

## .05 Hearing Decision Implementation – Affirmed Decision

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When a hearing decision affirms FAA's original action, the following apply:

- Document the case file with the results of the decision.
- No case action is necessary when benefits were not continued.
- Take the following actions when benefits were continued:

Reduce or stop the benefits based on the original determination.

Send an [NOAA](#) to the PI, informing them that benefits are being stopped or reduced based on the hearing decision. Complete a Potential Overpayment (OP) Referral (FAA-0526A) form for any months that resulted in incorrect benefits during the period that benefits were continued.

### **EXCEPTION**

No overpayment is established when the issue involves either a PRA or NA work requirement noncompliance. Upon receipt of the hearing decision, impose the appropriate sanction or disqualification, allowing for NOAA. (See the appropriate method - [Graduated Sanctions](#) or [NA Work Requirements Disqualification](#) for additional policy and procedures)