

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

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In the Matter of SHARON WARNER and U.S. POSTAL SERVICE,  
POST OFFICE, Cleveland, OH

*Docket No. 98-1488; Submitted on the Record;  
Issued October 18, 1999*

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DECISION and ORDER

Before WILLIE T.C. THOMAS, MICHAEL E. GROOM,  
BRADLEY T. KNOTT

The issue is whether the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs properly terminated appellant's entitlement to monetary compensation benefits and to medical benefits effective March 5, 1997 on the grounds that she had no further disability or injury residuals, causally related to her accepted condition of aggravation of chondromalacia of the left knee.

The Board has given careful consideration to the issue involved, the complete case record and appellant's contentions on appeal. The Board finds that the decision of the Office hearing representative dated March 24, 1998 is in accordance with the facts and the law in this case, and hereby adopts the findings and conclusions of the hearing representative.

Accordingly, the decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated March 24, 1998 is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C.  
October 18, 1999

Willie T.C. Thomas  
Alternate Member

Michael E. Groom  
Alternate Member

Bradley T. Knott  
Alternate Member