

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of ANGELA M. VERNON and U.S. POSTAL SERVICE,
GENERAL MAIL FACILITY, Los Angeles, CA

*Docket No. 01-990; Submitted on the Record;
Issued November 8, 2001*

DECISION and ORDER

Before MICHAEL J. WALSH, A. PETER KANJORSKI,
PRISCILLA ANNE SCHWAB

The issue is whether appellant has met her burden of proof in establishing whether her emotional condition occurred within the performance of duty.

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 May 1, 2000 decision of the hearing representative of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs is in accordance with the facts 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 May 1, 2000, is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, DC
November 8, 2001

Michael J. Walsh
Chairman

A. Peter Kanjorski
Alternate Member

Priscilla Anne Schwab
Alternate Member