



TEXAS FORENSIC SCIENCE COMMISSION

FSC LICENSING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MEETING AGENDA

October 6, 2022 12:00 PM

Southwestern Institute of Forensic Sciences
2355 North Stemmons Freeway
Dallas, Texas 75208

During this meeting, the LAC may consider and take action on the following items. The LAC may take breaks as necessary.

1. Call meeting to order. Roll call for members. (Reat) (2 min)
2. Review and adoption of minutes from July 21, 2022 meeting. (Reat) (1 min)
3. Administrative update, including update on number of licenses issued and number of renewals processed and to be processed before the end of the year, update on database project with Office Court Administration. (Garcia/Tomlin/Soward) (5 min)
4. Review any outstanding coursework evaluations. (Tomlin) (1 min)
5. Discuss General Forensic Analyst Licensing Exam II pilot exam standard setting report and exam scoring data; update on launch of remote GFALE II pilot and deadlines for registration for GFALE I. (Garcia/Tomlin) (15 min)
6. Discuss progress on the development of the Commission's voluntary licensure program for unaccredited forensic disciplines, including application status of the programs for voluntary licensure of forensic anthropologists and forensic document examiners.
7. Discussion and update on proposal for voluntary licensure for friction ridge. (Garcia/Tomlin) (20 min)
8. Discussion and update on proposal for voluntary licensure for digital/multimedia evidence. (Garcia/Tomlin) (20 min)
9. Discuss and vote on possible exemption from accreditation and licensing requirements for performance of NIBIN entries only.
10. Review and vote on NMS' request for approval of internal legal and professional responsibility course to count for credit for Commission's biennial Mandatory Legal and Professional Responsibility Course. (Garcia/Tomlin) (10 min)



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11. Continuing forensic education questions; credit for reading Commission reports? (Tomlin)
(5 min)
12. Update from the Texas Association of Crime Laboratory Directors. (Stout)
13. Schedule and location of future meetings, including and January 27, 2023 and April 14 *or* 21, 2023 meetings.
14. Hear public comment.
15. Adjourn.