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

**ORDER OF SUSPENSION**

In Re: PROVIDER SUSPENSION

DEBRA J. THOMAS,

Respondent.

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

13 WHEREAS, on or about June 16, 2017, Debra Thomas' license, certification or approval to  
14 provide health care services was surrendered or revoked by the Medical Board of California,  
15 Department of Consumer Affairs; and

16 WHEREAS, on or about February 23, 2018, the Administrative Director mailed to Debra  
17 Thomas a written notice of right to a hearing regarding the suspension and the procedure to  
18 follow to request a hearing, as provided in Labor Code section 139.21(b)(2) and California Code  
19 of Regulations, title 8, section 9788.1; and

20 WHEREAS, pursuant to Labor Code section 139.21(b)(2) and California Code of  
21 Regulations, title 8, section 9788.1(d) the written notice advised Debra Thomas that the  
22 suspension would start thirty (30) calendar days after the date of mailing of written notice, unless  
23 Debra Thomas submitted a written request for a hearing within ten (10) calendar days of the date  
24 of mailing of the notice; and

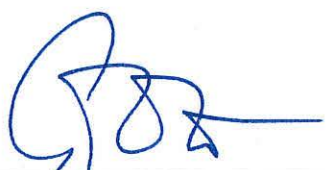
25 WHEREAS, Debra Thomas did not submit a written request for hearing within ten (10)  
26 calendar days of the date of mailing of the notice; and

27 WHEREAS, the Administrative Director is required to suspend any physician, practitioner,  
28 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;

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

Dated: March 27, 2018



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George Parisotto  
Administrative Director  
Division of Workers' Compensation