



TEXAS FORENSIC SCIENCE COMMISSION

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

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Via First Class Mail

Nichole Bowden
4522 Sylvanfield Drive, Apt. 108
Houston, Texas 77014

Re: Texas Forensic Science Commission Complaint No.23.49 (Harris County Institute of Forensic Science; Autopsy/Pathology)

Ms. Bowden:

At its October 20, 2023, quarterly meeting the Commission approved staff's dismissal of your complaint because the Commission does not have jurisdiction over the portion of an autopsy conducted by a medical examiner or other forensic pathologist who is a licensed physician.

Thank you,

Robert Smith

Robert Smith
Staff Attorney
Texas Forensic Science Commission