

**IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS**

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**ANA MENDEZ**  
Claimant

**HCSG CENTRAL LLC**  
Employer

**APPEAL 19A-UI-05157-LJ-T**  
**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
DECISION**

**OC: 05/26/19**  
**Claimant: Respondent (6)**

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Iowa Code § 96.5(2)a – Discharge for Misconduct  
Iowa Code § 96.5(1) – Voluntary Quitting  
Iowa Code § 96.3(7) – Recovery of Benefit Overpayment  
Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-24.10 – Employer/Representative Participation Fact-finding Interview  
Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-26.8(1) – Withdrawal of Appeal

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE:**

An appeal was filed from a representative's decision dated June 21, 2019, (reference 01). A telephonic hearing was scheduled for 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 23, 2019. Prior to the hearing being held, the appellant requested the appeal be withdrawn.

**ISSUE:**

Should the request to withdraw the appeal be granted?

**FINDINGS OF FACT:**

The administrative law judge, having considered the evidence in the record, finds that: A request has been made by the appealing party to withdraw the appeal. The request has been submitted in writing. The administrative law judge received the employer/appellant's written request to withdraw the appeal on July 9, 2019.

**REASONING AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:**

Iowa Admin. Code r. 871-26.8(1) provides:

(1) An appeal may be withdrawn at any time prior to the issuance of a decision upon the request of the appellant and with the approval of the presiding officer to whom the case is assigned. Requests for withdrawal may be made in writing or orally, provided the oral request is tape-recorded by the presiding officer.

The administrative law judge has reviewed the records and files herein and concludes that the request of the appealing party to withdraw the appeal should be approved.

**DECISION:**

The decision of the representative dated June 21, 2019, (reference 01) is affirmed. The request of the appealing party to withdraw the appeal is approved, and the decision of the representative shall stand and remain in full force and effect. The hearing scheduled for 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 23, 2019, is canceled.

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Elizabeth A. Johnson  
Administrative Law Judge

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Decision Dated and Mailed

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