



TEXAS FORENSIC  
SCIENCE COMMISSION

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

July 27, 2016

Mr. Eric Gerland  
TDCJ# 1508344  
2400 Wallace Pack Rd.  
Navasota, TX 77868

Re: Disposition of complaint to the Texas Forensic Science Commission  
(the "Commission")

Dear Mr. Gerland:

After reviewing your complaint, the Commission saw no allegations concerning a forensic analysis over which it has jurisdiction. Your complaint concerns a hospital and an autopsy, both of which are specifically exempt from the Commission's jurisdiction by statute.

However, since your complaint references analysis of a DNA mixture, it has been forwarded to the Commission's DNA Mixture Case Review Panel for evaluation. Your case will be reviewed to determine if it is eligible for recalculation of the DNA evidence. This project is being coordinated by Mr. Bob Wicoff, Appellate Division Chief of the Harris County Public Defender's Office in Houston. His contact information is as follows:

DNA REVIEW  
P.O. BOX 283  
HOUSTON, TEXAS 77001.

Please direct future communications concerning your case to Mr. Wicoff at this address. Thank you and feel free to contact me if I may be of additional assistance to you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kathryn Adams".

Kathryn Adams  
Commission Coordinator

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