



TEXAS FORENSIC  
SCIENCE COMMISSION

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1700 North Congress Ave., Suite 445  
Austin, Texas 78701

March 16, 2016

*Via First Class Mail*

Mr. James Downs  
TDCJ #1563718  
Eastham Unit  
2665 Prison Rd 1  
Lovelady, Texas 75851

Re: Texas Forensic Science Commission ("FSC") File No. 1128.16.03

Dear Mr. Downs:

At its February 12, 2016 meeting, the FSC voted unanimously to dismiss your complaint for with respect to all allegations relating to non-DNA forensic analysis. However, your complaint has been forwarded to the Commission's DNA Mixture Case Review Triage Team Project your case concerns a possible DNA mixture interpretation.

The director of the Project is appellate attorney Bob Wicoff in Harris County who will review the materials associated with your case. Should you have additional material that you would like to be included for his review, you may send it to the following address:

Mr. Bob Wicoff  
DNA Review  
PO Box 283  
Houston, TX 77001

All future communications regarding the DNA issues in your case will be handled by Attorney Wicoff. Please feel free to contact us if we may be of any additional assistance to you.

Sincerely,

*Nick Vilbas*  
by *NKA w/ permission*

Nick Vilbas  
Assistant General Counsel