IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS

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SCOTT M ANDES, ET AL

Claimant

APPEAL NO. 08A-UI-03927-AT

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE DECISION

HILLARY CLINTON FOR PRESIDENT INC

Employer

OC: Various Dates R: 02 Claimant: Respondent (6)

Section 96.3-5 – Business Closure 871 IAC 26.8(1) – Withdrawal of Appeal

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

Hillary Clinton for President, Inc., filed appeals from several unemployment insurance decisions allowing unemployment insurance benefits to campaign employees who had become unemployed after the lowa campaign headquarters closed following the lowa caucuses. Due notice was issued for a telephone hearing to be held on May 7, 2008. Prior to the date of the hearing, the employer requested that the appeal be withdrawn.

ISSUE:

Should the request to withdraw the appeal be granted?

FINDINGS OF FACT:

Having examined all matters of record, the administrative law judge finds: The employer, the appellant in this matter, has requested that the appeal be withdrawn.

REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

A rule found at 871 IAC 26.8(1) allows the administrative law judge to grant an appellant's request for the withdrawal of its appeal. A review of all matters of record persuades the administrative law judge that it is appropriate to allow the withdrawal of this appeal.

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(1) An appeal may be withdrawn at any time prior to the issuance of a decision upon the request of the appellant and with the approval of the presiding officer to whom the case is assigned.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.

DECISION:

The unemployment insurance decisions ruling that the claimants had become unemployed as a result of their most recent employer ceasing operations at the location where the employees last worked is affirmed. The claimants are entitled to receive unemployment insurance benefits, provided they are otherwise eligible.

Dan Anderson Administrative Law Judge

Decision Dated and Mailed

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