

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS BUREAU**

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**SENGTHON S WANGKHAM**  
Claimant

**REES ASSOCIATES INC**  
Employer

**APPEAL 20A-UI-09837-CL-T**

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
DECISION**

**OC: 03/08/20  
Claimant: Respondent (6)**

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Iowa Code § 96.6(2) - Timeliness of Protest  
Iowa Code Ch. 17A – Iowa Administrative Procedure Act  
Iowa Code Ch. 96 – Iowa Employment Security Act  
Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-26.8(1) – Withdrawal of Appeal

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE:**

On August 12, 2020, the employer appealed the unemployment insurance decision dated March 26, 2020, (reference 02) that allowed the claimant regular unemployment insurance benefits. A hearing was scheduled for October 1, 2020. Prior to the hearing being held, the employer requested to withdraw the appeal.

**ISSUE:**

Should the request to withdraw the appeal be granted?

**FINDINGS OF FACT:**

The administrative law judge finds that: Employer has requested to withdraw the appeal of the decision that allows claimant unemployment insurance benefits. Employer submitted the request in writing.

**REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:**

Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-26.8(1) provides:

(1) An appeal may be withdrawn at any time prior to the issuance of a decision upon the request of the appellant and with the approval of an administrative law judge or the manager or chief administrative law judge of the appeals bureau. Requests for withdrawal may be made in writing or orally, provided the oral request is tape-recorded by the presiding officer.

The administrative law judge has reviewed the records and files and concludes that employer's request to withdraw the appeal should be approved.

**DECISION:**

Employer's request to withdraw the appeal of the unemployment insurance decision dated March 26, 2020, (reference 02) is approved. The decision allowing claimant benefits shall stand and remain in full force and effect.



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October 2, 2020  
Decision Dated and Mailed

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