IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS BUREAU

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BRANDT MURRY

Claimant

APPEAL NO: 21A-UI-23925-SN-T

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

DECISION

IOWA WORKFORCE
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

OC: 08/16/20

Claimant: Appellant (1)

Iowa Code § 96.3(7) – Recovery of Benefit Overpayment

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

The claimant filed an appeal from the October 26, 2021, (reference 03), unemployment insurance decision that concluded he was overpaid \$313 in regular unemployment insurance benefits. After proper notice, a telephone hearing was conducted on December 16, 2021. This hearing was conducted at the same time as 21A-UI-23923-SN-T. The claimant participated. Official notice of the administrative records was taken.

ISSUE:

Has the claimant been overpaid any unemployment insurance benefits?

FINDINGS OF FACT:

The claimant filed a new claim for unemployment insurance benefits with an effective date of August 16, 2020.

The claimant filed for and received a total of \$313.00 in regular, state unemployment insurance benefits for the week ending November 21, 2020.

The unemployment insurance decision that disqualified the claimant from receiving unemployment insurance benefits has been affirmed in a decision of the administrative law judge in appeal 20A-UI-15602-JT-T.

REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

The issue in this case is whether the claimant was overpaid regular unemployment insurance benefits.

Iowa Code section 96.3(7) provides, in pertinent part:

- 7. Recovery of overpayment of benefits.
- a. If an individual receives benefits for which the individual is subsequently determined to be ineligible, even though the individual acts in good faith and is not otherwise at fault,

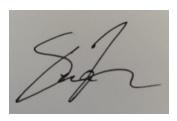
the benefits shall be recovered. The department in its discretion may recover the overpayment of benefits either by having a sum equal to the overpayment deducted from any future benefits payable to the individual or by having the individual pay to the department a sum equal to the overpayment.

Since the decision disqualifying the claimant has been affirmed, the claimant was overpaid \$4866 in unemployment insurance benefits.

The claimant may have to repay the benefits received thus far, unless the claimant applies and is approved for PUA, as directed in the paragraph below.

DECISION:

The unemployment insurance decision dated October 26, 2021, (reference 03), is affirmed. The claimant was overpaid \$313 in regular, state unemployment insurance benefits.



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<u>January 19th,2022</u> Decision Dated and Mailed

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