

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of JAMES J. RIDGE and U.S. POSTAL SERVICE,
POST OFFICE, Boston, MA

*Docket No. 01-1936; Submitted on the Record;
Issued April 8, 2002*

DECISION and ORDER

Before ALEC J. KOROMILAS, COLLEEN DUFFY KIKO,
MICHAEL E. GROOM

The issue is whether appellant has established that he has greater than a two percent impairment of the left lower extremity, for which he received a schedule award.

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 April 18, 2001 decision of the hearing representative of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs 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 April 18, 2001 is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, DC
April 8, 2002

Alec J. Koromilas
Member

Colleen Duffy Kiko
Member

Michael E. Groom
Alternate Member