

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS**

MICHAEL R PRIOR
Claimant

**WINDSTREAM IOWA
TELECOMMUNICATION**
Employer

APPEAL 17A-UI-09244-SC-T

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
DECISION**

**OC: 07/30/17
Claimant: Appellant (6)**

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
Iowa Code § 96.5(5) – Severance Pay

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

An appeal was filed from an unemployment insurance decision dated September 6, 2017, reference 02. A hearing was scheduled for September 27, 2017. After going on the record but prior to the witness being sworn in and testimony taken, the appellant requested the appeal be withdrawn.

ISSUE:

Should the request to withdraw the appeal be granted?

FINDINGS OF FACT:

The administrative law judge finds that: A request has been made by the appealing party to withdraw the appeal. The request was made verbally and has been recorded.

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(1) An appeal may be withdrawn at any time prior to the issuance of a decision upon the request of the appellant and with the approval of the presiding officer to whom the case is assigned. 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 herein and concludes that the request of the appealing party to withdraw the appeal should be approved.

DECISION:

The request of the appealing party to withdraw the appeal of the unemployment insurance decision dated September 6, 2017, reference 02, is approved, and that decision shall stand and remain in full force and effect.

Stephanie R. Callahan
Administrative Law Judge

Decision Dated and Mailed

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