

EMPLOYMENT APPEALS BOARD DECISION
2024-EAB-0217

Affirmed
Late Requests for Hearing Dismissed

PROCEDURAL HISTORY: On May 2, 2023, the Oregon Employment Department (the Department) served notice of an administrative decision concluding that claimant failed to accept an offer of suitable work without good cause and was disqualified from receiving benefits effective April 19, 2020 (decision # 115011). On May 9, 2023, the Department served notice of an administrative decision based in part on decision # 115011, concluding that claimant willfully made a misrepresentation and failed to report a material fact to obtain benefits, assessing a \$38,680 overpayment in combined state and federal benefits that claimant was required to repay, a \$5,802 monetary penalty, and a 52-week penalty disqualification from future benefits. On May 22, 2023, decision # 115011 became final without claimant having filed a request for hearing. On May 30, 2023, the May 9, 2023, administrative decision became final without claimant having filed a request for hearing.

On June 14, 2023, claimant filed late requests for hearing on decisions # 115011 and the May 9, 2023, overpayment decision. ALJ Kangas considered claimant's requests. On November 17, 2023, ALJ Kangas issued Order No. 23-UI-241399, dismissing claimant's request for hearing on the May 9, 2023, overpayment decision as late, subject to claimant's right to renew the request by responding to an appellant questionnaire by December 1, 2023. On December 7, 2023, ALJ Kangas issued Order No. 23-UI-242923, dismissing claimant's request for hearing on decision # 115011 as late, subject to claimant's right to renew the request by responding to an appellant questionnaire by December 21, 2023.

On November 24, 2023, claimant filed a timely response to the appellant questionnaire for the May 9, 2023, overpayment decision, and on December 15, 2023, filed a timely response to the appellant questionnaire for decision # 115011. ALJ Scott considered claimant's responses, and on February 21, 2024, issued Orders No. 24-UI-248459 and 24-UI-248462, re-dismissing claimant's requests for hearing as late without a showing of good cause, leaving decisions # 115011 and the May 9, 2023, overpayment decision undisturbed.

On February 26, 2024, claimant filed applications for review of Orders No. 24-UI-248459 and 24-UI-248462 with the Employment Appeals Board (EAB). Pursuant to OAR 471-041-0095 (October 29, 2006), EAB consolidated its review of Orders No. 24-UI-248459 and 24-UI-248462. For case-tracking

purposes, this decision is being issued in duplicate (EAB Decisions 2024-EAB-0218 and 2024-EAB-0217).

WRITTEN ARGUMENT: EAB did not consider claimant’s written argument when reaching this decision because he did not include a statement declaring that he provided a copy of his argument to the opposing party or parties as required by OAR 471-041-0080(2)(a) (May 13, 2019).

EAB considered the entire consolidated hearing record. EAB agrees with Orders No. 24-UI-248459’s and 24-UI-248462’s findings of fact, reasoning, and conclusions that claimant’s requests for hearing on decision number # 115011 and the May 9, 2023, overpayment decision were late without good cause and are dismissed. Pursuant to ORS 657.275(2), Orders No. 24-UI-248459 and 24-UI-248462 are **adopted**.

DECISION: Orders No. 24-UI-248459 and 24-UI-248462 are affirmed.

S. Serres and A. Steger-Bentz;
D. Hettle, not participating.

DATE of Service: April 1, 2024

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English

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Simplified Chinese

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Traditional Chinese

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Tagalog

Paalala – Nakakaapekto ang desisyong ito sa iyong mga benepisyo sa pagkawala ng trabaho. Kung hindi mo naiintindihan ang desisyong ito, makipag-ugnayan kaagad sa Lupon ng mga Apela sa Trabaho (Employment Appeals Board). Kung hindi ka sumasang-ayon sa desisyong ito, maaari kang maghain ng isang Petisyon sa Pagsusuri ng Hukuman (Petition for Judicial Review) sa Hukuman sa Paghahabol (Court of Appeals) ng Oregon na sinusunod ang mga tagubilin na nakasulat sa dulo ng desisyon.

Vietnamese

Chú ý - Quyết định này ảnh hưởng đến trợ cấp thất nghiệp của quý vị. Nếu quý vị không hiểu quyết định này, hãy liên lạc với Ban Kháng Cáo Việc Làm ngay lập tức. Nếu quý vị không đồng ý với quyết định này, quý vị có thể nộp Đơn Xin Tái Xét Tư Pháp với Tòa Kháng Cáo Oregon theo các hướng dẫn được viết ra ở cuối quyết định này.

Spanish

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Russian

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Khmer

ចំណុចសំខាន់ – សេចក្តីសម្រេចនេះមានផលប៉ះពាល់ដល់អត្ថប្រយោជន៍គ្មានការងារធ្វើរបស់លោកអ្នក។ ប្រសិនបើលោកអ្នកមិនយល់អំពីសេចក្តីសម្រេចនេះ សូមទាក់ទងគណៈកម្មការឧទ្ធរណ៍ការងារភ្លាមៗ។ ប្រសិនបើលោកអ្នកមិនយល់ស្របចំពោះសេចក្តីសម្រេចនេះទេ លោកអ្នកអាចដាក់ពាក្យប្តឹងសុំឲ្យមានការពិនិត្យរឿងក្តីឡើងវិញជាមួយតុលាការឧទ្ធរណ៍រដ្ឋ Oregon ដោយអនុវត្តតាមសេចក្តីណែនាំដែលសរសេរនៅខាងចុងបញ្ចប់នៃសេចក្តីសម្រេចនេះ។

Laotian

ເອົາໃຈໃສ່ – ຄໍາຕັດສິນນີ້ມີຜົນກະທົບຕໍ່ກັບເງິນຊ່ວຍເຫຼືອການຫວ່າງງານຂອງທ່ານ. ຖ້າທ່ານບໍ່ເຂົ້າໃຈຄໍາຕັດສິນນີ້, ກະລຸນາຕິດຕໍ່ຫາຄະນະກຳມະການອຸທອນການຈ້າງງານໃນທັນທີ. ຖ້າທ່ານບໍ່ເຫັນດີນໍາຄໍາຕັດສິນນີ້, ທ່ານສາມາດຍື່ນຄໍາຮ້ອງຂໍການທົບທວນຄໍາຕັດສິນນໍາສານອຸທອນລັດ Oregon ໄດ້ໂດຍປະຕິບັດຕາມຄໍາແນະນໍາທີ່ບອກໄວ້ຢູ່ຕອນທ້າຍຂອງຄໍາຕັດສິນນີ້.

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 درخواست تجدید نظر کنید.

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