

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of LUZ N. CUBERO and U.S. POSTAL SERVICE,
POST OFFICE, New York City, NY

*Docket No. 00-1718; Submitted on the Record;
Issued February 20, 2002*

DECISION and ORDER

Before ALEC J. KOROMILAS, WILLIE T.C. THOMAS,
MICHAEL E. GROOM

The issue is whether appellant has met her burden of proof in establishing that she sustained a recurrence of disability causally related to her accepted employment injury.

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 January 31, 2000 decision of the hearing representative of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs is in accordance with the facts and the law in this case and hereby adopts the findings and conclusions of the hearing representative.

The January 31, 2000 decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, DC
February 20, 2002

Alec J. Koromilas
Member

Willie T.C. Thomas
Alternate Member

Michael E. Groom
Alternate Member