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BOARD OF REVIEW

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF REVIEW SEPTEMBER 2, 2026

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A regular meeting of the Board of Review was held on Wednesday, September 2, at 10:00 a.m., via conference call, in Trenton, New Jersey

PRESENT: William Scaglione, Chairperson, Catharine Quigley, Board Member

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 MINUTES – SEPTEMBER 2, 2026 MEETING

BOARD MINUTES:

Submitted for adoption are the minutes of the August 26, 2026 Board meeting.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 26, 2026, BOARD MEETING.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. BOR DKT. 00404799 (E.D.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for misconduct connected with the work. **(This matter was erroneously listed on the August 12, 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 ACCEPT MOVING THE ABOVE CASE TO THE CORRECT CATEGORY OF REMAND TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND/OR DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

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. 00371607 (A.D.)

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

2. BOR DKT. 00407186 (G.N.)

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

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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-2 DENIAL OF REOPENING REQUESTS TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00229857 (M.A.)

Claimant is requesting a reopening of the Board of Review's decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS A DENIAL OF REOPENING REQUEST TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

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

1. BOR DKT. 00417574 (R.H.)

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

2. BOR DKT. 00423354 (J.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.

3. BOR DKT. 00430899 (S.B.)

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

4. BOR DKT. 00423708 (M.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.

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5. BOR DKT. 00432574 (D.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.

6. BOR DKT. 00426322 (M.C.B.)

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

7. BOR DKT. 00342882 (K.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.

8. BOR DKT. 00432220 (B.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. 00432047 (A.J.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for a CARES Act Overpayment Waiver.

10. BOR DKT. 00421250 (T.M.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for an Overpayment Waiver.

11. BOR DKT. 00431435 (E.N.C.)

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

12. BOR DKT. 00363397 (A.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.

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13. BOR DKT. 00433307 (D.A.)

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

14. BOR DKT. 00431918 (C.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 and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

15. BOR DKT. 00432906 (R.G.)

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

16. BOR DKT. 00433130 (N.D.)

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

17. BOR DKT. 00414835 (D.C.)

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

18. BOR DKT. 00406849 (T.M.)

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

19. BOR DKT. 00433113 (K.D.)

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

20. BOR DKT. 00433439 (J.P.)

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

21. BOR DKT. 00402992 (P.H.)

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

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22. BOR DKT. 00433582 (J.H.)

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

23. BOR DKT. 00432109 (M.D.)

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

24. BOR DKT. 00417889 (N.P.)

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

25. BOR DKT. 00419497 (B.D.)

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

26. BOR DKT. 00432333 (D.T.)

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

27. BOR DKT. 00432494 (A.S.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification from 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.

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A-4 MODIFIED AND REMANDED DECISIONS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL OR DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00428090 (A.C.)

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

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

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

1. BOR DKT. 00426107 (T.B.)

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

2. BOR DKT. 00430928 (T.F.)

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.

3. BOR DKT. 00432345 (J.S.)

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

4. BOR DKT. 00432132 (S.G.)

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

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

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A-6 REMANDS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND/OR DEPUTY BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00394035 (D.C.)

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

2. BOR DKT. 00394036 (D.C.)

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

3. BOR DKT. 00428716 (A.G.)

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification for benefits for leaving work voluntarily and no liability for a non-fraud refund.

4. BOR DKT. 00431913 (N.N.)

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. 00426547 (V.D.)

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

6. BOR DKT. 00400336 (R.D.)

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. 00430140 (B.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.

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8. BOR DKT. 00434390 (A.O.)

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

9. BOR DKT. 00432148 (J.W.)

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

10. BOR DKT. 00407957 (S.B.)

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

11. BOR DKT. 00408288 (V.N.)

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

12. BOR DKT. 00390950 (Q.D.)

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. 00400257 (T.D.)

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

14. BOR DKT. 00432253 (A.C.)

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

15. BOR DKT. 00433257 (N.P.)

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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16. BOR DKT. 00431998 (M.T.)

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

17. BOR DKT. 00433237 (T.L.)

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

18. BOR DKT. 00430287 (K.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.

19. BOR DKT. 00432925 (J.L.)

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

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

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

1. BOR DKT. 00433260 (J.A.)

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant not unemployed.

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

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

1. BOR DKT. 00406468 (K.M.)

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

2. BOR DKT. 00431501 (S.M.)

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

3. BOR DKT. 00432975 (N.C.)

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

4. BOR DKT. 00374562 (T.W.)

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

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

A-9 APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS REMOVED TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW ON THE BOARD'S OWN MOTION

1. BOR DKT. 00431388 (F.H.)

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

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS AN APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISION REMOVED TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW ON THE BOARD'S OWN MOTION.