



TEXAS FORENSIC
SCIENCE COMMISSION

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

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Via First Class Mail

Rodney Smith
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Re: Texas Forensic Science Commission Complaint No. 23.35 Smith, Rodney
(SWIFS Autopsy)

Dear Mr. Smith:

This letter is to inform you the above-referenced complaint was dismissed by commission staff because the Commission is expressly prohibited from investigating complaints regarding the portion of an autopsy conducted by a medical examiner or other forensic pathologist who is a licensed physician *See*, Texas Code of Criminal Procedure Article 38.01 Section 2(4). In addition, the Commission has no jurisdiction over claims of withheld evidence.

Respectfully,

Robert Smith

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