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**BOARD OF REVIEW**

**MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF  
THE BOARD OF REVIEW  
JANUARY 26, 2022**

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**BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING JANUARY 26, 2022**

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A regular meeting of the Board of Review was held on Wednesday, January 26, 2022 at 10:00 a.m., via conference call, in Trenton, New Jersey

**PRESENT:** Nancy Hunt, Chairperson, William Scaglione, Vice-Chairperson, Andrea Jackson, Acting Executive Secretary,

In accordance with L1975, c.231, the Chairperson to the Board of Review opened the meeting with the following statement:

Notice of this meeting was filed with the Secretary of State and sent to the Trenton Times, Newark Star Ledger and Courier Post and posted in the Lobby of the Department of Labor, 1 John Fitch Plaza, Trenton, New Jersey.

All actions were by unanimous vote unless otherwise specified.

## BOARD OF REVIEW MINUTES – JANUARY 26, 2022 MEETING

### BOARD MINUTES:

Submitted for adoption are the minutes of the January 12, 2022 Board meeting.

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE JANUARY 12, 2022 BOARD MEETING.**

### OLD BUSINESS:

1. AHMAD ELDALY BOR DKT. 00240998

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for PUA and liable for a non-fraud refund. **(This case was tabled in the meeting of November 24, 2021 to send the claimant correspondence in order to determine when the claimant first filed the Appeal to the Board of Review.)**

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO DISMISS THE CLAIMANT’S APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW AS THE APPEAL WAS FILED LATE WITHOUT GOOD CAUSE.**

### SECTION A – HEARING MATTERS:

#### A-1 VACATED APPEALS TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. CHERYL RUSSO BOR DKT. 00247658

Claimant appealed Deputy’s failure to pay benefits.

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS A VACATED APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW.**

#### A-2 DISMISSALS OF LATE APPEALS OR NON-JUSTICIABLE ISSUES TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. JULIO RUIZ BOR DKT. 00240668

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work,

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an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a refund.

2. SAID AMASMOUD BOR DKT. 00244862

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

3. TIFFANY DABNEY BOR DKT. 00240290

Employer filed a timely appeal to a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an eligibility for benefits under employed full time.

4. DANIEL PARYLAK BOR DKT. 00242734

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Disability During Unemployment/State Plan Disability benefits for failing to file a timely claim.

5. MARSHA FIGUEROA BELTRAN BOR DKT. 00227903

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

6. BLADIMIR DUME BOR DKT. 00247598

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS DISMISSALS OF LATE APPEALS OR NON-JUSTICIABLE ISSUES TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW.**

### A-3 DENIAL OF REOPENING REQUESTS TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1. NIKOLAS SHARKEY BOR DKT. 00244852

Claimant is requesting reconsideration of the Board of Review's decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision, which held the claimant disqualified for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, and liable to a non-fraud refund.

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2. MONA AZIM BOR DKT. 00233943

Claimant is requesting reconsideration of the Board of Review's decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision which held the exhaustion of all benefit entitlement.

3. BHARRAT PERSAUD BOR DKT. 00244008

Claimant is requesting reconsideration of the Board of Review's decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision dismissing the claimant's appeal as late without good cause.

4. DEBORAH LONG BOR DKT. 00242372

Claimant is requesting reconsideration of the Board of Review's decision, affirming the Appeal Tribunal's decision which held the claimant disqualified for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified in the C.A.R.E.S. Act and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS DENIAL OF REOPENING REQUESTS TO THE BOARD OF REVIEW.**

### A-4 AFFIRMATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS

1. JORGE SOTOLONGO BOR DKT. 00223657

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

2. CARLOS CARTAGENA BOR DKT. 00243826

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, holding the claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified in the C.A.R.E.S. Act and liability for a non-fraud refund.

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**3. CARLOS CARTAGENA** **BOR DKT. 00243824**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, holding the claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified in the C.A.R.E.S. Act and liability for a non-fraud refund.

**4. CHRISTIAN ALAIMO** **BOR DKT. 00230429**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and a liability to a refund.

