

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

ORDER OF SUSPENSION

In Re: PROVIDER SUSPENSION

OBIAGELI AGBU,

Respondent.

WHEREAS, Labor Code section 139.21(a)(l)(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)(l)(A); and

WHEREAS, on or about July 13, 2013, Obiageli Agbu pled guilty to or was found guilty of one or more felonies or misdemeanors described in Labor Code section 139.21(a)(l)(A) in United States District Court, Central District of California; and

WHEREAS, on or about April 13, 2018, the Administrative Director mailed to Obiageli Agbu 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 Obiageli Agbu that the suspension would start thirty (30) calendar days after the date of mailing of written notice, unless Obiageli Agbu submitted a written request for a hearing within ten (10) calendar days of the date of mailing of the notice; and

WHEREAS, Obiageli Agbu 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 Title 8, California Code of Regulations section 9788.2, after thirty (30) days from the date of 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;

1	IT IS HEREBY ORDERED Obiageli Agbu is hereby suspended from participating in the	
2	workers' compensation system as a physi	cian, practitioner, or provider.
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	Dated: May <u>25</u> , 2018	\mathcal{L}
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