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BOARD OF REVIEW

ROBERT ASARO-ANGELO Commissioner

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF REVIEW **NOVEMBER 2, 2022**

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BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING NOVEMBER 2, 2022

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A regular meeting of the Board of Review was held on Wednesday, NOVEMBER 2, 2022 at 10:00 a.m., via conference call, in Trenton, New Jersey

PRESENT: Nancy Hunt, Chairperson, William Scaglione, Vice-Chairperson, MARIA ZOLA, 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 MINUTES:

Submitted for adoption are the minutes of the October 19, 2022 Board meeting.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 19, 2022, BOARD MEETING.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. AIGNER COLLINS

BOR DKT. 00256504

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

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO REVERSE THE DECISION OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND HOLD NO DISQUALIFICATION OF BENEFITS FOR LEAVING WORK VOLUNTARILY, AND NO LIABILITY FOR THE NON-FRAUD REFUND.

2. MARGARET SAGETT

BOR DKT. 00257318

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of unemployment benefits for leaving work voluntarily, an ineligibility of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits from 02/28/21 through 08/14/21 as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the CARES Act, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO AFFIRM THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISION, WHICH HELD A DISQUALIFICATION OF BENEFITS FOR LEAVING WORK VOLUNTARILY, INELIGIBLE FOR PUA BENEFITS FROM 02/28/21 THROUGH 08/14/21, AND LIABLE FOR THE NON-FRAUD REFUND.

<u>SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS:</u>

A-1 VACATED APPEALS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. RHONDA BORDERS

BOR DKT. 00263679

Claimant's correspondence was processed as an appeal to a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and no disqualification of benefits for refusal of suitable work.

2. DONIELLE JANORA BOR DKT. 00254864

Claimant filed an appeal in error from a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant eligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and not liable for the non-fraud refund.

3.	DOLORES DEALMEIDA	BOR DKT. 00274975
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Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

4. THOMAS HART BOR DKT. 0025932

Claimants letter erroneously processed as an appeal to the Board of Review.

5. EDLIRA BIBE

BOR DKT. 00262401

Claimant's letter of appeal was docketed in error as an appeal of the matter under this docket.

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. JENNIFER WIGHT

BOR DKT. 00257020

Claimant appealed a decision holding an ineligibility of benefits under ability to work, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

2. MAKENZIE FEDELE BOR DKT. 00260234

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of unemployment benefits for leaving work voluntarily, and a liability for a nonfraud refund.

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification

claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons

BOR DKT. 00197234

BOR DKT. 00257005

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- BOR DKT. 00258730
- BOR DKT. 00264042

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

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the

identified in the CARES Act and liability for non-fraud refund.

6. JITH ABRAHAM

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

7. CRISTIAN PAZ BOR DKT. 00262499

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.

8. HOWIE FALLON

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.

9. GLENNIS CABRAL

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 a liability to a non-fraud refund.

of benefits for leaving work voluntarily.

3. FABIO CARRANCHO

4. FAUSTO COLLADO

5. CHINEDU UMEASIEGBU

BOR DKT. 00249953

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

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

1. AURELINA ARNAUD

BOR DKT. 00254005

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

2. CAROLYN SMITH BOR DKT. 00262132

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified in the CARES Act and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

3. WARREN JILLSON JR. BOR DKT. 00261122

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

4. WENDI RODRIGUEZ

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

5. NANI CHA

Employer appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, disqualified for benefits for discharge for misconduct connected with the work, liable for a portion of the non-fraud refund, and not liable for portion of the non-fraud refund.

6. REYNITA MONROE

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for refusing suitable work, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

7. KEITH LUDWIG

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the weekly benefit rate reduced due to a pension offset, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

BOR DKT. 00255319

BOR DKT. 00262576

BOR DKT. 00263636

8. EKINCI IBRAHIM

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

9. PAMELA BAUER

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

10. DAVID TOOKER

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

11.	MANUEL MENDEZ

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

12.	JODY BINNS		

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.

13. ANNA HRYMOC

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

14. ERIKA REYES

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

15. LOUIS DEANGELIS

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

BOR DKT. 00263036

BOR DKT. 00258854

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BOR DKT. 00257800

BOR DKT. 00257966

BOR DKT. 00263792

BOR DKT. 00264146

BOR DKT. 00260586

16. JAYNE CIASTO

BOR DKT. 00266258

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

24. LASHONDA WAKEFIELD

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

19. DANA MORRA

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work. BOR DKT. 00260448 **20.** PEDRO VENTURA

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

21. AMIRAH CHAPMAN

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

22. ROBERT THOMPSON

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

23. KIMBERLY RARING

and a liability to a refund.

BOR DKT. 00265952

BOR DKT. 00264928

BOR DKT. 00266252

BOR DKT. 00261649

BOR DKT. 00259828

hearing.

18. LOVELLA ROSE BOR DKT. 00267146

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal denying the request to vacate a prior decision dismissing the appeal and the request to schedule a new

17. ALEX CHIRINOS BOR DKT. 00257902

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

unemployed and liability for non-fraud refund.

under ability to work and a liability to a refund.

25. GLORIA HILTON

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

26. SHAWN MCCONNELL

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

27. ANAIS JARDA

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

28. TYANN THOMAS

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons under the CARES Act, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

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

30. TERESA HOGYA

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

31. LYNNE FISCHER

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

32. HIRA GHUMMAN

BOR DKT. 00265810

BOR DKT. 00266657

BOR DKT. 00266502

BOR DKT. 00265335

BOR DKT. 00264888

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BOR DKT. 00265407

BOR DKT. 0026671

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Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding claimant ineligible for Extended Benefits.