**5. DYLAN BOUTOTE** **BOR DKT. 00244977**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

**6. EMILY BUDROW** **BOR DKT. 00244998**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

**7. PAMELA ROCHA** **BOR DKT. 00244972**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the C.A.R.E.S. Act, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

**8. HATICE KONAK** **BOR DKT. 00244855**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefit for leaving work voluntarily and ineligible for benefits under availability for work.

**9. BELINDA BUBE** **BOR DKT. 00243775**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Assistance (PEUC) benefits and a liability to a refund.

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### 10. STEPHEN MARQUIS

BOR DKT. 00239383

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

### 11. XAVIER GREENE

BOR DKT. 00243514

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for benefits under availability for work, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability for a refund.

### 12. JESSICA HUTCHINS

BOR DKT. 00241226

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

### 13. ROBERT HANEY

BOR DKT. 00244082

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons, and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

### 14. SARA BAJWA

BOR DKT. 00225084

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, an ineligibility under availability for work, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

### 15. FREDDY RODRIGUEZ

BOR DKT. 00234028

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility of benefits under reasonable assurance.

### 16. MASUD ALAM

BOR DKT. 00247538

Claimant appealed the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the unemployment claim invalid on the ground that the claimant has a valid claim in another state.

### 17. JOSEPHINE MARIN

BOR DKT. 00250747

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of

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the COVID-19 related reasons under the C.A.R.E.S. Act, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

**18. RICHARD PAVAN** BOR DKT. 00235404

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for an agency refund as the claimant was employed with earnings.

**19. DEMI FEENEY** BOR DKT. 00231231

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

**20. PEDRO HERNANDEZ** BOR DKT. 00245700

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, an ineligibility of benefits for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the C.A.R.E.S. Act, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

**21. BUNGGIL KWON** BOR DKT. 00239279

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as he was not unemployed due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the C.A.R.E.S. Act, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

**22. MORGAN FARREN** BOR DKT. 00244840

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to such work, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a refund.

**23. LYNDSEY HANSEN** BOR DKT. 00248189

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the unemployment claim invalid.

**24. NATALIE BONAMASSA** BOR DKT. 00240391

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and a liability to a non-fraud refund.



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**25. RAYMOND PARDEE**

BOR DKT. 00244107

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

**26. KEVIN JIMENEZ**

BOR DKT. 00244671

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons and a liability for an agency refund.

**27. WILLIAM BRADFORD**

BOR DKT. 00247584

Employer appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, eligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits, and not liable for a non-fraud refund.

**28. ALISON STERLING**

BOR DKT. 00200377

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant disqualified for benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work.

**29. DAWN DANIELS**

BOR DKT. 00265974

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the unemployment claim invalid.

**30. LISA FLATLEY**

BOR DKT. 00247490

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Extended Benefits as the original claim was dated prior to May 12, 2019.

**31. DANIELLE PETROSKY**

BOR DKT. 00230842

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant not unemployed and liable for an agency and non-fraud refund.

**32. DAMON TOBACCO**

BOR DKT. 00244764

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a refund.

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**33. DYLAN TOBACCO**

BOR DKT. 00244772

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a refund.

**34. MICHAEL SARKIS**

BOR DKT. 00206498

Employer appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification of benefits for discharge for misconduct connected with the work.

**35. JONATHAN HOLLANDER**

BOR DKT. 00241499

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for misconduct connected with the work.

**36. MANUEL JAQUEZ**

BOR DKT. 00250715

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding claimant ineligible for Extended Benefits (EB) as the claimant did not earn equal to at least four times the weekly benefit rate subsequent to the effective date of disqualification for misconduct.

**37. BRITTANY OLIVER**

BOR DKT. 00245620

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a refund liability.

**38. DORIAN PITTMAN**

BOR DKT. 00230217

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits under leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits.

**39. PIETRO BAGNATO**

BOR DKT. 00222590

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an invalid claim and a liability to a refund.

**40. MELISA MIRAKIAN**

BOR DKT. 00236019

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding her claim valid.

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**41. KRYSTINA PAGAN**

BOR DKT. 00244060

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to such work and an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits.

**42. JEFFREY CRISTELL**

BOR DKT. 00250855

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for unemployment benefits under availability for work.

