.12 Hearing Decision Implementation – Reversed Decision

When a hearing decision reverses FAA's original determination, the following apply:

- No action is necessary when the benefits were continued.
- Complete the following when benefits were denied:

Assign a <u>pre-defined change</u> using the OT <u>ACTS Change</u> Type Code.

Reopen the case on REPT.

Process the eligibility determination and authorize benefits.

Send the appropriate approval notice.

Notify the district fair hearing specialist via e-mail when the action is completed.

Complete the following when benefits were NOT continued:

- Assign a pre-defined change using the OT ACTS Change Type Code.
- Reopen the case on REPT and complete the eligibility determination when benefits were stopped.
- Increase the benefits based on the hearing decision.

NOTE Increase the benefits even when the local office plans to submit a <u>Petition to Review</u> with the <u>Appeals</u> Board.

- Determine and authorize all appropriate supplemental and restored benefits.
- Send all appropriate notices to inform the PI of the decision and its effect on eligibility and benefit levels.
- Notify the district fair hearing specialist via e-mail when the action is completed.