

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS BUREAU**

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**ELIAS G RANDEL**  
Claimant

**HARGER'S ACOUSTICS INC**  
Employer

**APPEAL 21A-UI-08337-DZ-T  
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
DECISION**

**OC: 10/27/19  
Claimant: Appellant (6)**

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Iowa Code § 96.6(2) – Timely Appeal  
Iowa Code § 96.5(2)a – Discharge for Misconduct  
Iowa Code § 96.5(1) – Voluntary Quitting  
Iowa Code § 96.4(3) – Able to and Available for Work  
Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-26.8(1) – Withdrawals

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE:**

Elias G Randel, the claimant/appellant, filed an appeal from the July 31, 2020 (reference 01) unemployment insurance decision that denied REGULAR unemployment insurance benefits. The parties were properly notified of the hearing. A telephone hearing was held on June 7, 2021. Mr. Randel participated and testified. The employer registered for the hearing but was not available at the time the hearing was scheduled to begin. Mr. Randel withdrew his appeal on the record.

**ISSUE:**

Should Mr. Randel's request to withdraw his appeal be granted?

**FINDINGS OF FACT:**

Mr. Randel requested to withdraw his appeal on the record during the hearing on June 7, 2021.

**REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:**

An appellant may submit a written request to withdraw an appeal at any time prior to the issuance of a decision. Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-26.8(1). An oral request must be tape-recorded by the presiding officer. *Id.*

Based on the available record in the appeal file, and in accordance with the applicable statutes and rules, Mr. Randel's request to withdraw his appeal should be approved.

**DECISION:**

Mr. Randel's request to withdraw his appeal of the July 31, 2020 (reference 01) unemployment insurance decision is approved. That decision shall stand and remain in full force and effect.



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June 21, 2021  
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