

TEXAS FORENSIC SCIENCE COMMISSION Justice Through Science

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Via e-mail to PStout@houstonforensicscience.org

Peter Stout, Ph.D. President and CEO Houston Forensic Science Center 500 Jefferson St., 13th Fl. Houston, Texas 77002

RE: <u>FSC Self-disclosure No. 22.01 – Houston Forensic Science Center (Forensic Biology/DNA)</u>

Dear Dr. Stout,

At its April 22, 2022 quarterly meeting, the Commission reviewed the referenced selfdisclosure. Based upon the corrective action taken, root cause analysis and transcript review performed by the laboratory, commissioners concluded no further action is necessary at this time.

If the laboratory identifies any material changes to the information provided regarding this disclosure, please notify the Commission as soon as possible. Thank you and please feel free to contact the Commission's office with any questions you may have.

Sincerely, *Leigh M. Tomlin* Leigh M. Tomlin Associate General Counsel

cc: Erika Ziemak