NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO FILE REHEARING MOTION AND, IF FILED, DISPOSED OF. IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL OF FLORIDA THIRD DISTRICT JULY TERM, A.D. 2001 BARRY WILLIAMS, \* \* Appellant, \* \* CASE NO. 3D01-529 \* \* vs. \* \* FLORIDA UNEMPLOYMENT APPEALS COMMISSION and TETON INDUSTRIAL GROUP, \* \* LOWER TRIBUNAL INC., CASE NO. UAC 01-428 \* \* Appellees. \* \*

Opinion filed September 19, 2001.

An appeal from the Florida Unemployment Appeals Commission.

Barry Williams, in proper person.

John D. Maher (Tallahassee), for appellee Florida Unemployment Appeals Commission.

Before SCHWARTZ, C.J., and FLETCHER, and SHEVIN, JJ.

PER CURIAM.

Barry Williams has appealed the denial of his claim for unemployment compensation benefits. We must affirm the decision of the Florida Unemployment Appeals Commission as Williams' administrative appeal to the Commission was untimely filed. <u>See Linderman v. K.B. Beach Suites Ltd. PTR</u>, 751 So. 2d 1262 (Fla. 3d DCA 2000). Affirmed.