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# State of Oregon Employment Appeals Board

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# EMPLOYMENT APPEALS BOARD DECISION 2018-EAB-1137

Application for Review Dismissed

Employment Department (the Department) served notice of an administrative decision assessing a \$20,937.00 overpayment, \$3,140.55 monetary penalty, and 52 penalty weeks. On June 6, 2011, the administrative decision became final without claimant having filed a timely request for hearing. On November 5, 2018, claimant filed a late request for hearing. On November 16, 2018, ALJ Kangas issued Order No. 18-UI-119850, dismissing claimant's late request for hearing subject to claimant's right to renew the request by responding to an appellant questionnaire by November 30, 2018. On December 3, 2018, claimant responded to the appellant questionnaire. On December 4, 2018, ALJ Kangas issued a letter stating that claimant's response to the appellant questionnaire was untimely and would not be considered. On December 6, 2018, Order No. 18-UI-119850 became final without claimant having filed a timely application for review with the Employment Appeals Board (EAB). On December 10, 2018, claimant filed a late application for review with EAB.

**CONCLUSIONS AND REASONS:** The application for review should be dismissed.

On December 10, 2018, the appellant filed a late application for review of Order No. 18-UI-119850 with the Employment Appeals Board (EAB). ORS 657.270(6) and ORS 657.270(7)(c) required the application for review to be filed no later than December 6, 2018. The deadline for filing a late application for review may be extended under certain circumstances. OAR 471-041-0070. In order to be considered for such an extension, however, an individual must include "a written statement describing the circumstances that prevented a timely filing." OAR 471-041-0070(3). The appellant provided no explanation as to why the application was filed after the filing deadline expired. Accordingly, the application for review is dismissed.

EAB did not consider claimant's written argument because she did not certify that she provided a copy of the argument to the employer as required under OAR 471-041-0080(2)(a). Even if we had, the outcome of this decision would remain the same because the hearing record under review fails to show that more likely than not claimant had good cause for the late request for hearing in this case. Claimant submitted new information to EAB for EAB's consideration, including an appellant questionnaire and

information about the administrative decision in this case and late request for hearing. EAB can only consider new information if the party offering it shows that factors or circumstances beyond her reasonable control prevented her from offering the information during the underlying proceedings. OAR 471-041-0090. As noted in Order No. 18-UI-119850 and the December 4, 2018 letter from ALJ Kangas, claimant had the opportunity to respond to the appellant questionnaire in this case within a designated time period and chose to withhold her address, thus delaying her receipt of the questionnaire and resulting in her late response to the questionnaire. We cannot say under those circumstances that claimant was prevented from offering the information into the hearing record before the ALJ for consideration by circumstances beyond her reasonable control, and, thus, cannot consider the new information claimant provided. Despite the unfortunate circumstances claimant explained in her letter to EAB, it appears that claimant has exhausted her rights to administrative review of the Department's May 17, 2011 decision.

For the foregoing reasons, Order No. 18-UI-119850 remains undisturbed. EAB will take no further action with regard to this matter.

**DECISION:** The application for review filed December 10, 2018 is dismissed. Order No. 18-UI-119850 remains undisturbed.

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

# **DATE of Service:** <u>December 13, 2018</u>

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### Simplified Chinese

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## **Spanish**

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#### Khmer

ចំណុចសំខាន់ – សេចក្តីសម្រេចនេះមានផលប៉ះពាល់ដល់អត្ថប្រយោជន៍គ្មានការងារធ្វើរបស់លោកអ្នក។ ប្រសិនបើលោកអ្នកមិន យល់អំពីសេចក្តីសម្រេចនេះ សូមទាក់ទងគណៈកម្មការឧទ្ធរណ៍ការងារភ្លាមៗ។ ប្រសិនបើលោកអ្នកមិនយល់ស្របចំពោះសេចក្តី សម្រេចនេះទេ លោកអ្នកអាចដាក់ពាក្យប្តឹងសុំឲ្យមានការពិនិត្យរឿងក្តីឡើងវិញជាមួយតុលារឧទ្ធរណ៍រដ្ឋ Oregon ដោយអនុវត្តតាម សេចក្តីណែនាំដែលសរសេរនៅខាងចុងបញ្ចប់នៃសេចក្តីសម្រេចនេះ។

#### Laotian

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#### Farsi

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