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## *DPS ACCREDITATION*

November 25, 2003

Mr. Lawrence A Presley  
National Medical Services, Inc  
3701 Welsh Rd  
Willow Gove, PA 19090

RE: Application for DPS Accreditation under Title 37, Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 28,  
Subchapter H

Dear Mr. Lawrence A Presley:

With some exceptions, Code of Criminal Procedure, Article 38.35, requires Department of Public Safety (DPS) accreditation of a crime laboratory or other entity as a predicate to the admission of evidence or testimony resulting from forensic analysis of physical evidence in a criminal case.

As the designee of the Director of the Department of Public Safety, I have considered your application and grant Full DPS Accreditation to the National Medical Services, Inc.

**Full DPS Accreditation is based on your national accreditation with:  
ASCLD/LAB, in the following disciplines:**

*Controlled Substances*

*Trace Evidence*

*Biology*

**The following limitations are imposed on the disciplines accredited Trace Evidence (hair and fiber only).**

**The period of DPS accreditation is recognized as 10/26/2003 until withdrawn.**

DPS Accreditation is contingent upon compliance with Title 37, Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 28, Subchapter H, including requirements of reporting correspondence, reports or communication between the laboratory and the accrediting body. DPS accreditation will be automatically rescinded at the same date and time as ASCLD/LAB withdraws your laboratory accreditation.

Yours Truly,

J. R. Urbanovsky  
Director, Crime Laboratory Service

CC: ASCLD/LAB

