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SCIENCE COMMISSION

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

October 19, 2018

*Via First Class Mail*

Mr. Jeffery Allen Whitfield  
TDCJ# 01575019  
Jester IV Unit  
4 Jester Road  
Richmond, TX 77406

Re: TFSC Complaint No. 19.01; Whitfield, Jeffery (DPS Waco; AP Testing)

Dear Mr. Whitfield,

This letter is to let you know that the referenced complaint was dismissed by the Commission at its October 5, 2018 meeting. Commissioners determined the analyst in your case followed standard operating procedures with regard to screening items that may need to be forwarded for DNA testing. In addition, the Commission has no authority to order additional testing on items of evidence, or to order testing on items not previously analyzed. Requests such as these must originate with the laboratory's client.

I have enclosed a list of innocence clinics should you wish to submit your case for consideration. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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

Kathryn Adams  
Commission Coordinator

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