

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS BUREAU**

**MICHELLE CHUMBLEY**  
Claimant

**OUTREACH INC**  
Employer

**APPEAL 22A-UI-11152-AD-T**

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
DECISION**

**OC: 04/03/22  
Claimant: Respondent (6)**

Iowa Code § 96.5(2)a – Discharge for Misconduct  
Iowa Code § 96.5(1) – Voluntary Quitting  
Iowa Code § 96.3(7) – Recovery of Benefit Overpayment  
Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-24.10 – Employer/Representative Participation Fact-finding Interview  
Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-26.8(1) – Withdrawals

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE:**

On May 2, 2022, Outreach Inc (employer/appellant) filed an appeal from the Iowa Workforce Development (“IWD”) decision dated April 20, 2022 (reference 01) that allowed unemployment insurance benefits based on a finding that claimant was dismissed from work on March 15, 2022 without a showing of misconduct.

A telephone hearing was held on June 16, 2022. The parties were properly notified of the hearing. Employer participated by President Scott Hammer and was represented by UI Hearing Specialist Carleano Grant. Michelle Chumbley (claimant/respondent) participated personally. Appellant withdrew its appeal on the record.

**ISSUE:**

Whether the request to withdraw the appeal should be granted.

**FINDINGS OF FACT:**

The appellant requested to withdraw the appeal on the record during the hearing on June 16, 2022.

**REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:**

An appellant may submit a written request to withdraw an appeal at any time prior to the issuance of a decision. Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-26.8(1). An oral request must be tape-recorded by the presiding officer. *Id.*

Based on the available record in the appeal file, and in accordance with the applicable statutes and rules, the request of the appealing party to withdraw the appeal should be approved.

**DECISION:**

The appealing party's request to withdraw the appeal of the decision dated April 20, 2022 (reference 01) that allowed unemployment insurance benefits based on a finding that claimant was dismissed from work on March 15, 2022 without a showing of misconduct is approved. That decision shall stand and remain in full force and effect.



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June 23, 2022  
Decision Dated and Mailed

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