

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

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In the Matter of MICHAEL A. SCARPA and DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, DEFENSE  
LOGISTICS AGENCY, ALLIED SIGNAL FACILITY, Stratford, Conn.

*Docket No. 97-1614; Submitted on the Record;  
Issued January 20, 1999*

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DECISION and ORDER

Before WILLIE T.C. THOMAS, BRADLEY T. KNOTT,  
A. PETER KANJORSKI

The issue is whether appellant established that he sustained an injury in the performance of duty.

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 November 25, 1996 decision of the Office of Workers' Programs' hearing representative is in accordance with the facts and the law in this case and therefore adopts the findings and conclusions of the hearing representative.

The November 25, 1996 decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs is affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C.  
January 20, 1999

Willie T.C. Thomas  
Alternate Member

Bradley T. Knott  
Alternate Member

A. Peter Kanjorski  
Alternate Member