New Unemployment Insurance Benefit Job Contact Rules Take Effect

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RALEIGH, (SGRToday.com) - North Carolinians who file for unemployment insurance benefits from the state must make at least five contacts with potential employers, a new rule that took effect in January.

Senate Bill 15 changes the rules. It was passed last September and impacts people who file for benefits after January 3.

" Failure to make five contacts in a week may result in a delay or denial of benefits for that week, " according to a Commerce Department news release.

More information on the new rules can be found at desncc.com.