referee or special examiner. The Board may remove to itself or transfer to another referee the proceedings on any pending claim. Any proceeding so removed or appealed to the Board shall be heard by a quorum thereof. The Board shall promptly notify the parties to any proceeding before it of its decision, including its findings and conclusions in support thereof, and such decision shall be final within ten days after the mailing of notice thereof to the party's last known address or, in the absence of such mailing, within ten days after the delivery of such notice, and judicial review thereof shall be permitted the claimant or any interested party claiming to be aggrieved thereby as provided in sub-section (h) of this Section: Provided, however, that upon denial by the Board of an application for appeal from the decision of a referee or determination of a special examiner, such decision or determination shall be deemed to be the decision of the Board within the meaning of this paragraph for the purposes of judicial review and shall be subject to judicial review within the time and in the manner provided for with respect to decisions of the Board, except that the time for initiating such review shall run from the date of notice of the order of the Board denying the application for appeal.

CONTRIBUTIONS

7. (c) (5) If an employer subject to this Article shall transfer his entire business, by sale or otherwise, to another employing unit, the Board shall combine the experience-rating records of the two employing units, and shall for purposes of rate determination transfer to the successor employer the pay-roll record and the benefit charges of the predecessor.

The successor employer shall be liable for the contributions for such business from the date the transfer occurred.

If the successor is an employer at the time of the transfer, and has been assigned a contribution rate pursuant to the provisions of this sub-section, he shall continue to pay contributions at such previously assigned rate from the date the transfer occurred through the next June 30.

If the successor is not an employer at the time of the transfer, and acquires the business of one employer or the businesses of two or more employers with the same rate he shall pay contributions at the rate assigned to the predecessor employer or employers from the date the transfer occurred through the next June 30.

If the successor is not an employer at the time of the transfer, and simultaneously acquires the businesses of two or more employers with different rates of contribution,