

EMPLOYMENT APPEALS BOARD DECISION
2025-EAB-0291

Application for Review Dismissed Without Prejudice

PROCEDURAL HISTORY AND FINDINGS OF FACT: On December 19, 2024, the Oregon Employment Department (the Department) served notice of an administrative decision concluding that claimant quit working for the employer without good cause and was disqualified from receiving benefits beginning December 1, 2024 (decision # L0007761815). Claimant filed a timely request for hearing. On February 13, 2025, ALJ Enyinnaya conducted a hearing, and on February 20, 2025 issued Order No. 25-UI-283606, concluding that the employer discharged claimant, but not for misconduct, and claimant was not disqualified from receiving benefits based on the discharge. On March 12, 2025, Order No. 25-UI-283606 became final without the employer having filed an application for review with the Employment Appeals Board (EAB). On May 14, 2025, the employer filed a late application for review with EAB.

EVIDENTIARY MATTER: EAB has considered additional evidence when reaching this decision under OAR 471-041-0090(1) (May 13, 2019). The additional evidence is the employer's written statement submitted with their application for review. The written statement is marked as EAB Exhibit 1, and a copy provided to the parties with this decision. Any party that objects to our admitting EAB Exhibit 1 must send the objection to EAB in writing, stating why they object, within ten days of our mailing this decision. OAR 471-041-0090(2). Unless such objection is received and sustained, the exhibit will remain in the record.

CONCLUSIONS AND REASONS: The application for review is dismissed without prejudice.

On May 14, 2025, the employer filed an application for review of Order No. 25-UI-283606 with EAB. ORS 657.270(6) and ORS 657.270(7)(b) required the application for review to be filed no later than March 12, 2025. The employer's application for review therefore is late, and this application for review is dismissed.

The deadline for filing an application for review may be extended a reasonable time if the applicant can show they have good cause to extend the deadline. *See* ORS 657.875; OAR 471-041-0070 (May 13, 2019). If the employer believes they have good cause and filed their late application for review within a reasonable time, the employer may ask EAB to reconsider this decision under OAR 471-041-0145 (May 13, 2019).

EAB will dismiss any request for reconsideration that does not include **all five** of the following:

1. The employer must file the request for reconsideration by June 23, 2025, *and*
2. The employer state in the request for reconsideration that they sent a copy of the request to the other party, *and*
3. The employer must provide additional specific details about the reason they filed a late application for review. For example, the employer should include specific information about the date they received the ALJ's Order No. 25-UI-283606, whether they read and disagreed with it, and how they were prevented from filing their application for review by March 12, 2025. The employer should include specific details that might help EAB determine whether or not the employer had "good cause," which means factors or circumstances beyond their reasonable control prevented them from filing a timely application for review, *and*
4. The employer must provide the date the circumstances that prevented them from filing a timely application for review ended (the circumstances they listed in response to #3, above), *and*
5. The employer must provide sufficient information to prove that they filed their application for review within **seven** days of the date the circumstances that prevented them from filing a timely application for review ended.

There are several ways to file a request for reconsideration:

1. Use your smart phone, tablet, or computer to fill out the "File a Written Argument" form, available on EAB's website: <https://www.oregon.gov/EMPLOY/EAB/Pages/default.aspx>, *or*
2. Use your smart phone, tablet, or computer to send an email to EAB at OED_EAB_OFFICE@employ.oregon.gov, *or*
3. Send the request by U.S. mail or another delivery service, addressed to 875 Union St NE, Salem, Oregon 97311, *or*
4. Send EAB a fax at 503-378-2129.

Please note that you need only file *one* request for reconsideration.

DECISION: The application for review filed May 14, 2025 is dismissed without prejudice. Order No. 25-UI-283606 remains undisturbed.

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

DATE of Service: June 3, 2025

Please help us improve our service by completing an online customer service survey. To complete the survey, please go to <https://www.surveymoz.com/s3/5552642/EAB-Customer-Service-Survey>. If you are unable to complete the survey online and wish to have a paper copy of the survey, please contact our office.