**43. SHANEY THOMAS**

BOR DKT. 00250592

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding her ineligible under availability for work and Pandemic Unemployment Assistance benefits as her unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the C.A.R.E.S. Act, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

**44. INTKHAB ALAM**

BOR DKT. 00238318

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

**45. RANDALL MASCO**

BOR DKT. 00248685

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

**46. FRANCIS VAZQUEZ**

BOR DKT. 00246111

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and a liability to an agency refund.

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS AFFIRMATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS.**

**A-5 AFFIRMED AND MODIFIED DECISIONS OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL**

**1. CHARLES CUSUMANO**

BOR DKT. 00245425

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible as he was employed with earnings and liable for a non-fraud refund.

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**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS AN AFFIRMED AND MODIFIED DECISION OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL.**

### **A-6 REVERSALS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW**

**1. TARALYNN OLIVERI** **BOR DKT. 00243530**

Claimant appealed the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the unemployment claim dated June 7, 2020, invalid as the claimant received remuneration in lieu of notice, a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

**2. TAMEKA CARPENTER** **BOR DKT. 00245991**

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification of benefits for misconduct connected with the work.

**3. JESLIE RAMIREZ** **BOR DKT. 00247709**

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

**4. JOANNE SPEIGELMAN** **BOR DKT. 00246327**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) as the claimant established eligibility in another state.

**5. HEATHER ROLFF** **BOR DKT. 00241826**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Extended Benefits and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

**6. DOMINGA VASQUEZ** **BOR DKT. 00221953**

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to such work, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

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7. MARIE BORRELLI

BOR DKT. 00245555

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for benefits under employed full-time.

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS REVERSAL OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW.**

### A-7 MODIFICATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS

1. MICHAEL FRISONE

BOR DKT. 00244239

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification of benefits for misconduct connected with the work.

2. USHAS BABAR

BOR DKT. 00246294

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, an ineligibility for regular unemployment benefits under availability for work, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the CARES Act, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

3. KATHLEEN ESTREMA

BOR DKT. 00246359

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under ability to work and liability for non-fraud refund.

4. ELIDA HENRIQUEZ DE GOMEZ

BOR DKT. 00246612

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant not unemployed and liable for a non-fraud refund.

5. LOUIS VITO III

BOR DKT. 00246795

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

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**6. DANIEL PARYLAK**

BOR DKT. 00242736

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Disability During Unemployment/State Plan Disability benefits for failing to file a timely claim.

**7. RICHARD TORRES**

BOR DKT. 00243060

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant not unemployed, holding the claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified in the C.A.R.E.S. Act and liability for non-fraud refund.

**8. BARTOLOME MARTI**

BOR DKT. 00237037

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

**9. GULSHAN AWAN**

BOR DKT. 00243144

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified in the CARES Act and liability for non-fraud refund.

**10. SABRINA BESADIGH**

BOR DKT. 00244117

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons under the CARES Act, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

**11. BRENT HASKILL**

BOR DKT. 00237736

Claimant appealed the Appeal Tribunal decision holding the unemployment claim invalid and liable for non-fraud refund.

**12. CHRISTI CERVANTES WILLIAMSON**

BOR DKT. 00252582

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for Extended Benefits (EB), ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant established a valid claim in another state, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

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### 13. JAZMYN TINSLEY

BOR DKT. 00248082

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the C.A.R.E.S. Act, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS MODIFICATIONS OF APPEAL TRIBUNAL DECISIONS.**

### A-8 AFFIRMED AND REMANDED DECISIONS OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL

#### 1. MARIA DOMINGUEZ

BOR DKT. 00247575

Claimant appealed a decision holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefit as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the C.A.R.E.S. Act, and a liability for a non-fraud refund.

#### 2. MICHAEL FARRELL

BOR DKT. 00223423

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund.

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS AFFIRMED AND REMANDED DECISIONS OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL.**

### A-9 REMANDS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL OR DEPUTY

#### 1. ABDULLAH BABAR

BOR DKT. 00243989

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, holding the claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified in the C.A.R.E.S. Act and liability for a non-fraud refund.

