

February 6, 2023

Via First Class Mail

Mr. Keith Taylor TDCJ# 01784688 Hughes Unit 3201 FM 929 Gatesville, TX 76597

Re: Texas Forensic Science Commission ("TFSC") Complaint No. 22.60; Taylor, Keith (Dr. Richard E. Coons; Forensic Psychiatry)

Dear Mr. Taylor,

This letter is to inform you that the referenced complaint was dismissed by TFSC staff for failure to allege professional negligence or misconduct related to the forensic analysis of physical evidence in connection with a criminal case.

"Forensic psychiatry" does not fall within the definition of a "forensic analysis" over which the TFSC has jurisdiction as defined in Tex. Code Crim. Proc. §38.35(a)(4). "Forensic analysis" is defined as an expert examination or test performed on physical evidence.

Sincerely

Kathryn Adams

Commission Coordinator

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