

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of AUGUSTINE ROSARIO and U.S. POSTAL SERVICE,
FOREST HILLS POST OFFICE, Tampa, FL

*Docket No. 03-773; Submitted on the Record;
Issued April 18, 2003*

DECISION and ORDER

Before COLLEEN DUFFY KIKO, DAVID S. GERSON,
WILLIE T.C. THOMAS

The issue is whether appellant has established that he sustained an emotional condition while in the performance of duty.

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 decision of the hearing representative of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated January 15, 2003 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 January 15, 2003 and February 12, 2002 decisions of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs are affirmed.

Dated, Washington, DC
April 18, 2003

Colleen Duffy Kiko
Member

David S. Gerson
Alternate Member

Willie T.C. Thomas
Alternate Member