related to factors of her employment.

The Board has given careful consideration to the issue involved, the contentions of the parties on appeal and the entire case record. The Board finds that the decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs' hearing representative, dated and finalized September 5, 1997, 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 and finalized September 5, 1997 is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C. January 20, 2000

David S. Gerson Member

Willie T.C. Thomas Alternate Member

Bradley T. Knott Alternate Member