

February 11, 2021

Via e-mail to jlklann@tarrantcounty.com

Ms. Jody L. Klann, Quality Manager Tarrant County Medical Examiner's Office Crime Laboratory 200 Feliks Gwozdz Place Fort Worth, Texas 76104

Re: Forensic Science Commission Disclosure No. 20.61; Tarrant County Medical

Examiner's Office (Forensic Biology/DNA)

Dear Ms. Klann,

At its January 29, 2021 quarterly meeting, the Commission reviewed the referenced self-disclosure. Based on the root cause analysis and correction actions taken by the laboratory, the Commission concluded no further action is necessary at this time.

Should the laboratory identify any material changes to the information provided in connection with this disclosure, please notify the Commission as soon as possible. Thank you and please feel free to contact commission staff with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

Leigh M. Tomlin

Associate General Counsel

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