

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of JOHN T. KING and U.S. POSTAL SERVICE,
POST OFFICE, Tampa, FL

*Docket No. 98-1245; Submitted on the Record;
Issued September 22, 1999*

DECISION and ORDER

Before DAVID S. GERSON, MICHAEL E. GROOM,
BRADLEY T. KNOTT

The issue is whether appellant met his burden of proof to establish that employment factors caused or aggravated his emotional condition.

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 decision of the hearing representative of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated February 10, 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 February 10, 1998 is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C.
September 22, 1999

David S. Gerson
Member

Michael E. Groom
Alternate Member

Bradley T. Knott
Alternate Member