

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

**DEBORAH E THEELER  
1009 – 15<sup>TH</sup> ST  
SIOUX CITY IA 51105-1506**

**SIOUXLAND RECOVERY INC  
100 CUNNINGHAM DR  
SIOUX CITY IA 51107**

**Appeal Number: 06A-UI-04967-HT  
OC: 04/23/06 R: 01  
Claimant: Appellant (1)**

**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)

871 IAC 24.3 – Social Security Number

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

The claimant, Deborah Theeler, filed an appeal from a decision dated May 8, 2006, reference 02. The decision disqualified her from receiving unemployment benefits. After due notice was issued, a hearing was held by telephone conference call on May 23, 2006. The claimant participated on her own behalf. The employer, Siouxland Recovery, participated by Manager Jamie Webb.

FINDINGS OF FACT:

Having heard the testimony of the witnesses and having examined all of the evidence in the record, the administrative law judge finds: Deborah E. Theeler filed a claim for unemployment benefits with an effective date of April 23, 2006. She was sent a notice on April 26, 2006,

telling her to mail copies of her social security card to Iowa Workforce Development, to be received no later than May 8, 2006. The reason was because the Social Security Administration indicated the number she provided did not belong to her.

Ms. Theeler received the notice but did not open it and did not provide a copy of her social security card as requested. The present decision was issued, which cancelled her claim. Only after receiving the decision did the claimant contact her local Workforce Center and was informed to get a social security card with her proper name on it. The claimant's card stated "Debra I. Theeler" and not her proper name of Deborah E. Theeler. She stated she had received the corrected card but did not provide a copy to the Appeals Section.

#### REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

The claimant's legal name was not on her social security card. Without verification of wages through the number provided to Iowa Workforce Development, the claimant is ineligible for benefits under the provisions of 871 IAC 24.3.

#### DECISION:

The representative's decision of May 8, 2006, reference 02, is affirmed. The claimant did not present any evidence of her proper name and social security number to Iowa Workforce Development as of the date of the hearing. The claim is cancelled.

If the claimant has currently obtained the correct information on a new social security card, the information should be presented to her local Workforce Center so a new claim may be filed.

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