In Re: PROVIDER SUSPENSION

CYNTHIA KARINA MARQUEZ,

ORDER OF SUSPENSION

Respondent.

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

STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

DIVISION OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION

BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR

WHEREAS, on or about July 18, 2022, Respondent Cynthia Karina Marquez (Cynthia Marquez) pled guilty to or was found guilty of one or more felonies or misdemeanors described in Labor Code section 139.21(a)(1)(A) in the United States District Court, Central District of California; and

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

WHEREAS, Cynthia Marquez was suspended, due to fraud or abuse, from the
 federal Medicare or Medicaid programs; and

WHEREAS, on or about October 8, 2024, the Administrative Director mailed to
Cynthia Marquez 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 Cynthia Marquez that the suspension would start thirty (30) calendar days after the date of mailing of written notice, unless Cynthia Marquez submitted a written request for a hearing within ten (10) calendar days of the date of mailing of the notice; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia Marquez 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 California Code of Regulations, title 8, 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 mail of the notice;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Respondent Cynthia Marquez is hereby suspended from participating in the workers' compensation system as a physician, practitioner, or provider.

Date: March 25, 2025

<u>/S/ George P. Parisotto</u> George P. Parisotto Administrative Director Division of Workers' Compensation