

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS**

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

**TRINA R OFFUTT**  
Claimant

**APPEAL NO. 11A-EUCU-00206-S2T**

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
DECISION**

**IOWA WORKFORCE  
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**

**OC: 03/07/10**  
**Claimant: Appellant (1)**

EUC Act of 2008  
Section 96.19(20) – Emergency Unemployment Compensation Benefits

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE:**

Trina Offutt (claimant) appealed a representative's February 18, 2011 decision (reference 02) that concluded she was not eligible to receive emergency unemployment compensation benefits because she was monetarily eligible for regular benefits in Illinois. After a hearing notice was mailed to the claimant's last-known address of record, a telephone hearing was scheduled for March 26, 2011. The claimant participated personally.

**ISSUE:**

The issue is whether the claimant was separated from employment for any disqualifying reason.

**FINDINGS OF FACT:**

The administrative law judge, having heard the testimony and considered all of the evidence in the record, finds that: The claimant filed for benefits with an effective date of March 7, 2009. She filed for emergency unemployment compensation benefits while she was eligible to receive regular unemployment insurance benefits in Illinois.

**REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:**

For the reasons that follow the administrative law judge concludes the claimant is not eligible to receive emergency unemployment compensation benefits on the Iowa claim.

In order for a claimant to be eligible for extended benefits, the EUC Act of 2008 requires an individual to have exhausted all of the benefits under the regular unemployment claim. The claimant was not eligible for emergency unemployment compensation under his Iowa claim, because the claimant was eligible for regular unemployment insurance benefits in another State.

**DECISION:**

The representative's February 18, 2011 decision (reference 02) is affirmed. The claimant was not eligible for emergency unemployment compensation on an Iowa claimant, because the claimant was eligible for regular unemployment insurance benefits in another State.

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Beth A. Scheetz  
Administrative Law Judge

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