

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS BUREAU**

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**DEBRA K PEGUMP**  
Claimant

**APPEAL 17A-UI-02988-NM-T**

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
DECISION**

**INTERTRADE STEEL CORPORATION**  
Employer

**OC: 02/12/17  
Claimant: Appellant (6)**

Iowa Code § 96.5(5) – Severance Pay  
Iowa Code § 96.5(7) – Receipt of Vacation Pay/PTO  
Iowa Code § 96.3(7) – Recovery of Benefit Overpayment  
Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-26.8(1) – Withdrawal of Appeal

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE:**

The claimant filed an appeal from the March 13, 2017, (reference 03) unemployment insurance decision that found she was eligible to receive a reduced unemployment insurance benefit for the week ending March 11, 2017. A telephone hearing was scheduled for April 10, 2017 at 9:05 a.m. Prior to the scheduled hearing date, the appellant requested the appeal be withdrawn.

**ISSUE:**

Should the request to withdraw the appeal be granted?

**FINDINGS OF FACT:**

The administrative law judge finds that: The appealing party requested to withdraw the appeal. The request was submitted in writing and was verified by the appellant.

**REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:**

871 IAC 26.8(1) provides:

(1) An appeal may be withdrawn at any time prior to the issuance of a decision upon the request of the appellant and with the approval of the presiding officer to whom the case is assigned. Requests for withdrawal may be made in writing or orally, provided the oral request is tape-recorded by the presiding officer.

The administrative law judge reviewed the records and files herein and concludes that the request of the appealing party to withdraw the appeal should be approved.

**DECISION:**

The request of the appealing party to withdraw the appeal of the unemployment insurance decision dated March 13, (reference 03) is approved. That decision shall stand and remain in full force and effect.

The hearing scheduled on April 10, 2017, at 9:05 a.m. is canceled.

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Nicole Merrill  
Administrative Law Judge

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Decision Dated and Mailed

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