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Unemployment Insurance Appeals Section  
1000 East Grand—Des Moines, Iowa 50319  
DECISION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
68-0157 (7-97) – 3091078 - EI

JODIE M LEE  
621 – 1<sup>ST</sup> AVE SE  
CLARION IA 50525

QUALITY COMMUNICATIONS GROUP LLC  
910 S JACKSON AVE  
EAGLE GROVE IA 50533

Appeal Number: 05A-UI-01714-HT  
OC: 07/25/04 R: 01  
Claimant: Appellant (9)

**This Decision Shall Become Final**, unless within fifteen (15) days from the date below, you or any interested party appeal to the Employment Appeal Board by submitting either a signed letter or a signed written Notice of Appeal, directly to the **Employment Appeal Board, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor—Lucas Building, Des Moines, Iowa 50319**.

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1. The name, address and social security number of the claimant.
2. A reference to the decision from which the appeal is taken.
3. That an appeal from such decision is being made and such appeal is signed.
4. The grounds upon which such appeal is based.

YOU MAY REPRESENT yourself in this appeal or you may obtain a lawyer or other interested party to do so provided there is no expense to Workforce Development. If you wish to be represented by a lawyer, you may obtain the services of either a private attorney or one whose services are paid for with public funds. It is important that you file your claim as directed, while this appeal is pending, to protect your continuing right to benefits.

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(Administrative Law Judge)

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(Decision Dated & Mailed)

Section 96.3-5 – Business Closing

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

The claimant, Jodie Lee, filed an appeal from a decision dated February 8, 2005, reference 01. The decision found she had not been laid off due to a business closing. After due notice was issued a hearing was scheduled to be held by telephone conference call on March 7, 2005. Prior to the hearing date it was determined the hearing was not necessary.

FINDINGS OF FACT:

Having examined all of the evidence in the record, the administrative law judge finds: Jodie Lee filed a claim for unemployment benefits with an effective date of July 25, 2004. She reopened her claim effective January 23, 2005.

A decision was issued on February 8, 2005, finding that she had not been laid off due to a business closing, and the claimant filed an appeal. On February 21, 2005, a second decision was issued finding the earlier decision had been issued in error and was declared "null and void."

REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

The hearing in this case is not necessary as the decision from which the appeal was taken has not been declared null and void.

DECISION:

The representative's decision of February 8, 2005, reference 01, is vacated. The initial decision has been declared null and void.

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