IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS

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SUSAN M FERRIN Claimant

APPEAL NO. 08A-UI-05670-S2T

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE AMENDED DECISION

IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

> OC: 06/01/08 R: 01 Claimant: Appellant (1)

Iowa Code § 96.4(4) – Monetary Eligibility and Subsequent Benefit Year

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

Claimant filed a timely appeal from the June 11, 2008, reference 01, decision that denied benefits because of not having sufficient wages with other employers in the base period to be eligible to draw benefits. After due notice was issued, a hearing was held on July 2, 2008. Claimant did participate.

ISSUE:

The issue is whether the claimant is eligible to receive benefits during the current benefit year from other employers.

FINDINGS OF FACT:

The administrative law judge, having heard the testimony and having considered all of the evidence in the record, finds that: The claimant has not earned insured wages of \$250.00 between the period of June 3, 2007, and June 1, 2008. She has received workers' compensation benefits in the form of permanent partial disability.

REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

For the reasons that follow, the administrative law judge concludes the claimant is not eligible to receive benefits during the current benefit year from other employers.

Iowa Code § 96.4-4 provides:

An unemployed individual shall be eligible to receive benefits with respect to any week only if the department finds that:

4. The individual has been paid wages for insured work during the individual's base period in an amount at least one and one-quarter times the wages paid to the individual during that quarter of the individual's base period in which the individual's wages were highest; provided that the individual has been paid wages for insured work totaling at least three and five-tenths percent of the statewide average annual wage for insured

work, computed for the preceding calendar year if the individual's benefit year begins on or after the first full week in July and computed for the second preceding calendar year if the individual's benefit year begins before the first full week in July, in that calendar quarter in the individual's base period in which the individual's wages were highest, and the individual has been paid wages for insured work totaling at least one-half of the amount of wages required under this subsection in the calendar quarter of the base period in which the individual's wages were highest, in a calendar quarter in the individual's base period other than the calendar quarter in which the individual's wages were highest. The calendar quarter wage requirements shall be rounded to the nearest multiple of ten dollars.

If the individual has drawn benefits in any benefit year, the individual must during or subsequent to that year, work in and be paid wages for insured work totaling at least two hundred fifty dollars, as a condition to receive benefits in the next benefit year.

The claimant has not earned insured wages of \$250.00 between the period of June 3, 2007, and June 1, 2008.

DECISION:

The June 11, 2008, reference 01, representative's decision is affirmed. The claimant has not earned insured wages of \$250.00 between the period of June 3, 2007, and June 1, 2008. She is not eligible to receive unemployment insurance benefits during the current claim year until she works and earns at least \$250.00 in insured wages.

Beth A. Scheetz Administrative Law Judge

Decision Dated and Mailed

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