33. ADAM COPPOLA

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

34. BILLY CADLE

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

35. JOSEPH REDDEN

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.

36. ARMOND THOMAS

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.

37. FRANKLIN THOMA

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

38. ANDRE CORDOVA

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

39. ERICA MOBLEY

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

40. JESSICA SHEA

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the

BOR DKT. 00264382

BOR DKT. 00253430

BOR DKT. 00260222

BOR DKT. 00214769

BOR DKT. 00271556

BOR DKT. 00265861

BOR DKT. 00267297

claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons, and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

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

A-4 **MODIFICATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW**

1. CLIFFORD EVANS

BOR DKT. 00261416

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits as the claimant had reasonable assurance of reemployment between academic terms, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

2. CLIFFORD EVANS BOR DKT. (

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits as the claimant had reasonable assurance of reemployment between academic terms, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

3. JHONNY CALERO BOR DKT. 00264539

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.

4. MIKAYLA STONE

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

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

6. LAURA ALBARRAN

5. MICHAEL VALERI

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 refund.

BOR DKT. 00256648

BOR DKT. 00263744

7. HENRY LESLIE

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

8. ROBERT WHITMORE BOR DKT. 00258494

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

9. JERIJOHNSON

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

10. DANIEL MWANIA

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily and a liability to a non-fraud refund. BOR DKT. 00260795

11. LEE SIROTNIAK

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified in the CARES Act and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

12. TAYNA HEDDERMAN

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, an ineligibility of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the CARES Act, and liable for a nonfraud refund.

13. EVE GOLDBERG

Claimant appealed the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the unemployment claim invalid and a liability to a non-fraud refund

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

BOR DKT. 00260694

BOR DKT. 00267166

BOR DKT. 00264186

BOR DKT. 00257725

THE BOARD OF REVIEW.

A-5 MODIFY AND AFFIRM DECISIONS OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL

1. LAURA WAGNER

BOR DKT. 00257891

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

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THIS CASE AS MODIFY AND AFFIRM DECISIONS OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL.

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

1. EDWARD WESTREICH

BOR DKT. 00262690

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified in the CARES Act and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

2. RUSSELL ROBINSON JR BOR DKT. 00255899

Employer appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, no disqualification of benefits for discharge for misconduct connected with the work, an ineligibility of benefits under ability to work, and a liability for a portion of the non-fraud refund.

3. COURTNEY JACKSON BOR DKT. 00258207

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

4. JAROD HASKETT

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

5. SUZAN SLETTELAND

BOR DKT. 00257176

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

6. MYKIA PALMER

BOR DKT. 00261079

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

7. BRIANNA PIZZUTILLA

BOR DKT. 00265205

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

8. NEVA RUCCI

BOR DKT. 00256069

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

9. NICOLE MACCARONE BOR DKT. 00261422

Employer appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification of unemployment benefits for leaving work voluntarily, and claimant was eligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits.

10. RAFAEL HURTADO

BOR DKT. 00259637

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

11. JOANN BUTTARO COOPERBOR DKT. 00266147

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

12. ROBERTO DOSSANTOS

BOR DKT. 00254384

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

Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified in the CARES Act and liable for a non-fraud refund.

13. LUIS CANCEL PEREZ

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

14. MATTHEW YOUNG BOR DKT. 00254292

Claimant appealed the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the unemployment claim invalid, claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant may be eligible for unemployment benefits in another State and liability for a non-fraud refund.

15. AASADD LAWRENCE

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

16. ROBERT MANCINELLI

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

17.	HIRANT CIGERCIOGLU	J
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Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding claimant ineligible for Extended Benefits.

18. PATRICIA KRAWIEC

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

19. GANESH ZUNJURKE

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

20. ROBERT HOGG

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

BOR DKT. 00265090

BOR DKT. 00264188

BOR DKT. 00261841

BOR DKT. 00265810

BOR DKT. 00261485

BOR DKT. 00253213

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

A-7 REVERSED DECISIONS OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. ANATOLIY YATSENTYUK BOR DKT. 00263577

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

2. HUNTER LANGE BOR DKT. 00257794

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

3. THOMAS IANNACCONE BOR DKT. 00259602

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

4. YAJAIRA RAMION

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a refund.

5. SUSAN ARIAS

BOR DKT. 00264880

BOR DKT. 00258922

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for benefits under ability to work, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a refund.

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

SECTION B – MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS/CASES FOR DISCUSSION

B-1 LESLIE VROOM

BOR DKT. 00263219

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reason identified under the CARES Act, and a liability for a non-fraud refund. (**Appellate Specialist Zola**)

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO AFFIRM THE DECISION OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL, WHICH HELD THE CLAIMANT DISQUALIFIED FOR BENEFITS FOR LEAVING WORK VOLUNTARILY, INELIGIBLE FOR PUA BENEFITS, AND LIABLE FOR A NON-FRAUD REFUND.

B-2 VINCE GALLO

BOR DKT. 00263743

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, and a liability for a non-fraud refund. (**Appellate Specialist Zola**)

ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO HOLD THE VOLUNTARY LEAVING DISQUALIFICATION AS A NULLITY, AND REMAND THE MATTER OF PUA AND LIABILITY FOR A NON-FRAUD REFUND TO THE DEPUTY FOR A DETERMINATION.