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**STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS  
DIVISION OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION  
BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR**

**In Re: PROVIDER SUSPENSION**

**ERIC JAY SCHAMES,**

**Respondent.**

**ORDER OF SUSPENSION**

WHEREAS, Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(A) requires the Administrative Director to suspend any physician, practitioner, or provider from participating in the workers' compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider if the individual has been convicted of any felony or misdemeanor described in Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(A); and

WHEREAS, on or about February 9, 2021, Respondent Eric Jay Schames (Eric Schames) pled guilty to or was found guilty of one or more felonies or misdemeanors described in Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(A) in the Superior Court of California, County of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, on or about June 11, 2024, the Administrative Director mailed to Eric Schames a written notice of the right to a hearing regarding the suspension and the procedure to follow to request a hearing, as provided in Labor Code section 139.21(b)(2) and California Code of Regulations, title 8, section 9788.1; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Labor Code section 139.21(b)(2) and California Code of Regulations, title 8, section 9788.1(d), the written notice advised Eric Schames that the suspension would start thirty (30) calendar days after the date of mailing of written notice, unless Eric Schames submitted a written request for a hearing within ten (10) calendar days of the date of mailing of the notice; and

1           WHEREAS, Eric Schames did not submit a written request for hearing within ten  
2 (10) calendar days of the date of mailing of the notice; and

3           WHEREAS, the Administrative Director is required to suspend any physician,  
4 practitioner, or provider pursuant to Labor Code section 139.21 and California Code of  
5 Regulations, title 8, section 9788.2, after thirty (30) days from the date the notice was  
6 mailed, unless the physician, practitioner, or provider submits a written request for a  
7 hearing within ten (10) calendar days of the date of mail of the notice;

8           **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Respondent Eric Schames is hereby suspended  
9 from participating in the workers' compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or  
10 provider.

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13 Date: October 1, 2024

/S/ George P. Parisotto  
George P. Parisotto  
Administrative Director  
Division of Workers' Compensation