NOTE: To help meet the requirements of a request for reconsideration, please return the attached questionnaire to EAB by June 23, 2025.

LATE APPLICATION FOR REVIEW QUESTIONNAIRE

Please provide information about the ALJ's Order No. 25-UI-283606, mailed to you on February 20, 2025. An application for review of that order was due by March 12, 2025. You filed your application for review on May 14, 2025.

This questionnaire is asking for information **only** about the ALJ's Order No. 25-UI-283606. This questionnaire is **not** asking for information about the underlying administrative decision in this case, decision # L0007761815.

Important: Answers must be mailed, faxed, or emailed to EAB by June 23, 2025. Mail to: **Employment Appeals Board, 875 Union St NE, Salem, Oregon 97311**, Fax to: **503-378-2129**, or Email to: **OED_EAB_OFFICE@employ.oregon.gov**

1. On what date (mm/dd/yy) did you receive the ALJ's Order No. 25-UI-283606, which concluded that the employer discharged claimant, but not for misconduct, and that claimant was not disqualified from receiving benefits based on the discharge?

2. On what date (mm/dd/yy) did you file your application for review of the ALJ's Order No. 25-UI-283606 with EAB?

3. How did you file your application for review of the ALJ's Order No. 25-UI-283606?
☐ Email ☐ Mail ☐ Fax ☐ EAB's Website

☐ Other: _____

4. If you believe you filed your application for review before the March 12, 2025 deadline stated in the ALJ's Order No. 25-UI-283606, what evidence do you have to show that you filed your application for review before the deadline? You may attach copies of any documents that will help show this.

5. If you believe you had “good cause” for filing your application for review late, what were the circumstances that prevented you from filing your application for review by the March 12, 2025 deadline date?
6. When did those circumstances begin?
7. How did those circumstances prevent you from filing your application for review by March 12, 2025?
8. On what date (mm/dd/yy) did the circumstances preventing you from filing your application for review by March 12, 2025 end?
9. What prompted you to file your application for review on May 14, 2025, and not earlier?
10. If you tried to use Frances to file the application for review, or had any post-hearing communications with the Department or OAH impacting your ability to timely file an application for review not already provided in the answers to previous questions, please detail below. You may attach copies of any documents that will help show this.

Important: The request for reconsideration is subject to dismissal unless the party indicates below that they provided a copy of the request for reconsideration to the other parties.

☐ I provided a copy of my request for reconsideration to the other party or parties to this case.

I sent copies of my request for reconsideration to the other party or parties by:

☐ Email ☐ Mail ☐ Fax ☐ Personal Delivery

☐ Other: _____

I sent the copies of my request for reconsideration to the other party or parties on this date (specify date):

☐ I understand that my request for reconsideration is subject to dismissal unless it is filed by June 23, 2025.

I filed my request for reconsideration on: _____.

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Understanding Your Employment Appeals Board Decision

English

Attention – This decision affects your unemployment benefits. If you do not understand this decision, contact the Employment Appeals Board immediately. If you do not agree with this decision, you may file a Petition for Judicial Review with the Oregon Court of Appeals following the instructions written at the end of the decision.

Simplified Chinese

注意 – 本判決會影響您的失業救濟金。如果您不明白本判決，請立即聯繫就業上訴委員會。如果您不同意此判決，您可以按照該判決結尾所寫的說明，向俄勒岡州上訴法院提出司法複審申請。

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

Atención – Esta decisión afecta sus beneficios de desempleo. Si no entiende esta decisión, comuníquese inmediatamente con la Junta de Apelaciones de Empleo. Si no está de acuerdo con esta decisión, puede presentar una Aplicación de Revisión Judicial ante el Tribunal de Apelaciones de Oregon siguiendo las instrucciones escritas al final de la decisión.

Russian

Внимание – Данное решение влияет на ваше пособие по безработице. Если решение Вам непонятно – немедленно обратитесь в Апелляционный Комитет по Трудоустройству. Если Вы не согласны с принятым решением, вы можете подать Ходатайство о Пересмотре Судебного Решения в Апелляционный Суд штата Орегон, следуя инструкциям, описанным в конце решения.

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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