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**2. FIORDALIZA MEDINA PERALTA**

BOR DKT. 00246769

Employer appealed a decision of the Appeal holding no disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits on the ground that the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the C.A.R.E.S. Act, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

**3. GHADEER AFIFI**

BOR DKT. 00247282

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

**4. JESSICA QUANSAH**

BOR DKT. 00247560

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified in the C.A.R.E.S. Act and liability for non-fraud refund.

**5. JULIAN BOYKINS**

BOR DKT. 00246852

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons and liable for a non-fraud refund.

**6. BROOKE O'ROURKE**

BOR DKT. 00250306

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, and liable for a non-fraud refund.

**7. BETTY CHAMAIDAN**

BOR DKT. 00241582

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, holding the claimant not unemployed and a liability to a non-fraud refund.

**8. JAMES MARCONI**

BOR DKT. 00249609

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for PEUC benefits and liable for a non-fraud refund.



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9. GLORIA EISNER BOR DKT. 00241595

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to such work, an ineligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits and a liability to a refund.

10. JOHN BLALOCK BOR DKT. 00247600

Employer appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding no disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work and no liability for non-fraud refund.

11. MARIA RAMOS RODRIGUEZ BOR DKT. 00245477

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing the appeal as late without good cause.

12. ENZO MAGGIORE BOR DKT. 00248558

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work and liable for a non-fraud refund.

13. EGLE SADAUSKAITE BOR DKT. 00244680

Claimant appealed the decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding a disqualification of benefits for leaving work voluntarily without good cause attributable to the work, a denial of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons, and a liability to an agency refund.

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASES AS REMANDS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL OR DEPUTY.**

### A-10 REVERSED AND REMANDED DECISIONS TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL

1. JENNIFER SEGAL BOR DKT. 00247282

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal dismissing appeal as late without good cause.

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO ACCEPT THE ABOVE CASE AS A REVERSED AND REMANDED DECISION TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL.**

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### SECTION B – MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS/CASES FOR DISCUSSION

**B-1** LORRAINE VAUGHAN BOR DKT. 00239633

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant liable for a non-fraud refund. (**Appellate Specialist Zola**)

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO REMAND THIS CASE TO THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL, FOR TESTIMONY FROM THE DEPUTY WHO DID NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE INITIAL HEARING, IN ORDER TO ASCERTAIN THE REASON FOR THE NON-FRAUD REFUND.**

**B-2** EDWARD FEENEY BOR DKT. 00246727

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits from 04/19/20 as the claimant had sufficient employment to establish a valid claim in another state, and liable for a non-fraud refund. (**Appellate Specialist Zola**)

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO AFFIRM THE DECISION OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL HOLDING THE CLAIMANT INELIGIBLE FOR PANDEMIC UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE (PUA) BENEFITS ON THE CLAIM DATED APRIL 19, 2020, AND REMAND THE MATTER OF THE WAGE JURISDICTION TO THE DEPUTY TO MAKE AN INITIAL DETERMINATION WITH RESPECT TO REGULAR UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS.**

**B-3** GITI LEBOVITS BOR DKT. 00246955

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits as the claimant's unemployment was not due to one of the COVID-19 related reasons identified under the C.A.R.E.S. Act, and liable for a non-fraud refund. (**Appellate Specialist Zola**)

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO TABLE THIS CASE FOR FURTHER REVIEW OF THE RECORD TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER THE CLAIMANT ACCEPTED AN OFFER OF EMPLOYMENT THAT WAS RESCINDED DUE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC.**

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**B-4** MICHELLE NOLAN

BOR DKT. 00229932

Claimant appealed a decision of the Appeal Tribunal holding the claimant ineligible for benefits under availability for work, ineligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) benefits, and liable for a non-fraud refund. (**Appellate Specialist Zola**)

**ACTION: BOARD VOTED TO MODIFY THE DECISION OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL AND HOLD THE CLAIMANT ELIGIBLE FOR PANDEMIC UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE (PUA) BENEFITS FROM MAY 10, 2020 THROUGH THE END OF THE EXTENDED TAX SEASON IN JULY 2020, AND REMAND TO THE DEPUTY, THE MATTER OF WHETHER THE CLAIMANT’S UNEMPLOYMENT FOR LATER PERIODS IS DUE TO A QUALIFYING REASON UNDER THE C.A.R.E.S. ACT.**