



TEXAS FORENSIC  
SCIENCE COMMISSION

*Justice Through Science*

1700 North Congress Avenue, Suite 445  
Austin, Texas 78701

June 24, 2015

*Via First Class Mail*

Mr. Richard E. Gambles #805049  
Bill Clements Unit  
9601 Spur 591  
Amarillo, Texas 79107

*Re: Texas Forensic Science Commission Complaint #1089.14.09*

Dear Mr. Gambles,

As a result of a recent audit of the Commission's files, I am writing to ensure that you are aware of the outcome of your case. The Commission voted unanimously at its January 10, 2014 meeting to dismiss the referenced complaint.

**MOTION AND VOTE:** *Barnard moved to dismiss the complaint because it falls outside the Commission's jurisdiction and direct staff to provide the Innocence Project of Texas with a copy of the corresponding laboratory report to determine if additional legal remedies are available to the complainant. Lerma seconded the motion. The FSC unanimously adopted the motion.*

The complaint alleged problems with the handling of evidence prior to its arrival at the crime laboratory, but did not articulate any negligence or misconduct in the forensic analysis itself.

Should you wish to consult an attorney regarding your legal options, I am enclosing a list containing contact information for various innocence clinics programs in Texas. Please feel free to contact me if I may be of additional assistance.

Thank you.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kathryn Adams".

Kathryn Adams, Legal Assistant  
Texas Forensic Science  
Commission

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**LIST OF INNOCENCE CLINICS IN TEXAS**

**Texas Center for Actual Innocence  
727 E. Dean Keeton St.  
Austin, Texas 78705 Contact:  
Tiffany Dowling**

**The Innocence Project of Texas  
1511 Texas Ave.  
Lubbock, Texas 79401 Contact:  
Scott Henson**

**Texas Innocence Network  
University of Houston Law Center  
100 Law Center  
Houston, Texas 77204-6371  
Contact: David Dow**

**Texas Southern University  
Thurgood Marshall School of Law  
Innocence Project  
3100 Cleburne Street  
Houston, Texas 77004  
Contact: Anthony Haughton**

**Texas A&M Innocence Project 1515  
Commerce St.  
Fort Worth, Texas 76102 Contact:  
Scott Henson**