

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS**

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

FEDERICO GONZALEZ
Claimant

APPEAL NO. 09A-UI-03309-CT

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
DECISION**

**IOWA WORKFORCE
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**

OC: 12/21/08
Claimant: Appellant (2)

871 IAC 24.9(1) – Monetary Determinations

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

Federico Gonzalez filed an appeal from a representative's decision dated February 25, 2009, reference 01, which denied his request to add a dependent to his claim. After due notice was issued, a hearing was held by telephone on March 26, 2009. Mr. Gonzalez participated personally.

ISSUE:

At issue in this matter is whether Mr. Gonzalez should be allowed to add a dependent to his claim.

FINDINGS OF FACT:

Having heard the testimony of the witness and having reviewed all of the evidence in the record, the administrative law judge finds: Mr. Gonzalez filed his claim for job insurance benefits at his local Workforce Development office. He indicated he had one dependent, his son Juan. The dependent was not added to his claim. On February 23, 2009, a representative of Workforce Development requested that the dependent be added to the claim. The representative indicated that she had failed to add the dependent when entering the claim.

REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

It appears that the failure to add Mr. Gonzalez' dependent was the fault of Workforce Development. The dependent was not added when the claim was entered in spite of the fact that Mr. Gonzalez had given notice that he had a dependent. For the above reasons, he shall be allowed to add the dependent.

DECISION:

The representative's decision dated February 25, 2009, reference 01, is hereby reversed. Mr. Gonzalez shall be allowed to add his son as a dependent on the claim filed effective December 21, 2008.

Carolyn F. Coleman
Administrative Law Judge

Decision Dated and Mailed

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