

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS**

68-0157 (9-06) - 3091078 - EI

MAUREEN BUTTS
Claimant

APPEAL NO. 12A-EUCU-00159-AT

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
DECISION**

**IOWA WORKFORCE
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**

OC: 08/10/08
Claimant: Appellant (1)

Public Law 110-252 – Emergency Unemployment Compensation
Section 96.6-2 – Timely Appeal

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

Maureen Butts filed an appeal from an unemployment insurance decision dated March 2, 2012, reference 01, that denied Emergency Unemployment Compensation benefits effective August 8, 2010 upon a finding that she was monetarily eligible for state unemployment insurance benefits as of that date. After due notice was issued, a telephone hearing was held May 29, 2012 on a consolidated record with appeals 12A-UI-04075-AT, 12A-UI-04076-AT and 12A-EUCU-00160-AT.

ISSUE:

Does the administrative law judge have jurisdiction to rule on the merits of the case?

FINDINGS OF FACT:

The decision on appeal in the present case states that it would become final unless an appeal was postmarked by March 12, 2012 or received by the agency by that date. Ms. Butts received the decision. She filed an appeal by mail. The appeal was postmarked April 7, 2012.

REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

For the reasons stated in decision 12A-UI-04075-AT, the administrative law judge concludes that he lacks jurisdiction to rule on the merits of the case.

DECISION:

The unemployment insurance decision dated March 2, 2012, reference 01, has become final and remains in effect.

Dan Anderson
Administrative Law Judge

Decision Dated and Mailed

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