## IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS

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KRISTINE M HALL Claimant

# APPEAL NO. 07A-UI-08289-CT

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE DECISION

VOLT MANAGEMENT CORP Employer

> OC: 07/22/07 R: 04 Claimant: Appellant (2)

Section 96.4(3) – Able and Available

## STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

Kristine Hall filed an appeal from a representative's decision dated August 27, 2007, reference 01, which denied benefits effective July 22, 2007 on a finding that she was still employed by Volt Management Corporation (Volt) under the same terms and conditions as originally hired. After due notice was issued, a hearing was held by telephone on September 17, 2007. Ms. Hall participated personally. The employer participated by Elena Winter, Program Coordinator.

#### ISSUE:

At issue in this matter is whether Ms. Hall is eligible to receive job insurance benefits on her claim filed effective July 22, 2007.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT:

Having heard the testimony of the witnesses and having reviewed all of the evidence in the record, the administrative law judge finds: Ms. Hall has been employed by Volt since February 13, 2006. She is assigned to work full time at John Deere as an author of operations manuals. John Deere has plant-wide shutdowns two times each year. Ms. Hall was on layoff from July 23 through August 3, 2007. Volt did not offer her other work during the layoff. She returned to work after the layoff and continues to work full time.

#### REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

Ms. Hall filed a claim for job insurance benefits because she was temporarily laid off from her full-time employment. She remained available to work but was not provided interim work. For the above reasons, the administrative law judge concludes that she was available for work within the meaning of the law and is eligible to receive job insurance benefits for the two weeks at issue. Benefits are allowed effective July 22 through August 4, 2007.

## **DECISION:**

The representative's decision dated August 27, 2007, reference 01, is hereby reversed. Ms. Hall is allowed job insurance benefits effective July 22 through August 4, 2007 as she was laid off due to lack of work.

Carolyn F. Coleman Administrative Law Judge

Decision Dated and Mailed

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