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BOARD OF REVIEW

TAKE NOTICE THAT PURSUANT TO THE OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT, N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 ET. SEQ., THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF LABOR BOARD OF REVIEW HAS SCHEDULED AN OPEN PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS THE ATTACHED AGENDA ON JUNE 15, 2022 AT 10:00 AM. THE OPEN PUBLIC MEETING WILL BE HELD VIA TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL. THE TELECONFERENCE PHONE NUMBER IS 1 (856) 338-7074 AND THE CONFERENCE ID IS 540 714 231#.

AGENDA OF REGULAR MEETING OF

THE BOARD OF REVIEW

JUNE 15, 2022

NANCY HUNT, CHAIRPERSON

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ANDREA JACKSON, ACTING EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

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BOARD MINUTES:

Submitted for adoption are the minutes of the June 1, 2022, Board meeting.

ACTION:

SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS:

A-1 VACATED APPEALS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BETH CALEFATI BOR DKT. 00253406

Claimant's letter was erroneously docketed as an appeal to the Board of Review.

ACTION:

A-2 DISMISSED APPEALS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW DUE TO UNTIMELY FILING OR FOR NON-JUSTICIABLE APPEAL ISSUE

1. ANNMARIE LOZADA BOR DKT. 00238480

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and an ineligibility under ability to work.

2. SHEILA DENSON BOR DKT. 00254591

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under ability to work.

ACTION:

A-3 DENIAL OF REOPENING REQUESTS TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. DAVID MURIEL BOR DKT. 00228414

Board of Review affirmed the Appeal Tribunal's denial of the claimant's request to vacate an appeal dismissing the appeal for non-appearance.

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2. RONALD SANDS BOR DKT. 00216821

Claimant requests a reconsideration of the Board of Review decision affirming the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the claimant disqualified for benefits for leaving the job voluntarily.

3. ANTHONY WITHERS BOR DKT. 00246993

Claimant requests a reconsideration of the Board of Review decision affirming the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the claimant disqualified for benefits for leaving the job voluntarily and denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons.

4. MARIA LLERENA BOR DKT. 00232137

Claimant requests a reconsideration of the Board of Review decision affirming the Appeal Tribunal decision dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

5. NICOLE BARNETT BOR DKT. 00247117

Claimant requests a reconsideration of the Board of Review decision affirming the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the claimant disqualified for benefits for leaving the job voluntarily and a liability to a refund.

ACTION:

A-4 AFFIRMATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. ALEX BERMUDEZ BOR DKT. 00250619

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for misconduct connected with the work, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

2. MARIA BASURTO BOR DKT. 00253269

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding her ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) as the claimant's unemployment was

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not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons under the CARES Act, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

3. ARIANA DURAN BOR DKT. 00252934

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing appeal as late without good cause.

4. ANN KATONA BOR DKT. 00251982

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, an ineligibility of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the CARES Act, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

5. SUSIE ARIAS BOR DKT. 00254870

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons.

6. JACK GUZMAN BOR DKT. 00251251

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund.

7. RACHID ELGHARFAOUI BOR DKT. 00251792

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

ACTION:

A-5 MODIFICATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. JASMINE ESTRADA BOR DKT. 00251372

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons, and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

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2. TIONDRA COOPER BOR DKT. 00250942

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund.

ACTION:

A-6 REOPENED AND REMANDED DECISIONS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL

1. CHRISTOPHER SANTIAGO BOR DKT. 00249260

Claimant requests a reconsideration of the Board of Review decision affirming the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the claim for Unemployment Compensation for Ex-Servicemen benefits invalid on the ground that the claimant lacked qualifying wages to establish a valid claim.

ACTION:

A-7 REMANDS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL OR DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. JASMIN SMITH BOR DKT. 00249486

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for benefits under employed full-time and a refund liability due to employed with earnings.

2. KERYNN SZCZUBELEK BOR DKT. 00251702

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons, and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

3. DEANNA HILL BOR DKT. 00266380

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work.

ACTION:

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A-8 REVERSED AND REMANDED DECISIONS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL

1. ANYAH MARTIN BOR DKT. 00287369

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal, through the date the determination notice was mailed, as late without good cause.

ACTION:

A-9 REVERSALS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. TRICIA RINALDI BOR DKT. 00253524

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

ACTION:

SECTION B – MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS/CASES FOR DISCUSSION

- B-1 ELEKTRA AGYEMAN BOR DKT. 00251463

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work and a liability for a non-fraud refund. (**Appellate Specialist Jackson**)

ACTION:

- B-2 AHMAD SOUEID BOR DKT. 00251506

Claimant appealed a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons and a liability for a non-fraud refund. (**Appellate Specialist Jackson**)

ACTION:

