

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of ALONSO H. ALLEN and DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS,
MEDICAL CENTER, Coatesville, PA

*Docket No. 98-958; Submitted on the Record;
Issued January 13, 2000*

DECISION and ORDER

Before DAVID S. GERSON, WILLIE T.C. THOMAS,
A. PETER KANJORSKI

The issue is whether appellant suffered a recurrence of disability causally related to his September 2, 1990 accepted employment injury.

The Board has given careful consideration to the issue involved, the contentions on appeal and the entire case record. The Board finds that the decision of the hearing representative of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated and made final on January 6, 1998 is in accordance with the facts and the law in this case and hereby adopts the findings and conclusions of the Office hearing representative.

The decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated and finalized on January 6, 1998 is affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C.
January 13, 2000

David S. Gerson
Member

Willie T.C. Thomas
Alternate Member

A. Peter Kanjorski
Alternate Member