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## State of Louisiana

Department of Public Safety and Corrections
Public Safety Services
HQ29-0927-23
February 28, 2023

National Medical Services, Inc. dba NMS Labs 200 Welsh Road Horsham, PA 19044

Reference: Permit to Conduct Forensic Toxicology Analysis for Louisiana

Valid Dates: February 28, 2023 through December 31, 2026

The Department of Public Safety, Louisiana State Police Crime Laboratory is providing this letter to your company in response to your request to be permitted under Louisiana Revised Statute 32:663. We have reviewed and confirmed your ISO/IEC 17025:2017 accreditation from ANSI National Accreditation Board program, Certificate Number FT-0120. Based on this accreditation, your laboratory is permitted for the above mentioned dates to conduct forensic tests on a person's blood, urine, or other bodily substance.

According to Louisiana Revised Statue 32:663(C), this permit "makes all laboratory forensic test results conducted on a person's blood, urine, or other bodily substance by such individual or laboratory valid under the provisions of this Part, and admissible and competent evidence of intoxication in any court of law."

This permit is based solely on your accreditation. Therefore, this permit will automatically expire in the event that your accreditation expires or is revoked. Your company is obligated to immediately inform the Department of Public Safety, Louisiana State Police Crime Laboratory of any change in your certification status.

Sincerely,

Captain Chad Guidry

Director, LSP Crime Laboratory