#### U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### **Employees'** Compensation Appeals Board

## In the Matter of MATTHEW HSU <u>and</u> U.S. POSTAL SERVICE, POST OFFICE, Lakewood, CA

Docket No. 01-2156; Submitted on the Record; Issued May 22, 2002

#### **DECISION** and **ORDER**

# Before COLLEEN DUFFY KIKO, DAVID S. GERSON, WILLIE T.C. THOMAS

The issue is whether appellant is entitled to a schedule award for his tongue or his left upper extremity.

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 decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs' hearing representative, dated July 30, 2001 and finalized on July 31, 2001, is in accordance with the facts and the law in this case and hereby adopts the findings and conclusions of the hearing representative.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Board makes the following corrections to the Office hearing representative's decision: page 3, the March 24, 1994 surgery report of Dr. Greenberg is a typographical error and should read October 20, 1994; footnote 4 contains incomplete citations and should read *James P. Roberts*, 31 ECAB 1010 (1980) and *Lewis R. Sykes*, 30 ECAB 1419 (1979).

Accordingly, the decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated July 30, 2001 and finalized on July 31, 2001 is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, DC May 22, 2002

> Colleen Duffy Kiko Member

David S. Gerson Alternate Member

Willie T.C. Thomas Alternate Member