

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS**

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**TAYLER N MART**  
Claimant

**APPEAL NO. 22A-UI-10627-AD-T**

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
DECISION**

**IOWA WORKFORCE  
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**

**OC: 08/08/21  
Claimant: Appellant (1)**

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

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE:**

On April 27, 2022, Tayler Mart (claimant/appellant) appealed the Iowa Workforce Development (“IWD”) decision dated April 19, 2022 (reference 02) that concluded the claimant was overpaid unemployment insurance benefits in the amount of \$195.00 for the one-week period between August 8 and 14, 2021 as a result of a prior decision denying benefits.

A telephone hearing was held on June 13, 2022. The parties were properly notified of the hearing. Appeal Nos. 22A-UI-10626 and 22A-UI-10627 are related and were heard together, forming a single hearing record. Claimant participated personally. Teegjay Enterprises LLC (employer/respondent) was noticed on 22A-UI-10626 but did not appear or participate.

Department’s Exhibit 1, the fact-finding documents prepared by IWD prior to reaching the appealed decision, was admitted. No other exhibits were offered or admitted. Official notice was taken of the administrative record.

**ISSUE:**

Was the claimant overpaid unemployment insurance benefits (UI)?

**FINDINGS OF FACT:**

Having reviewed all of the evidence in the record, the administrative law judge finds:

The administrative record shows claimant received unemployment insurance benefits in the amount of \$195.00 in the week ending August 14, 2021. Claimant was subsequently determined to be ineligible for benefits during that period in a decision dated September 22, 2021. That decision has now been modified with no change in effect. See 22A-UI-10626.

**REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:**

For the reasons set forth below, the decision dated April 19, 2022 (reference 02) that concluded the claimant was overpaid unemployment insurance benefits in the amount of \$195.00 for the one-week period between August 8 and 14, 2021 as a result of a prior decision denying benefits is AFFIRMED.

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.

b. (1) (a) If the department determines that an overpayment has been made, the charge for the overpayment against the employer's account shall be removed and the account shall be credited with an amount equal to the overpayment from the unemployment compensation trust fund and this credit shall include both contributory and reimbursable employers, notwithstanding section 96.8, subsection 5. If the department determines that an employer's failure to respond timely or adequately was due to insufficient notification from the department, the employer's account shall not be charged.

The administrative record shows claimant received unemployment insurance benefits in the amount of \$195.00 in the week ending August 14, 2021. Claimant was subsequently determined to be ineligible for benefits during that period in a decision dated September 22, 2021. That decision has now been modified with no change in effect. See 22A-UI-10626.

Because claimant received UI in the amount of \$195.00 for which she was later found to be ineligible she has been overpaid in that amount.

**DECISION:**

The decision dated April 19, 2022 (reference 02) that concluded the claimant was overpaid unemployment insurance benefits in the amount of \$195.00 for the one-week period between August 8 and 14, 2021 as a result of a prior decision denying benefits is AFFIRMED.



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Andrew B. Duffelmeyer  
Administrative Law Judge

June 14, 2022  
Decision Dated and Mailed

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