

1 STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
2 DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS  
3 DIVISION OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION  
4 BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR

5 In Re: PROVIDER SUSPENSION

ORDER OF SUSPENSION

6 SRI JAYANTHA WIJEGUNARATNE,

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

14 WHEREAS, on or about April 24, 2013, Sri Jayantha Wijegunaratne pled guilty to or was found  
15 guilty of one or more felonies or misdemeanors described in Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(A) in the  
16 United States District Court, Central District of California; and

17 WHEREAS, Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(C) requires the Administrative Director to  
18 suspend any physician, practitioner, or provider from participating in the workers' compensation system  
19 as a physician, practitioner, or provider whose license, certification or approval to provide health care  
20 services has been surrendered or revoked; and

21 WHEREAS, on or about January 14, 2016, Sri Jayantha Wijegunaratne's license, certification or  
22 approval to provide health care services was surrendered or revoked by the Medical Board of California,  
23 Department of Consumer Affairs; and

24 WHEREAS, on or about October 13, 2017, the Administrative Director mailed to Sri Jayantha  
25 Wijegunaratne a written notice of the right to a hearing regarding the suspension and the procedure to  
26 follow to request a hearing, as provided in Labor Code section 139.21(b)(2) and California Code of  
27 Regulations, title 8, section 9788.1; and

28 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 Sri Jayantha Wijegunaratne that the suspension

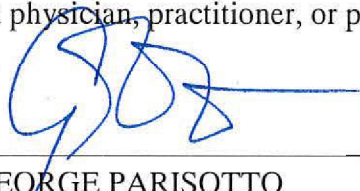
1 would start thirty (30) calendar days after the date of mailing of written notice, unless Sri Jayantha  
2 Wijegunaratne submitted a written request for a hearing within ten (10) calendar days of the date of  
3 mailing of the notice; and

4 WHEREAS, Sri Jayantha Wijegunaratne did not submit a written request for hearing within ten  
5 (10) calendar days of the date of mailing of the notice; and

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

11 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Sri Jayantha Wijegunaratne is hereby suspended from  
12 participating in the workers' compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider.

13 Date: November 13, 2017

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17 Administrative Director  
18 Division of Workers' Compensation  
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