

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS**

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

MARIA TORRES DE GONZALES
Claimant

APPEAL NO. 09A-UI-00565-SWT

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
DECISION**

SWIFT & COMPANY
Employer

**OC: 12/07/08 R: 01
Claimant: Appellant (1)**

Section 96.5-1 - Voluntary Quit

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

The claimant appealed an unemployment insurance decision dated January 14, 2009, reference 02, that concluded she voluntarily quit employment without good cause attributable to the employer. A telephone hearing was held on January 29, 2009. The parties were properly notified about the hearing. The claimant failed to participate in the hearing. Tony Luse participated in the hearing on behalf of the employer.

ISSUE:

Did the claimant voluntarily quit employment without good cause attributable to the employer?

FINDINGS OF FACT:

The claimant worked full time for the employer as a production worker from December 18, 2006, to September 4, 2008. She voluntarily quit employment due to health problems that were not work related.

REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

The issue in this case is whether the claimant voluntarily quit employment without good cause attributable to the employer.

Iowa Code section 96.5-1 provides:

An individual shall be disqualified for benefits:

1. Voluntary quitting. If the individual has left work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the individual's employer, if so found by the department.

The claimant voluntarily quit employment for reasons that were not related to her employment with the employer.

DECISION:

The unemployment insurance decision dated January 14, 2009, reference 02, is affirmed. The claimant is disqualified from receiving unemployment insurance benefits until she has been paid wages for insured work equal to ten times her weekly benefit amount, provided she is otherwise eligible.

Steven A. Wise
Administrative Law Judge

Decision Dated and Mailed

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