



TEXAS FORENSIC
SCIENCE COMMISSION

Justice Through Science

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

September 14, 2018

Ms. Cheryl Murley
McCrone Associates, Inc.
850 Pasquinelli Drive
Westmont, IL

Re: Application for Texas Forensic Science Commission Accreditation under Title 37, Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 651.

Dear Ms. Murley:

With some exceptions, the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, Article 38.35, requires Texas Forensic Science Commission (“FSC”) accreditation as a predicate to the admission of the forensic analysis of physical evidence and expert testimony relating to the evidence in a criminal case.

As the designee of the Texas Forensic Science Commission Presiding Officer, I have considered your application based on your national accreditation from A2LA and grant full FSC Accreditation to McCrone Associates, Inc. for the following forensic disciplines:

Materials (Trace)
Document Examination

The current term of A2LA accreditation is from 9/13/2018 to 9/30/2020. **The current term of FSC accreditation begins 9/13/2018 and continues until such time that the accreditation from A2LA is no longer current.**

FSC accreditation is contingent upon compliance with Title 37, Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 651, including requirements of reporting correspondence, reports or communication between the laboratory and the accrediting body. FSC accreditation will be automatically rescinded at the same date and time as A2LA withdraws your laboratory accreditation.

Sincerely,

Leigh M. Savage

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FSC Accreditation Program Administrator