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

Respondent.

In Re: PROVIDER SUSPENSION

DORIS NWASOR ADOH,

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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 August 21, 2019, Respondent Doris Nwasor Adoh (Doris Adoh) 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 Los Angeles; and

WHEREAS, Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(B) requires the Administrative Director to suspend any physician, practitioner, or provider from participating in the workers' compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider who has been suspended, due to fraud or abuse, from the federal Medicare or Medicaid programs; and

WHEREAS, Doris Adoh was suspended, due to fraud or abuse, from the federal Medicare or Medicaid programs; and

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

WHEREAS, on or about October 21, 2019, Doris Adoh's license, certification, or approval to provide health care services was surrendered or revoked by the California Vocational Nursing and Psychiatric Technicians Board, Department of Consumer Affairs; and

WHEREAS, on or about February 15, 2023, the Administrative Director mailed to Doris Adoh 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 Doris Adoh that the suspension would start thirty (30) calendar days after the date of mailing of written notice, unless Doris Adoh submitted a written request for a hearing within ten (10) calendar days of the date of mailing of the notice; and

WHEREAS, Doris Adoh 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 mailing of the notice;

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

Date: May 10, 2023

/S/ George Parisotto

GEORGE PARISOTTO
Administrative Director
Division of Workers' Compensation