

EMPLOYMENT APPEALS BOARD DECISION
2026-EAB-0642

Late Application for Review Dismissed Without Prejudice

PROCEDURAL HISTORY AND FINDINGS OF FACT: On November 4, 2025, the Oregon Employment Department (the Department) served notice of an administrative decision concluding that claimant quit work without good cause, disqualifying claimant from receiving benefits effective September 21, 2025 (decision # L0012893781).¹ Claimant filed a timely request for hearing. On January 30, 2026, the Office of Administrative Hearings (OAH) served notice of a hearing scheduled for February 5, 2026. On February 5, 2026, claimant failed to appear at the hearing, and ALJ Murray issued Order No. 26-UI-319412, dismissing claimant's request for hearing based on claimant's failure to appear. On February 25, 2026, Order No. 26-UI-319412 became final without claimant having filed a request to reopen the February 5, 2026 hearing.

On May 27, 2026, claimant filed a late request to reopen the February 5, 2026 hearing. ALJ Scott considered claimant's request, and on June 8, 2026 issued Order No. 26-UI-332205, denying the request and leaving Order No. 26-UI-319412 undisturbed. On June 29, 2026, Order No. 26-UI-332205 became final without claimant having filed an application for review with the Employment Appeals Board (EAB). On July 8, 2026, claimant filed a late application for review of Order No. 26-UI-332205 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 claimant'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.

¹ Decision # L0013893781 stated that claimant was denied benefits from September 28, 2025 to September 5, 2026. However, because decision # L0013893781 stated that claimant quit on September 25, 2025, it should have stated that she was disqualified from receiving benefits beginning Sunday, September 21, 2025 and until they earned four times their weekly benefit amount. See ORS 657.176.

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

On July 8, 2026, claimant filed an application for review of Order No. 26-UI-332205 with EAB. ORS 657.270(6) and ORS 657.270(7)(b) required the application for review to be filed no later than June 29, 2026. Claimant's application for review is therefore 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 claimant believes they have good cause and filed their late application for review within a reasonable time, claimant 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. Claimant must file the request for reconsideration by September 2, 2026, *and*
2. Claimant must state in the request for reconsideration that they sent a copy of the request to the employer, *and*
3. Claimant must provide more specific details about the reason they filed a *late* application for review. For example, claimant should include specific information about the date they received the ALJ's Order No. 26-UI-332205, whether they read and disagreed with it, and how they were prevented from filing their application for review by June 29, 2026. Claimant should include specific details that might help EAB decide whether claimant had "good cause," which means factors or circumstances beyond their reasonable control prevented them from filing a timely application for review, *and*
4. Claimant 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. Claimant 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 appealsboard@employ.oregon.gov, *or*
3. Send the request by U.S. mail or another delivery service, addressed to Employment Appeals Board, 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 July 8, 2026 is dismissed without prejudice. Order No. 26-UI-332205 remains undisturbed.

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

DATE of Service: August 13, 2026

NOTE: To help meet the requirements of a request for reconsideration, please return the attached questionnaire to EAB by September 2, 2026.

LATE APPLICATION FOR REVIEW TO EAB - QUESTIONNAIRE

Please provide information about the ALJ's Order No. 26-UI-332205, mailed to you on June 8, 2026. An application for review of that order was due by June 29, 2026. Our records show you filed your application for review with EAB on July 8, 2026.

This questionnaire is asking for information **only** about the ALJ's Order No. 26-UI-332205. Claimant should provide details about the reason(s) they filed a late application for review to EAB, and **not the reason(s) that they may have filed a late request to reopen the February 5, 2026 hearing.**

Important: Answers must be mailed, faxed, or emailed to EAB by September 2, 2026. Mail to: **Employment Appeals Board, 875 Union St NE, Salem, Oregon 97311**, Fax to: **503-378-2129**, or Email to: **appealsboard@employ.oregon.gov**

1. On what date (mm/dd/yy) did you receive the ALJ's Order No. 26-UI-332205?

2. On what date (mm/dd/yy) did you file your application for review of the ALJ's Order No. 26-UI-332205 with EAB?

3. How did you file your application for review of the ALJ's Order No. 26-UI-332205?
☐ Email ☐ Mail ☐ Fax ☐ EAB's Website

☐ Other: _____

4. If you believe you filed your application for review before the June 29, 2026 deadline stated in the ALJ's Order No. 26-UI-332205, what information 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 June 29, 2026 deadline?
6. When did those circumstances begin?
7. How did those circumstances prevent you from filing your application for review by June 29, 2026?
8. On what date (mm/dd/yy) did the circumstances that prevented you from filing your application for review by June 29, 2026 end?
9. What prompted you to file your application for review on July 8, 2026, and not earlier?
10. To the extent your health condition prevented you from filing an application for review by the June 29, 2026 deadline, what aspects of your condition, if any, changed to enable you to file on July 8, 2026, and when did those changes or improvements to your health condition, if any, occur?

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

☐ I provided a copy of my request for reconsideration to the employer.

I sent copies of my request for reconsideration to the employer by:

☐ Email ☐ Mail ☐ Fax ☐ Personal Delivery

☐ Other: _____

I sent the copies of my request for reconsideration to the employer on this date (specify date):

☐ I understand that my request for reconsideration is subject to dismissal unless it is filed by September 2, 2026.

I filed my request for reconsideration on: _____.

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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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