

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

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In the Matter of HOMER G. HOLLAND and DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY,  
U.S. ARMY MATERIAL COMMAND, Texarkana, Tex.

*Docket No. 97-1374; Submitted on the Record;  
Issued February 3, 1999*

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DECISION and ORDER

Before GEORGE E. RIVERS, DAVID S. GERSON,  
BRADLEY T. KNOTT

The issue is whether appellant met his burden of proof in establishing that he sustained a recurrence of disability on January 6, 1995 due to her May 20, 1985 employment injury.

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 January 3, 1997 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 January 3, 1997 is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C.  
February 3, 1999

George E. Rivers  
Member

David S. Gerson  
Member

Bradley T. Knott  
Alternate Member