



**TEXAS FORENSIC SCIENCE COMMISSION**

*Justice Through Science*

**COMPLAINT DISPOSITION FORM**

Complaint # \_\_\_\_\_

Name/Subject of Complaint \_\_\_\_\_

- Complaint was **dismissed** based on the following factor(s) pursuant to §3.0(c) of the FSC policies and procedures:

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- Complaint was **accepted and submitted for action** by an Investigative Panel in accordance with §3.0(b) (2) and §4.0(a) of the FSC policies and procedures.

Investigation Panel Members:

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- Other **such action was taken** as appropriate and in accordance with §3.0(c) of the FSC policies and procedures.

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**Final Disposition of ACCEPTED complaint**

In accordance with FSC policies and procedures §4.0(c), the Texas Forensic Science Commission found that:

- there was insufficient credible information to conclude that professional negligence or misconduct occurred in the forensic analysis.
- the forensic analysis met the standard of practice that an ordinary forensic analyst would have exercised at the time the analysis originally took place.
- there was clear and convincing evidence that professional negligence or misconduct occurred in the forensic analysis; or
- took such other action as appropriate and described below:

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- The FSC has made a final report available to the public on the FSC website and provided appropriate copies of the report as described in §4.0(e) of the FSC policies and procedures.

**As described in FSC policies and procedures §4.0(d), a finding is not a comment upon the guilt or innocence of any individual and is not necessarily a basis for relief in litigation or in any other forum. Any final report itself is not prima facie evidence of the information or findings contained in the report.**