

1 **STATE OF CALIFORNIA**
2 **DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS**
3 **DIVISION OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION**
4 **BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR**

5 **In Re: PROVIDER SUSPENSION**
6 **CATHLEEN DAVISION MASTAN,**
7 **Respondent.**
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ORDER OF SUSPENSION

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10 WHEREAS, Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(A) requires the Administrative Director to
11 suspend any physician, practitioner, or provider from participating in the workers'
12 compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider if the individual has been
13 convicted of any felony or misdemeanor described in Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(A); and

14 WHEREAS, on or about November 10, 2015, Respondent Cathleen Davision Mastan
15 (Cathleen Mastan) pled guilty to or was found guilty of one or more felonies or misdemeanors
16 described in Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(A) in the Superior Court of California, County of
17 Los Angeles; and

18 WHEREAS, Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(B) requires the Administrative Director to
19 suspend any physician, practitioner, or provider from participating in the workers'
20 compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider who has been suspended, due
21 to fraud or abuse, from the federal Medicare or Medicaid programs; and

22 WHEREAS, Cathleen Mastan was suspended, due to fraud or abuse, from the federal
23 Medicare or Medicaid programs; and

24 WHEREAS, Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(C) requires the Administrative Director to
25 suspend any physician, practitioner, or provider from participating in the workers'
26 compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider whose license, certification or
27 approval to provide health care services has been surrendered or revoked; and

28 WHEREAS, on or about April 27, 2017, Cathleen Mastan's license, certification or
approval to provide health care services was surrendered or revoked by the California Board
Behavioral Sciences, Department of Consumer Affairs; and

1 WHEREAS, on or about December 22, 2022, the Administrative Director mailed to
2 Cathleen Mastan a written notice of the right to a hearing regarding the suspension and the
3 procedure to follow to request a hearing, as provided in Labor Code section 139.21(b)(2) and
4 California Code of Regulations, title 8, section 9788.1; and

5 WHEREAS, pursuant to Labor Code section 139.21(b)(2) and California Code of
6 Regulations, title 8, section 9788.1(d), the written notice advised Cathleen Mastan that the
7 suspension would start thirty (30) calendar days after the date of mailing of written notice,
8 unless Cathleen Mastan submitted a written request for a hearing within ten (10) calendar days
9 of the date of mailing of the notice; and

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

12 WHEREAS, the Administrative Director is required to suspend any physician,
13 practitioner, or provider pursuant to Labor Code section 139.21 and title 8, California Code of
14 Regulations section 9788.2, after thirty (30) days from the date the notice was mailed, unless
15 the physician, practitioner, or provider submits a written request for a hearing within ten (10)
16 calendar days of the date of mailing of the notice;

17 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Cathleen Mastan is hereby suspended from
18 participating in the workers' compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider.
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21 Date: February 23, 2023

22 /S/ George Parisotto
23 George Parisotto
24 Administrative Director
25 Division of Workers' Compensation
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