## 04 NCAC 24C .0102 TIMELINESS EXCEPTION

Timeliness sanctions shall be waived by the Appeals Referee when DES or an agent state representative gives misleading information on appeal rights to a party, if the party:

- (1) establishes what he or she was told was misleading and how he or she was misled, pursuant to the procedures in 04 NCAC 24C .0101;
- (2) identifies, if possible, the individual who misled him or her; and
- establishes that DES did not provide the party with any written instructions contrary to the misleading information with service of the decision being appealed.

History Note: Authority G.S. 96-4; 96-15;

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