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BOARD OF REVIEW

**MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF
THE BOARD OF REVIEW
JUNE 23, 2021**

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BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING JUNE 23, 2021

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A regular meeting of the Board of Review was held on Wednesday, June 23, 2021 at 10:00 a.m., via conference call, in Trenton, New Jersey

PRESENT: Nancy Hunt, Chairperson, William Scaglione, Vice-Chairperson, Andrea Jackson, 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 – JUNE 23, 2021 MEETING

BOARD MINUTES:

Submitted for adoption are the minutes of the June 9, 2021 Board meeting.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE JUNE 9, 2021, BOARD MEETING.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. BRYAN TEMIN BOR DKT. 00223008

Claimant appealed a decision of the appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits under the CARES Act, and liable for a non-fraud refund. **(This case was affirmed in the meeting of May 26, 2021. This case was placed on this agenda for further discussion by the Board.)**

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO MOVE THIS ITEM FROM THE AFFIRMED CATEGORY TO THE MODIFIED CATEGORY.

2. AMADOR CAMPOS BOR DKT. 00230955

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause. **(This case was affirmed in the Meeting of May 26, 2021. Board put this case on this agenda for further discussion.)**

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO REMAND THIS MATTER TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL TO GIVE PROPER NOTICE OF THE TIMELINESS OF THE APPEAL ISSUE.

SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS

A-1 VACATED APPEALS TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. JOAN CLOUR BOR DKT. 00229805

Employer mailed letter disputing that the claimant was employed with their company.

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ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS A VACATED APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

A-2 DISMISSALS OF LATE APPEALS OR NON-JUSTICIABLE ISSUES TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. REHAB MOHAMED **BOR DKT. 00226193**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits as the claimant had reasonable assurance of reemployment between terms.

2. GINA ECONOMOPOULOS **BOR DKT. 00226993**

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

3. VIQAR HAMEED **BOR DKT. 00225452**

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

4. DEBRA WURSTER **BOR DKT. 00228861**

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

5. CASEY ERNEST **BOR DKT. 00199513**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant disqualified for benefits due to illegal receipt or attempted receipt of benefits, and liable for a fraud refund with fines imposed.

6. CASEY ERNEST **BOR DKT. 00199332**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant disqualified for benefits due to illegal receipt or attempted receipt of benefits, and liable for a fraud refund with fines imposed.

7. VICTORIA SIANO **BOR DKT. 00230887**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for regular benefits under availability for work.

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8. INGLIKA DIMITROVA BOR DKT. 00228371

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

9. ANN SULLIVAN BOR DKT. 00200674

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

10. ANITA FREDRICKS BOR DKT. 00229993

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

11. MONET WALLACE BOR DKT. 00217514

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

12. BRENDA KLAUER BOR DKT. 00234423

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for benefits on the ground that the claimant was employed full-time.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS DISMISSALS OF LATE APPEALS OR NON-JUSTICIABLE ISSUES TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

A-3 DENIAL OF REOPENING REQUESTS TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. THOMAS BUDD BOR DKT. 00198808

Claimant is requesting a reconsideration of the Board of Review's decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision holding a disqualification of benefits for discharge for misconduct connected with the work and holding an ineligibility period for not being able to work.

2. BRITTANIE THOMAS BOR DKT. 00185166

Claimant is requesting a reconsideration of the Board of Review decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision holding a disqualification for leaving the work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

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3. KVAUGHN WEDDERBURN BOR DKT. 00150239

Claimant is requesting a reconsideration of the Board of Review decision which dismissed the claimant's appeal as late without good cause.

4. RICCO SMITH BORDKT. 00205407

Claimant is requesting a reconsideration of the Board of Review decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision holding a disqualification for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

5. GEORGE OSPIOVITCH BOR DKT. 00231671

Claimant is requesting a reconsideration of the Board of Review decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under ability and availability for work, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

6. SHAVONNE KNOLTON BOR DKT. 00183870

Claimant is requesting a reconsideration of the Board of Review's decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund.

7. KIMBERLY MARTINEZ BOR DKT. 00202212

Claimant is requesting a reconsideration of the Board of Review's decision which dismissed the appeal as late without good cause.

