U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Employees’ Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of THOMAS BENSON and DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY,
DEPARTMENT OF LOGISTICS MAINTENANCE DIVISION, Fort Hood, TX

Docket No. 98-1990; Submitted on the Record;
Issued February 23, 2000

DECISION and ORDER

Before GEORGE E. RIVERS, MICHAEL E. GROOM,
BRADLEY T. KNOTT

The issue is whether the Office of Workers’ Compensation Programs properly terminated
appellant’s compensation effective February 6, 1997.

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 March 5, 1998 decision
of the hearing representative of the Office, finalized on March 6, 1998, 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 March 5, 1998
and finalized on March 6, 1998, is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C.
February 23, 2000

George E. Rivers
Member

Michael E. Groom
Alternate Member

Bradley T. Knott
Alternate Member