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

In Re: PROVIDER SUSPENSION LENTON JOBY MORROW,

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ORDER OF SUSPENSION

Respondent.

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 November 28, 2017, Lenton Morrow's license, certification or approval to provide health care services was surrendered or revoked by the Medical Board of California, Department of Consumer Affairs; and

WHEREAS, on or about January 26, 2018, the Administrative Director mailed to Lenton Morrow 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 Lenton Morrow that the suspension would start thirty (30) calendar days after the date of mailing of written notice, unless Lenton Morrow submitted a written request for a hearing within ten (10) calendar days of the date of mailing of the notice; and

WHEREAS, Lenton Morrow 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 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 Lenton Morrow is hereby suspended from participating in the workers' compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider.

Date: February <u>28</u>, 2018

GEØRGE PARISOTTO Administrative Director Division of Workers' Compensation