8. TIMOTHY LASALA BOR DKT. 00228132

Claimant is requesting a reconsideration of the Board of Review's decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

9. REGIS VITALE BOR DKT. 00227330

Claimant is requesting a reconsideration of the Board of Review's decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS DENIAL OF REOPENING REQUESTS TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW

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A-4 AFFIRMATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS

1. ANGELA DATU BOR DKT. 00234358

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's separation was not due to one of COVID-19 related reasons under the CARES Act, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

2. JAZEL GALURA BOR DKT. 00234424

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's separation was not due to one of COVID-19 related reasons under the CARES Act, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

3. KAIN SCHULTZE BOR DKT. 00235493

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

4. CHANA WILAMOWSKY BOR DKT. 00236846

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Extended Benefits as the claimant did not establish 20 base weeks or have earnings which equal or exceeded 40 times the weekly benefit rate.

5. FELIPE CHONG BOR DKT. 00235827

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Extended Benefits on the ground that the claimant did not earn requalifying wages after the effective date of disqualification for misconduct connected with the work.

6. STACI RODRIGUEZ BOR DKT. 00231075

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

7. GWEN HOPKINS BOR DKT. 00230967

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund.

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8. NELSON DOMINGUEZ BOR DKT. 00232591

Claimant appealed a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

9. LOUIS GALELLA BOR DKT. 00232204

Claimant appealed the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the unemployment claim dated March 15, 2020, invalid, and holding liability for a non-fraud refund.

10. CHRISTOPHER EUSTAQUIO BOR DKT. 00230200

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

11. ALEXANDER ZEBEDE BOR DKT. 00235700

Claimant appealed a denial of extended benefits due to insufficient base year employment.

12. OLIVIA KING BOR DKT. 00221443

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

13. ALEXANDRA ASTLEY BOR DKT. 00234468

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, a liability to a non-fraud refund, and a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA).

14. PATRICIA ARNOLD BOR DKT. 00232272

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

15. HIRA KHAN BOR DKT. 00236750

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

16. LORI MERLO-SMITH BOR DKT. 00232008

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

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17. JOSEPH STEVENSON BOR DKT. 00236402

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

18. TUGCE YUKSEL BOR DKT. 00236552

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

19. ROBIN KARPENSKI BOR DKT. 00234850

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund due to being employed with earnings.

20. DAVID COLLINS BOR DKT. 00234310

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under reasonable assurance of reemployment between terms and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

21. DAVID COLLINS BOR DKT. 00234311

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under reasonable assurance of reemployment between terms and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

22. JOAN HART-LEAK BOR DKT. 00233984

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

23. DJORDJE KOVACEVIC BOR DKT. 00234751

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits on the ground that he was not unemployed.

24. ALMA LEFKOWITZ BOR DKT. 00219732

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund.

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25. KEVIN LE BOR DKT. 00223104

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant not eligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and liable to a refund.

26. JOSE DURAN BOR DKT. 00231652

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

27. RALPH MIRANDA BOR DKT. 00231260

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribuna holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons and liable for non-fraud refund.

28. THOMAS KUNIS BOR DKT. 00230948

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund.

29. LEONA ALVAREZ BOR DKT. 00232156

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility as she was employed with earnings.

30. WILLIS JACKSON BOR DKT. 00231958

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.

31. LILIANA CHICA BOR DKT. 00234155

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under ability to work.

32. SHOU QIN ZHENG BOR DKT. 00230954

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding her disqualified for regular benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

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33. MIGUELINA ESPINOSA BOR DKT. 00228566

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

34. AMALIA SALOMON BOR DKT. 00229785

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

35. FRESA ALMANZAR BOR DKT. 00218838

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work.

36. SUNGWOO LEE BOR DKT. 00232446

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

37. ZUBAIR UDDIN BOR DKT. 00231983

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

38. ANTHONY LANZANO BOR DKT. 00230150

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

39. KATLYN MAHACHEK BOR DKT. 00232124

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

40. MARIA SALTZMAN BOR DKT. 00233831

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund.

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41. MARIA SALTZMAN BOR DKT. 00233926

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund.

42. DAVIDA ROSENBLUM BOR DKT. 00231978

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

43. ISAIAH HAMPTON BOR DKT. 00233344

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

44. BETTY JONES BOR DKT. 00233913

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

45. BEAULETT LAWRENCE BOR DKT. 00233939

Claimant appealed a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

46. SOO JUNG BOR DKT. 00231709

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons and liable for a non-fraud refund.

