

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

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In the Matter of KENNETH J. KRASNIEWSKI and U.S. POSTAL SERVICE,  
POST OFFICE, Toledo, OH

*Docket No. 98-722; Submitted on the Record;  
Issued October 22, 1999*

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DECISION and ORDER

Before DAVID S. GERSON, WILLIE T.C. THOMAS,  
BRADLEY T. KNOTT

The issue is whether appellant has met his burden of proof in establishing that he sustained an injury in the performance of duty on March 29, 1996, as alleged.

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 June 10, 1997 decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs' hearing representative, is in accordance with the facts and the 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 June 10, 1997 is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C.  
October 22, 1999

David S. Gerson  
Member

Willie T.C. Thomas  
Alternate Member

Bradley T. Knott  
Alternate Member