KENT A HAMLETT Claimant	**APPEAL 21A-UI-09574-DZ-T** **ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE** **DECISION**
MENARD INC Employer	
	OC: 04/19/20 **Claimant: Appellant (6)**

Iowa Code § 96.6(2) – Timely Appeal
Iowa Code § 96.4(3) – Able to and Available for Work
Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-24.23(10) – Leave of Absence
Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-26.8(1) – Withdrawals

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

Kent A Hamlett, the claimant/appellant filed an appeal from the August 12, 2020 (reference 01) unemployment insurance decision that denied benefits as of April 19, 2020. A telephone hearing was held on June 21, 2021. The parties were properly notified of the hearing. Mr. Hamlett participated and testified. The employer participated through Ben Schulz, assistant general manager. Mr. Hamlett withdrew his appeal on the record.

ISSUE:

Should Mr. Hamlett's request to withdraw his appeal be granted?

FINDINGS OF FACT:

The Iowa Workforce Development decision dated August 31, 2020 concluded that Mr. Hamlett is eligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) effective March 22, 2020.

Mr. Hamlett requested to withdraw his appeal on the record during the hearing on June 21, 2021.

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, Mr. Hamlett's request to withdraw his appeal should be approved.

DECISION:

Mr. Hamlett's request to withdraw his appeal of the August 12, 2020, (reference 01) unemployment insurance decision is approved. That decision shall stand and remain in full force and effect.

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