

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS**

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

**VERONICA Z CONLEY**

Claimant

**APPEAL NO. 11A-UI-04202-M2T**

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
DECISION**

**CRST VAN EXPEDITED INC**

Employer

**OC: 02/06/11**

**Claimant: Appellant (1)**

Section 96.5-1 – Voluntary Quit

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE:**

Claimant filed an appeal from a decision of a representative dated March 22, 2011, reference 01, which held claimant ineligible for unemployment insurance benefits. After due notice, a telephone conference hearing was scheduled for and held on April 26, 2011. Claimant did not participate, having failed to be available. Employer participated.

**ISSUE:**

The issue in this matter is whether claimant was discharged for misconduct.

**FINDINGS OF FACT:**

The administrative law judge, having heard the testimony and considered all of the evidence in the record, finds: Claimant quit on March 27, 2010 when she left the employer's truck assigned to her in a Wal-Mart parking lot in Texas and did not return to work. Her reasons for quitting were not communicated.

**REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:**

Iowa Code section 96.5-1 provides:

An individual shall be disqualified for benefits:

1. Voluntary quitting. If the individual has left work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the individual's employer, if so found by the department.

The record does not establish that the claimant quit the employment with good cause attributable to the employer when the claimant's reasons for quitting are unknown.

**DECISION:**

The decision of the representative dated March 22, 2011, reference 01, is affirmed. Unemployment insurance benefits shall be withheld until claimant has worked in and been paid

wages for insured work equal to ten times claimant's weekly benefit amount, provided claimant is otherwise eligible.

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Stan McElderry  
Administrative Law Judge

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