IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO

JONATHAN KINER, :

Appellant : CASE NO. 12CVF-14265

vs. : JUDGE BEATTY

:

OHIO STATE UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION REVIEW COMMISSION,

:

Appellee.

DECISION AND JUDGMENT ENTRY GRANTING MOTION TO DISMISS APPEAL AND DENYING MOTION TO REVISE APPEAL AND NOTICE OF FINAL APPEALABLE ORDER

BEATTY, JUDGE

This matter is before the Court on a Motion to Dismiss filed on January 16, 2013 and a Motion to Revise Appeal filed January 18, 2013.

The Motion to Dismiss asserts that this case must be dismissed because Appellant failed to name the Director, Ohio Department of Job and Family Services ("ODJFS"), as an appellee in the notice of appeal.

R.C. 4141.282(D) provides that "[t]he director of job and family services is always an interested party and shall be named as an appellee in the notice of appeal." In *Sydenstricker v. Donato's Pizzeria*, 2010-Ohio-2953, ¶22, the Court of Appeals held that the trial court lacked jurisdiction because the appellant in that case failed to name ODJFS as an appellee in the notice of appeal.

Appellant's Motion to Revise Appeal will be considered as a motion to amend the notice of appeal to add the Director of ODJFS as a party. A notice of appeal can be

amended only within the time allowed for filing of the notice of appeal. *Village of Hills* & *Dales v. Ohio Department of Educ.*, 10th Dist. No. 06AP-1249, 2007-Ohio-5156, ¶21-22. Here, Appellant's request to amend the notice of appeal was not made within the thirty day period for commencing an appeal from a final decision of the Review Commission. Accordingly, Appellant's Motion to Revise the Appeal is denied.

For the foregoing reasons, this case is DISMISSED. This is a final, appealable Order. Costs to Appellant.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Franklin County Court of Common Pleas

Date: 01-30-2013

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It Is So Ordered.

/s/ Judge Laurel A. Beatty

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Court Disposition

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UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION REV

Case Terminated: 18 - Other Terminations

Final Appealable Order: Yes

Motion Tie Off Information:

Motion CMS Document Id: 12CV0142652013-01-1899970000
 Document Title: 01-18-2013-MOTION TO FILE AMENDED

COMPLAINT

Disposition: MOTION DENIED

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Disposition: MOTION IS MOOT

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Document Title: 01-16-2013-MOTION TO DISMISS

Disposition: MOTION GRANTED