47. SHAH KHATOON BOR DKT. 00232474

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a portion of the appeal dismissed as late without good cause and holding the regular unemployment claim invalid. The claimant also appealed the denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits.

48. KYLE SINGER BOR DKT. 00234307

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

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

A-5 AFFIRMED AND MODIFIED DECISIONS TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. ALI MAHIDASHITI BOR DKT. 00231101

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance benefits and a liability for a refund.

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

A-6 MODIFICATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS

1. KAREN MCKNIGHT BOR DKT. 00192641

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the unemployment claim valid, holding the claimant not unemployed and liable for a non-fraud refund.

2. JOSEPH MARZIANO BOR DKT. 00231956

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

3. MARCIA KERSHAW BOR DKT. 00235512

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for benefits under availability for work.

4. IRENE NOVICK BOR DKT. 00235796

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a pension reduction. **(Board voted to remand this matter to the Appeal Tribunal to allow the claimant to present documentary evidence to ascertain the amount of the claimant's monthly pension and whether the claimant contributed to the pension).**

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5. KATHLEEN KAIGHN BOR DKT. 00231330

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund.

6. HARRY BARNES BOR DKT. 00234804

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for benefits under availability for work and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE REMAINING FIVE CASES AS MODIFICATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS.

A-7 AFFIRMED AND REMANDED DECISIONS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL OR DEPUTY

1. KELLY HIMMELREICH BOR DKT. 00234772

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance benefits.

2. PATRICK STANCZAK BOR DKT. 00228328

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.

3. TODD VICKERY BOR DKT. 00230980

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for benefits under availability to work and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

4. JOYCE HOFFMANN BOR DKT. 00232066

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for regular benefits on the ground that the claimant was not available for work.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS AFFIRMED AND REMANDED DECISIONS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL OR DEPUTY.

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A-8 REMANDS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL OR DEPUTY

1. VERONICA RUIZ BOR DKT. 00236662

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, liability to a non-fraud refund, and ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance.

2. TONIA POLVERE BOR DKT. 00235361

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

3. SHAKIRA CEESAY BOR DKT. 00214045

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

4. ISABEL CELESTINO FLORES BOR DKT. 00228061

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

5. LOURDES RAMIREZ CAMEJO BOR DKT. 00224849

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification for regular unemployment benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and an ineligibility for benefits under ability to work. The claimant also appealed the denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance benefits and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

6. KAREN ROMERO BOR DKT. 00234355

Claimant appealed a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons and liability for a non-fraud refund.

7. HAKIM HAMMOND BOR DKT. 00235968

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

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8. DANIELLE BORNHOEFT BOR DKT. 00234661

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding her ineligible for benefits under ability to work and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

9. ALEXIS ESPINAL BOR DKT. 00235289

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

10. ALEXIS ESPINAL BOR DKT. 00235290

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

11. MICHAEL KUHN BOR DKT. 00234291

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification of benefits for misconduct connected with the work and no liability to a non-fraud refund.

12. EDMUND SILBERSTEIN BOR DKT. 00234999

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for refund.

13. CHYANE ROBERTS BOR DKT. 00233632

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work.

14. JOHN MILLER BOR DKT. 00223479

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

15. MARIA QUITIAN BOR DKT. 00228073

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

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16. VICTOR ABREU BOR DKT. 00231297

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

17. RENEE GEWIRTZ BOR DKT. 00231859

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

18. RENEE GEWIRTZ BOR DKT. 00231860

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

19. TANZANIA JOHNSON BOR DKT. 00230421

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

20. TANAYAH TAYLOR BOR DKT. 00221040

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

21. THOMAS CHIRCO BOR DKT. 00232205

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Extended Benefits as the claimant did not establish 20 base week or earn 40 times the weekly benefit rate during the base year period on the claim.

22. NICOLE POLONETSKY BOR DKT. 00232376

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and liable for non-fraud refund.

23. NITZA EBIE BOR DKT. 00232522

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

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24. KHUSHUBEN RANA BOR DKT. 00232743

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding her ineligible for benefits on the ground that she was unavailable for work and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

25. PAUL GALA BOR DKT. 00231747

Claimant appealed the Appeal Tribunal decision which affirmed the Deputy's monetary entitlement.

