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

GARY L TODD 211 – 5<sup>TH</sup> ST BURLINGTON IA 52601

HOT SHOT SERVICES PO BOX 242 LAKE COMO FL 32157

JAY ASBURY ATTORNEY AT LAW PO BOX 488 CRESCENT CITY FL 32112 Appeal Number: 04A-UI-04360-S2T

OC: 03/28/04 R: 04 Claimant: Respondent (1)

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(Administrative Law Judge)
(Decision Dated & Mailed)

871 IAC 24.1(113)a – Separations From Employment

### STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

Hot Shot Services (employer) appealed a representative's April 13, 2004 decision (reference 01) that concluded Gary Todd (claimant) was an independent contractor working on a self-employed basis. After hearing notices were mailed to the parties' last-known addresses of record, a telephone hearing was held on May 20, 2004. The claimant participated personally. The employer was represented by Jay Asbury, Attorney at Law, and participated by John Hutchings, Owner.

# FINDINGS OF FACT:

The administrative law judge, having heard the testimony and considered all of the evidence in the record, finds that: The claimant worked as an independent contractor for the employer from November 2003 through March 12, 2004.

# REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

The parties agree that there was no employment relationship between the claimant and the employer. The claimant was an independent contractor.

# **DECISION:**

The representative's April 13, 2004 decision (reference 01) is affirmed. There was no employment relationship between the claimant and employer.

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