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EMPLOYMENT APPEALS BOARD DECISION 2016-EAB-0219

Affirmed
Late Request for Hearing Dismissed
Overpayment Assessed

PROCEDURAL HISTORY: On December 2, 2015, the Oregon Employment Department (the Department) served notice of an administrative decision (decision # 150614) concluding claimant did not actively seek work from September 27 to November 14, 2015 (weeks 39-15 through 45-15). On December 22, 2015, decision # 150614 became final without a request for hearing having been filed. On January 5, 2016, the Department served notice of an administrative decision, based on decision # 150614, assessing a \$1,547 overpayment (decision # 140228). On January 21, 2016, claimant filed a late request for hearing on decision # 150614 and a timely request for hearing on decision # 140228. On February 16, 2016, ALJ Buckley conducted two hearings. On February 17, 2016, the ALJ issued Hearing Decision 16-UI-53058, dismissing claimant's request for hearing on decision # 150614. On February 19, 2016, the ALJ issued Hearing Decision 16-UI-53340, affirming decision # 140228. On February 26, 2016, claimant filed applications for review of both decisions with the Employment Appeals Board (EAB).

Pursuant to OAR 471-041-0095 (October 29, 2006), EAB consolidated its review of Hearing Decisions 16-UI-53340 and 16-UI-53058. For case-tracking purposes, this decision is being issued in duplicate (EAB Decisions 2016-EAB-0219 and 2016-EAB-0220).

EAB reviewed the entire hearing record. On *de novo* review and pursuant to ORS 657.275(2), the hearing decision under review is **adopted**.

DECISION: Hearing Decisions 16-UI-53340 and 16-UI-53058 are affirmed.

Susan Rossiter and J. S. Cromwell; D. P. Hettle, not participating.

DATE of Service: March 1, 2016

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