

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS**

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

**ABBHEY A HOOVER**  
Claimant

**APPEAL NO. 09A-UI-02590-JTT**

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
DECISION**

**ALEGENT HEALTH**  
Employer

**OC: 01/18/09 R: 01  
Claimant: Respondent (6)**

871 IAC 26.8(1) - Withdrawal of Appeal  
Iowa Code section 96.5(2)(a) - Discharge

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE:**

The employer filed a timely appeal from the February 9, 2009, reference 01, decision that allowed benefits. A hearing was scheduled for March 12, 2009. Prior to the hearing being held, the appellant requested the appeal be withdrawn.

**ISSUE:**

At issue in this matter is whether the appellant herein should be allowed to withdraw its appeal.

**FINDINGS OF FACT:**

A request has been made by the appealing party to withdraw the appeal. The request has been submitted by means of a fax dated March 3, 2009 and by means of a March 3, 2009 recorded telephone call from attorney Lynn Corbeil of TALX UC eXpress.

**REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:**

871 IAC 26.8(1) provides:

- (1) An appeal may be withdrawn at any time prior to the issuance of a decision upon the request of the appellant and with the approval of the presiding officer to whom the case is assigned. Requests for withdrawal may be made in writing or orally, provided the oral request is tape-recorded by the presiding officer.

The administrative law judge has reviewed the records and files herein and concludes that the request of the appealing party to withdraw the appeal should be approved.

**DECISION:**

The request of the appealing party to withdraw the appeal is approved. The Agency representative's February 9, 2009, reference 01, decision shall stand and remain in full force and effect.

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James E. Timberland  
Administrative Law Judge

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Decision Dated and Mailed

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