26. DONNA CACCIATORE BOR DKT. 00234437

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant employed with earnings, and remanding the matters of the monetary award on her claim and liability for a non-fraud refund to the Deputy.

27. ELLIOT IKHELOA BOR DKT. 00233186

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the unemployment claim dated March 29, 2020 invalid, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA), and liable for a non-fraud refund.

28. KRISTIN SIGNORILE BOR DKT. 00233267

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

29. JENNIFER RAUSCHER BOR DKT. 00233601

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification of benefits for misconduct connected with the work and the claimant not ineligible for benefits from 06/21/20 through 08/01/20 as she was not employed with earnings.

30. LISA MELROY BOR DKT. 00234593

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

31. TERESA MORGANA BOR DKT. 00231970

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund.

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32. YVETTE CID

BOR DKT. 00234111

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Extended Benefits as the claimant did not establish 20 base weeks or earn 40 times the weekly benefit rate during the base year period on the claim.

33. CHRISTOPHER MACLEOD

BOR DKT. 00234275

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

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS REMANDS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL OR DEPUTY.

A-9 MODIFIED AND REMANDED DECISIONS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL

1. KATHY VACCA

BOR DKT. 00231857

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding her disqualified for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and liable for a non-fraud refund.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS A MODIFIED AND REMANDED DECISION TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL.

A-10 REVERSED AND REMANDED APPEALS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL

1. TASHEEDA TURNER

BOR DKT. 00234446

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

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS A REVERSED AND REMANDED APPEAL TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL.

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A-11 REMANDS FROM THE SUPERIOR COURT

1. VANDANA DODA

BOR DKT. 00208548

Appellate Division remanded claimant's request for reconsideration of the Board of Review decision affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision holding a disqualification for leaving the work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS A REMAND FROM THE SUPERIOR COURT.

SECTION B - MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS/CASES FOR DISCUSSION

B-1 MICHAEL RICHTER

BOR DKT. 00233076

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, an ineligibility for benefits under availability for work and a liability to a non-fraud refund. Claimant was held eligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA). (**Appellate Specialist Matos**)

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO DISMISS THE ABOVE CASE AS NO JUSTICIABLE ISSUE TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

B-2 SHANIN MULLER

BOR DKT. 00232584

Employer appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work. (**Appellate Specialist Hart**)

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO REVERSE THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISION WITH RESPECT TO THE VOLUNTARY LEAVING ISSUE WITH EMPLOYER #1, AND TO HOLD THE CLAIMANT ELIGIBLE FOR PANDEMIC UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE (PUA) BENEFITS AS HER UNEMPLOYMENT AS OF MARCH 29, 2020, WAS DUE TO A QUALIFYING REASON UNDER THE CARES ACT.

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B-3 TIMOTHY NORMET, SR. BOR DKT. 00233412

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for misconduct connected with the work and a liability to a non-fraud refund. (**Appellate Specialist Matos**)

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO AFFIRM THE DECISION OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL WITH AN ADDITION TO ADDRESS THE CLAIMANT’S CONTENTIONS AND DIVISION RECORDS.

B-4 SHANNON FARYNA BOR DKT. 00236730

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

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO AFFIRM THE DECISION OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND REFER THE MATTER OF WHETHER THE CLAIMANT IS ENTITLED TO PANDEMIC UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE (PUA) BENEFITS TO THE DEPUTY FOR AN INITIAL DETERMINATION.

B-5 IRENE CAINE BOR DKT. 00234885

Claimant appealed a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant’s unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons and liable for a refund. (**Appellate Specialist Jackson**)

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO REVERSE THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISION AND HOLD THE CLAIMANT NOT INELIGIBLE FOR PANDEMIC UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE (PUA) BENEFITS ON THE CLAIM DATED APRIL 5, 2020, AS THE CLAIMANT’S UNEMPLOYMENT WAS DUE TO A QUALIFYING REASON UNDER THE CARES ACT.

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B-6 JEROME SPEARS

BOR DKT. 00234318

Claimant appealed a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant had no recent attachment to the labor market. (**Appellate Specialist Jackson**)

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO AFFIRM THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISION WITH A CORRECTION TO THE FACTS WITH RESPECT TO WHETHER THE CLAIMANT WAS EMPLOYED IN 2019 AND 2020.