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MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF REVIEW MARCH 11, 2026

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BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING OF MARCH 11, 2026

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A regular meeting of the Board of Review was held on Wednesday, MARCH 11, 2026, at 10:00 a.m., via conference call, in Trenton, New Jersey

PRESENT: William Scaglione, Chairperson, Eric Olsen, Vice-Chairperson, Lisa Povolny, Acting Executive Secretary,

In accordance with L1975, c.231, the Chairperson to the Board of Review opened the meeting with the following statement:

Notice of this meeting was filed with the Secretary of State and sent to the Trenton Times, Newark Star Ledger and Courier Post and posted in the Lobby of the Department of Labor, 1 John Fitch Plaza, Trenton, New Jersey.

All actions were by unanimous vote unless otherwise specified.

BOARD OF REVIEW MINUTES – MARCH 11, 2026 MEETING

BOARD MINUTES:

Submitted for adoption are the minutes of the March 04, 2026 Board meeting.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE MARCH 04, 2026 BOARD MEETING.

SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS:

A-1 DISMISSED APPEALS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW DUE TO UNTIMELY FILING OR FOR NON-JUSTICIABLE APPEAL ISSUE

1. BOR DKT. 00395067 (D.S.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS DISMISSED APPEALS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW DUE TO UNTIMELY FILING OR FOR NON-JUSTICIABLE APPEAL ISSUES.

A-2 AFFIRMATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00418690 (B.J.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits for failing to report as required by the Division.

2. BOR DKT. 00416460 (V.M.)

Claimant appealed the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the unemployment claim invalid.

3. BOR DKT. 00405330 (N.C.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

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4. BOR DKT. 00415530 (D.M.F.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification from benefits for misconduct connected with the work and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

5. BOR DKT. 00407035 (N.K.S.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification from benefits for leaving work voluntarily.

6. BOR DKT. 00398948 (O.B.G.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal which denied the claimant's request for a pre-date of an unemployment claim.

7. BOR DKT. 00418151 (M.J.T.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

8. BOR DKT. 00420865 (J.G.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

9. BOR DKT. 00352200 (F.R.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification from benefits for leaving work voluntarily and liability for a non-fraud refund.

10. BOR DKT. 00369323 (J.F.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal denying the request to reopen the matter due to non-registration for the hearing.

11. BOR DKT. 00379297 (J.D.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal denying the request to reopen the matter due to non-registration for the hearing.

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12. BOR DKT. 00368289 (N.C.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily.

13. BOR DKT. 00360754 (Estate of M.S.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

14. BOR DKT. 00406351 (R.B.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work and the employer liable for benefit charges on an unemployment claim.

15. BOR DKT. 00399874 (L.A.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

16. BOR DKT. 00398615 (M.L.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily or for being discharged for misconduct connected with the work.

17. BOR DKT. 00409551 (M.T.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

18. BOR DKT. 00409868 (L.R.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

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19. BOR DKT. 00410142 (W.S.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

20. BOR DKT. 00403238 (S.K.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work.

21. BOR DKT. 00421249 (L.G.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

22. BOR DKT. 00420647 (D.J.T.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal which denied the claimant's request for a pre-date of an unemployment claim.

23. BOR DKT. 00418622 (A.M.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits for failure to meet reporting requirements in accordance with Division regulations.

24. BOR DKT. 00418713 (Z.Y.T.)

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work and liable for a non-fraud refund.

25. BOR DKT. 00418514 (V.L.)

Claimant appealed the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the disability during unemployment claim invalid.

26. BOR DKT. 00417355 (V.P.)

The claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits from June 22, 2025 through August 2, 2025 for misconduct connected with the work.

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27. BOR DKT. 00416582 (J.M.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work.

28. BOR DKT. 00416534 (K.A.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits as the claimant did not meet reporting requirements.

29. BOR DKT. 00415439 (J.D.M.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

30. BOR DKT. 00415979 (M.O.A.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

31. BOR DKT. 00409607 (M.O.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS AFFIRMATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

A-3 MODIFICATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00407036 (N.K.S.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification from benefits for leaving work voluntarily.

2. BOR DKT. 00391459 (B.S.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits as the claimant did not meet reporting requirements.

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ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS MODIFICATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

A-4 REOPENED AND REMANDED DECISIONS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00316523 (B.C.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal denying the request to reopen the matter due to non-registration for the hearing.

2. BOR DKT. 00325841 (W.V.)

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal denying the claimant's request to reopen the matter, having previously been dismissed without prejudice, on the basis that such request was untimely.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS REOPENED AND REMANDED DECISIONS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

A-5 REMANDS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND/OR DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00410401 (M.K.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work.

2. BOR DKT. 00368650 (R.R.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work.

3. BOR DKT. 00426670 (S.R.)

Deputy appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant not unemployed and not liable for a non-fraud refund.

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4. BOR DKT. 00409688 (N.L.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

5. BOR DKT. 00418718 (D.M.C.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily.

6. BOR DKT. 00418932 (V.T.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

7. BOR DKT. 00417370 (J.C.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work.

8. BOR DKT. 00417342 (J.N.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work.

9. BOR DKT. 00415231 (G.A.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

10. BOR DKT. 00354618 (J.A.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS REMANDS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND/OR DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

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A-6 AFFIRMED AND REMANDED DECISIONS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL OR DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00408794 (P.M.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS AFFIRMED AND REMANDED TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND/OR DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

A-7 REVERSED DECISIONS OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND/OR THE DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00418009 (T.C.T.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

2. BOR DKT. 00272839 (J.P.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily and holding no disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work.

3. BOR DKT. 00410247 (H.J.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal which held the claimant ineligible for dependency allowance.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS REVERSED DECISIONS OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND/OR THE DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.