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BOARD OF REVIEW

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF
THE BOARD OF REVIEW**

OCTOBER 21, 2026

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CATHARINE QUIGLEY, BOARD MEMBER

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BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING OF OCTOBER 21, 2026

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A regular meeting of the Board of Review was held on Wednesday, October 21, 2026, 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 MEETING MINUTES – October 21, 2026

BOARD MINUTES:

Submitted for adoption are the minutes of the October 14, 2026 Board meeting.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 14, 2026 BOARD MEETING.

SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS:

A-1 VACATED APPEALS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00419966 (P.D.G.)

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

2. BOR DKT. 00289845 (E.T.)

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

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. 00316996 (R.H.)

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

2. BOR DKT. 00425507 (S.N.)

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

3. BOR DKT. 00425243 (M.D.)

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

4. BOR DKT. 00422568 (A.C.)

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

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5. BOR DKT. 00422571

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

6. BOR DKT. 00332022 (N.G.)

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 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. 00407212 (K.J.)

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. 00431529 (A.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. 00433596 (C.G.)

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

4. BOR DKT. 00433574 (R.W.)

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. 00435237 (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.

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 AFFIRMED AND REVERSED APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. BOR DKT. 00368749 (T.S.)

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

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS AN AFFIRMED AND REVERSED APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISION BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

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

1. BOR DKT. 00321371 (M.M.)

Deputy appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an eligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits, and no liability for a non-fraud refund.

2. BOR DKT. 00431477 (M.M.)

Deputy appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification due to willful misrepresentation, no liability for fines, and remanding a refund liability for recalculation.

3. BOR DKT. 00412442 (D.E.)

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

4. BOR DKT. 00425135 (C.C.)

Employer 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. 00402047 (G.Z.)

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

6. BOR DKT. 00430410 (A.G.)

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

7. BOR DKT. 00433821 (G.H.)

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

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8. BOR DKT. 00436325 (D.B.)

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

9. BOR DKT. 00435562 (R.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.

10. BOR DKT. 00433306 (S.D.)

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.

11. BOR DKT. 00398882 (D.M.)

This matter was remanded from Superior Court on the Board of Review's motion, for further proceedings with respect to the claimant's liability for a refund.

12. BOR DKT. 00433944 (R.A.)

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