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### **Employment Appeals Board**

875 Union St. N.E. Salem, OR 97311

# EMPLOYMENT APPEALS BOARD DECISION 2020-EAB-0452

Late Application for Review Dismissed

**PROCEDURAL HISTORY:** On October 19, 2018, the Oregon Employment Department (the Department) served notice of an administrative decision concluding the employer discharged claimant for misconduct and disqualifying claimant from receiving unemployment insurance benefits effective June 24, 2018 (decision # 150109). Claimant filed a timely request for hearing. On October 31, 2018, the Office of Administrative Hearings (OAH) mailed notice of a hearing scheduled for November 14, 2018 at 1:30 p.m., at which claimant failed to appear. On November 14, 2018, ALJ S. Lee issued Order No. 18-UI-119701, dismissing claimant's request for hearing for failure to appear, leaving decision # 150109 undisturbed. On December 4, 2018, Order No. 18-UI-119701 became final without claimant having filed a request to reopen the November 14, 2018 hearing.

On December 10, 2018, claimant filed a late request to reopen the November 14, 2018 hearing. On December 20, 2018, OAH mailed notice of a hearing scheduled for January 7, 2019 at 8:15 a.m. to consider claimant's late request to reopen the November 14, 2018 hearing, and if granted, the merits of decision # 150109. On January 7, 2019, ALJ S. Lee issued Order No. 19-UI-122178, dismissing claimant's request for hearing for his failure to appear at the January 7, 2019 hearing, again leaving decision # 150109 undisturbed. On January 28, 2019, Order No. 19-UI-122178 became final without claimant having filed a request to reopen the January 7, 2019 hearing.

On January 29, 2019, claimant filed a late request to reopen the January 7, 2019 hearing. On February 12, 2019, OAH mailed notice of a hearing scheduled for February 26, 2019 at 4:30 p.m. to consider claimant's late request to reopen the January 7, 2019 hearing, and if granted, claimant's request to reopen the November 14, 2018 hearing, and if granted, the merits of decision # 150109. On February 26, 2019, ALJ Griffin conducted a hearing, and on February 28, 2019 issued Order No. 19-UI-125506, denying claimant's request to reopen the January 7, 2019 hearing, again leaving decision # 150109 undisturbed. On March 20, 2019, Order No. 19-UI-125506 became final without claimant having filed an application for review with the Employment Appeals Board (EAB). On June 9, 2020, claimant filed a late application for review with EAB.

**CONCLUSIONS AND REASONS:** Claimant's late application for review of Order No. 19-UI-125506 is dismissed.

An application for review is timely if it is filed within 20 days of the date that OAH mailed the decision for which review is sought. ORS 657.270(6); OAR 471-041-0070(1) (May 13, 2019). The 20-day filing period may be extended a "reasonable time" upon a showing of "good cause." ORS 657.875; OAR 471-041-0070(2). "Good cause" means that factors or circumstances beyond the applicant's reasonable control prevented timely filing. OAR 471-041-0070(2)(a). A "reasonable time" is seven days after the circumstances that prevented the timely filing ceased to exist. OAR 471-041-0070(2)(b). A late application for review will be dismissed unless it includes a written statement describing the circumstances that prevented a timely filing. OAR 471-041-0070(3).

The application for review of Order No. 19-UI-125506 was due by March 20, 2019. The appellant did not file their application for review until more than fourteen months later, on June 9, 2020. 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. Because claimant did not file their application for review within the time period allowed, and did not establish that they had good cause to file a late application for review, the application for review must be dismissed.

**DECISION:** The application for review filed June 9, 2020 is dismissed. Order No. 19-UI-125506 remains undisturbed.

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

DATE of Service: June 15, 2020

**NOTE:** You may appeal this decision by filing a Petition for Judicial Review with the Oregon Court of Appeals within 30 days of the date of service listed above. *See* ORS 657.282. For forms and information, you may write to the Oregon Court of Appeals, Records Section, 1163 State Street, Salem, Oregon 97310 or visit the Court of Appeals website at courts.oregon.gov. Once on the website, use the 'search' function to search for 'petition for judicial review employment appeals board'. A link to the forms and information will be among the search results.

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#### **Simplified Chinese**

注意 - 本判决会影响您的失业救济金。 如果您不明白本判决, 请立即联系就业上诉委员会。 如果您不同意此判决,您可以按照该判决结尾所写的说明,向俄勒冈州上诉法院提出司法复审申请。

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#### **Vietnamese**

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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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#### **Arabic**

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#### **Farsi**

توجه - این حکم بر مزایای بیکاری شما تاثیر می گذارد. اگر با این تصمیم موافق نیستید، بلافاصله با هیأت فرجام خواهی استخدام تماس بگیرید. اگر از این حکم رضایت ندارید، میتوانید با استفاده از دستور العمل موجود در پایان آن، از دادگاه تجدید نظر اورگان در خواست تجدید نظر کنید.

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