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BOARD OF REVIEW

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF REVIEW

APRIL 15, 2026

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BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING OF APRIL 15, 2026

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A regular meeting of the Board of Review was held on Wednesday, APRIL 15, 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.



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BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING MINUTES – April 15, 2026

BOARD MINUTES:

Submitted for adoption are the minutes of the April 1, 2026 Board meeting.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE APRIL 1, 2026 BOARD MEETING.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. BOR DKT. 00402800 (J.C.)

The employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work. **(This matter was erroneously listed on the March 25, 2026 Open Public Meeting Agenda as a Reversed decision of the Appeal Tribunal by the Board of Review. This matter is being placed on today's agenda as old business to correctly reflect the proper disposition to a Remand to the Appeal Tribunal and/or Deputy by the Board of Review.)**

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO AMEND THE MARCH 25, 2026 OPEN PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES TO REFLECT THAT THE ABOVE CASE WAS ERRONEOUSLY LISTED THEREIN AS A REVERSED DECISION OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW; THE BOARD FURTHER VOTED TO ACCEPT THIS CASE AS A REMAND TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS:

A-1 VACATED APPEALS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00243491 (A.N.)

Claimant's correspondence was erroneously processed as an appeal to a decision of the Appeal Tribunal.

2. BOR DKT. 00267155 (M.M.)

The claimant's correspondence was erroneously processed as an appeal to the Board of Review.

3. BOR DKT. 00023256 (M.C.)

Claimant's correspondence was erroneously processed as an appeal to the Board of Review.

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ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS VACATED APPEALS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

A-2 DISMISSED APPEALS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW DUE TO UNTIMELY FILING OR FOR NON-JUSTICIABLE APPEAL ISSUE

1. BOR DKT. 00264405 (T.B.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

2. BOR DKT. 00420429 (W.K.)

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

3. BOR DKT. 00264401 (T.B.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

4. BOR DKT. 00264405 (T.B.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

5. BOR DKT. 00398821 (E.H.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

6. BOR DKT. 00369899 (M.K.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

7. BOR DKT. 00367169 (I.C.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

8. BOR DKT. 00390910 (W.K.)

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. 00366760 (D.L.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

10. BOR DKT. 00399809 (J.T.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

11. BOR DKT. 00400235 (A.M.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

12. BOR DKT. 00376417 (F.A.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the matter for failure to file an appeal within the statutory period.

13. BOR DKT. 00371464 (T.W.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

14. BOR DKT. 00402362 (N.P.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

15. BOR DKT. 00387535 (S.R.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

16. BOR DKT. 00404063 (F.Z.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

17. BOR DKT. 00404061 (F.Z.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

18. BOR DKT. 00398280 (P.O.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

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19. BOR DKT. 00407519 (P.O.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

20. BOR DKT. 00387458 (I.D.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

21. BOR DKT. 00396622 (A.P.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

22. BOR DKT. 00387637 (J.W.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

23. BOR DKT. 00394024 (S.A.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

24. BOR DKT. 00412044 (T.T.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

25. BOR DKT. 00402905 (J.A.B.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

26. BOR DKT. 00405818 (M.B.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

27. BOR DKT. 00415385 (A.H.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

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28. BOR DKT. 00401812 (J.C.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

29. BOR DKT. 00396115

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

30. BOR DKT. 00404173 (J.D.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

31. BOR DKT. 00388976 (J.L.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the matter for failure to file the appeal within the statutory time period.

32. BOR DKT. 00398266 (E.W.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

33. BOR DKT. 00409322 (G.A.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

34. BOR DKT. 00409323 (G.A.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

35. BOR DKT. 00412047 (J.J.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

36. BOR DKT. 00391087 (C.J.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

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37. BOR DKT. 00392338 (M.R.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

38. BOR DKT. 00407548 (L.E.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

39. BOR DKT. 00417047 (A.O.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

40. BOR DKT. 00394383 (T.M.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the matter for failure to file an appeal within the statutory period.

41. BOR DKT. 00407575 (L.A.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

42. BOR DKT. 00395808 (R.M.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

43. BOR DKT. 00392332 (H.P.C.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as the appellant failed to file within the statutory period.

44. BOR DKT. 00417482 (L.K.)

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

45. BOR DKT. 00264401 (T.B.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

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

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

1. BOR DKT. 00421142 (D.H.)

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

2. BOR DKT. 00413916 (R.V.)

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

3. BOR DKT. 00423378 (C.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.

4. BOR DKT. 00419529 (S.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.

5. BOR DKT. 00421082 (A.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.

6. BOR DKT. 00420315 (M.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.

7. BOR DKT. 00422521 (T.B.)

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.

8. BOR DKT. 00414144 (L.H.)

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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9. BOR DKT. 00417438 (M.N.)

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund as the claimant was employed full-time.

10. BOR DKT. 00421935 (M.B.)

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

11. BOR DKT. 00418069 (L.B.)

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.

12. BOR DKT. 00419558 (Y.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.

13. BOR DKT. 00423610 (J.R.)

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

14. BOR DKT. 00383613 (F.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.

15. BOR DKT. 00423148 (T.B.)

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. 00408436 (R.G.)

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

17. BOR DKT. 00421395 (N.R.)

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

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18. BOR DKT. 00424281 (M.P.)

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

19. BOR DKT. 00417473 (A.T.C.)

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.

20. BOR DKT. 00417457 (A.T.C.)

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.

21. BOR DKT. 00426130 (A.B.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a denial of the claimant's request for a waiver of overpayment recovery.

22. BOR DKT. 00394618 (M.G.M.)

Employer appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for refusing suitable work.

23. BOR DKT. 00386788 (G.A.)

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.

24. BOR DKT. 00421915 (J.D.)

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

25. BOR DKT. 00420561 (K.A.)

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

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

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A-4 REOPENED AND AFFIRMED DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00216821 (R.S.)

The Appellate Division of New Jersey Superior Court granted the Board's motion for remand to reconsider the claimant's entitlement to unemployment benefits.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS A REOPENED AND AFFIRMED DECISION OF THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

A-5 MODIFICATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00412169 (N.R.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification from benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

ACTION: THE BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS A MODIFICATION OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISION BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

A-6 REOPENED AND REMANDED DECISIONS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00314953 (M.B.R.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification from benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS A REOPENED AND REMANDED DECISION TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

A-7 REMANDS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND/OR DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00414208 (A.S.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as no justiciable issue.

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2. BOR DKT. 00409725 (C.I.)

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

3. BOR DKT. 00420173 (L.S.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

4. BOR DKT. 00406020 (R.B.)

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.

5. BOR DKT. 00422172 (M.R.)

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

6. BOR DKT. 00425259 (A.R.P.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

7. BOR DKT. 00419286 (D.R.)

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

8. BOR DKT. 00425628 (M.R.)

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.

9. BOR DKT. 00228673 (S.R.)

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

10. BOR DKT. 00371603 (R.P.)

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

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11. BOR DKT. 00424314 (D.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.

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

A-8 REVERSED DECISIONS OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND/OR THE DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00387937 (R.B.)

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.

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