

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS BUREAU**

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**ROCHELLE M HALL**  
Claimant

**THE EASTER SEAL SOCIETY OF IA INC**  
Employer

**APPEAL 20A-UI-14466-AD-T**  
**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE**  
**DECISION**

**OC: 03/08/20**  
**Claimant: Appellant (6)**

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Iowa Code § 96.5(1) – Voluntary Quitting  
Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-26.8(1) – Withdrawals

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE:**

On November 5, 2020, Rochelle Hall (claimant/appellant) filed an appeal from the October 16, 2020 (reference 01) unemployment insurance decision that denied benefits.

A telephone hearing was held on January 8, 2021. The parties were properly notified of the hearing. Claimant participated personally. Employer participated through Data Management & Compensation Director Michelle Van Oort. Appellant withdrew her appeal on the record.

**ISSUE:**

Whether the request to withdraw the appeal should be granted.

**FINDINGS OF FACT:**

The appellant requested to withdraw the appeal on the record during the hearing on January 8, 2021. Claimant requested to withdraw the appeal because she wished to solely proceed with her appeal of a decision denying Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA), set for the same date and time.

**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, the request of the appealing party to withdraw the appeal should be approved.

**DECISION:**

The appealing party's request to withdraw the appeal of the October 16, 2020 (reference 01) unemployment insurance decision that denied benefits is approved. That decision shall stand and remain in full force and effect.



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February 01, 2021  
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