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February 27, 2017

BY CERTIFIED MAIL–RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Hearing Request c/o George Parisotto

Acting Administrative Director Division of Workers' Compensation 1515 Clay Street, Suite 1800 Oakland, CA 94612 Hearing Request Legal Unit, Division of Workers' Compensation 1515 Clay Street, Suite 1800 Oakland, CA 94612

Dear Mr. Parisotto:

This letter shall serve as a written request for a hearing on the suspension of my workers' compensation provider privileges. The notice advising me of the suspension was dated February 22, 2017, and this letter is being sent within ten days of that date. Proof of service is attached.

My current mailing address is set forth above.

The proposed suspension is not valid because:

(1) My conviction some 11 years ago was not for fraud or abuse of the Medicare or Medi-Cal systems.

(2) My suspension from the Medicare and Medi-Cal systems was not due to fraud or abuse.

(3) The action of the Division would amount to a retroactive penalty based on events more than ten years ago, at which time I was not fully advised of the consequences of my plea. The retroactive application of the suspension provision violates my rights under the Due Process clause of the Fifth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, and under Article 1, Section a, of the California Constitution.

Respectfully submitted, nette

Thomas M. Heric, M.D., Ph.D.

PROOF OF SERVICE BY MAIL

Paris Tasker-Heric declares:

I am a resident of the County of Los Angeles, State of California. I am over the age of eighteen years. My residence address is:

11616 Ohio Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90025

On February 27, 2017, I served the attached Written Request for Hearing on the Division of Workers' Comensation, by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully paid, in the United States mail at Los Angeles, California, addressed as follows:

Hearing Request c/o George Parisotto Acting Administrative Director Division of Workers' Compensation 1515 Clay Street, Suite 1800 Oakland, California 94612

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, and that this declaration was executed on February 27, 2017, at Los Angeles, California.

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Paris Tasker-Heric