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

In Re: PROVIDER SUSPENSION

BENNIE S. JOHNSON,
Respondent.

ORDER OF SUSPENSION

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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

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WHEREAS, on or about May 3, 2017, Bennie Johnson's license, certification or approval to provide health care services was surrendered or revoked by the Osteopathic Medical Board of California, Department of Consumer Affairs; and

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WHEREAS, on or about September 29, 2017, the Administrative Director mailed to Bennie Johnson 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

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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 Bennie Johnson that the suspension would start thirty (30) calendar days after the date of mailing of written notice, unless Bennie Johnson submitted a written request for a hearing within ten (10) calendar days of the date of mailing of the notice; and

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

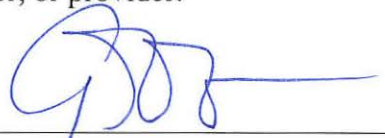
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WHEREAS, the Administrative Director is required to suspend any physician, practitioner, or provider pursuant to Labor Code section 139.21 and Title 8, California Code of Regulations section

1 9788.2, after thirty (30) days from the date the notice was mailed, unless the physician, practitioner, or
2 provider submits a written request for a hearing within ten (10) calendar days of the date of mailing of
3 the notice;

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

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7 Date: October 30, 2017



8 GEORGE PARISOTTO
9 Administrative Director
10 Division of Workers' Compensation

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