1 **STATE OF CALIFORNIA** DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS 2 **DIVISION OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION** BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR 3 4 5 In Re: PROVIDER SUSPENSION 6 HAMID RABIEE, **ORDER OF SUSPENSION** 7 8 **Respondent.** 9 10 11 WHEREAS, Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(A) requires the Administrative Director 12 to suspend any physician, practitioner, or provider from participating in the workers' 13 compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider if the individual has been 14 convicted of any felony or misdemeanor described in Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(A); 15 and 16 WHEREAS, on or about June 7, 2022, Respondent Hamid Rabiee pled guilty to or 17 was found guilty of one or more felonies or misdemeanors described in Labor Code section 18 139.21(a)(1)(A) in the Superior Court of California, County of Shasta; and 19 WHEREAS, Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(B) requires the Administrative Director 20 to suspend any physician, practitioner, or provider from participating in the workers' 21 compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider who has been suspended. 22 due to fraud or abuse, from the federal Medicare or Medicaid programs; and 23 WHEREAS, Hamid Rabiee was suspended, due to fraud or abuse, from the federal 24 Medicare or Medicaid programs; and 25 WHEREAS, Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(C) requires the Administrative Director 26 to suspend any physician, practitioner, or provider from participating in the workers' 27 compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider whose license, certification,

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or approval to provide health care services has been surrendered or revoked; and

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WHEREAS, on or about October 14, 2022, Hamid Rabiee' license, certification, or approval to provide health care services was surrendered or revoked by the Medical Board, Department of Consumer Affairs; and

WHEREAS, on or about January 11, 2024, the Administrative Director mailed to Hamid Rabiee 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 Hamid Rabiee that the suspension would start thirty (30) calendar days after the date of mailing of written notice, unless Hamid Rabiee submitted a written request for a hearing within ten (10) calendar days of the date of mailing of the notice; and

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

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

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Respondent Hamid Rabiee is hereby suspended from participating in the workers' compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider.

Date: March 19, 2024

<u>/S/ George Parisotto</u> George Parisotto Administrative Director Division of Workers' Compensation