

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS**

CLARISSA I DAVIDSON
Claimant

APPEAL 15A-UI-05429-H2T

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
DECISION**

**IOWA WORKFORCE
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
RE-EMPLOYMENT SERVICES**

**OC: 03/08/15
Claimant: Appellant (2)**

Iowa Code § 96.4(3) – Able and Available
871 IAC 24.2(1)e – Failure to Report

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

The claimant filed a timely appeal from the May 2, 2015, (reference 03), unemployment insurance decision that denied benefits. Prior to a hearing being scheduled the issue appealed was resolved administratively prior in the appellant's favor (see the reference 04 representative's decision), no testimony was necessary and no hearing was held.

ISSUE:

The issue is whether the representative's decision should be affirmed.

FINDINGS OF FACT:

Having reviewed all of the evidence in the record, the administrative law judge finds: The decision appealed has been amended in favor of the appellant by the reference 04 representative's decision.

REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

For the reasons that follow, the administrative law judge concludes the representative's decision should be reversed.

Iowa Code § 96.4(3) provides:

An unemployed individual shall be eligible to receive benefits with respect to any week only if the department finds that:

3. The individual is able to work, is available for work, and is earnestly and actively seeking work. This subsection is waived if the individual is deemed partially unemployed, while employed at the individual's regular job, as defined in § 96.19, subsection 38, paragraph "b", unnumbered paragraph 1, or temporarily unemployed as defined in § 96.19, subsection 38, paragraph "c". The work search requirements of this

subsection and the disqualification requirement for failure to apply for, or to accept suitable work of § 96.5, subsection 3 are waived if the individual is not disqualified for benefits under § 96.5, subsection 1, paragraph "h".

Since the decision appealed has been amended in favor of the appellant, the original representative's decision bearing reference 03 is reversed.

DECISION:

The May 2, 2015, (reference 03) unemployment insurance decision is reversed. Benefits are allowed.

Teresa K. Hillary
Administrative Law Judge

Decision Dated and Mailed

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