IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT Unemployment Insurance Appeals Section 1000 East Grand—Des Moines, Iowa 50319 DECISION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE 68-0157 (7-97) – 3091078 - EI

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OC: 01/02/05 R: 02 Claimant: Appellant (2)

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(Administrative Law Judge)
(Decision Dated & Mailed)

Section 96 5-2-a – Discharge for Misconduct

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

Alessandra Stamps (claimant) appealed an unemployment insurance decision dated January 31, 2005, reference 01, which held that she was not eligible for unemployment insurance benefits because she was discharged from Comprehensive Systems, Inc. (employer) for work-connected misconduct. Administrative Law Judge Beth Sheetz conducted an initial hearing on this matter in appeal 05A-UI-01393-S2T in which benefits were allowed. The employer appealed the decision but the tape of the hearing was defective and could not be transcribed. The Employment Appeal Board remanded for a new hearing in an order dated April 19, 2005. After hearing notices were mailed to the parties' last-known addresses of record, a telephone hearing was held on May 13, 2005. The hearing had to be continued to May 18, 2005 due to a lack of time in which to complete the hearing on the May 13, 2005. The

claimant participated in the hearing with Attorney Evelyn Ocheltree. The employer participated through Sheryl Pringle, Director of Personnel and Jenny Baker, HCBS Coordinator. Employer's Exhibits One through Three were admitted into evidence.

FINDINGS OF FACT:

The administrative law judge, having heard the testimony and considered all of the evidence in the record, finds that: The Findings of Fact set forth in the decision in appeal 05A-UI-01393-S2T are adopted and incorporated herein as if set forth at length.

REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

The Reasoning and Conclusions of Law of the administrative law judge in appeal 05A-UI-01393-S2T are adopted and incorporated herein as if set forth at length.

DECISION:

The unemployment insurance decision dated January 31, 2005, reference 01, is reversed. The claimant was discharged. Misconduct has not been established. Benefits are allowed, provided the claimant is otherwise eligible.

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