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To Whom It May Concern:

Recently the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE), the state agency that routinely handles blood sample testing in DUI/DWAI cases terminated a lab analyst for improperly handling approximately 1,700 samples of blood submitted from law enforcement agencies statewide.

You are receiving this letter because a case you were involved in has been identified as one of the 1,700 cases involving a blood test at issue.

CDPHE has provided the Colorado District Attorney's Council (CDAC) with a spreadsheet of all of the samples at issue. CDAC then worked with the District Attorney's Offices around the state in an effort to identify the relevant judicial district for each of those samples. Finally, our office has been working to further identify the status of each case and to identify any legal counsel in each case.

In the meantime CDPHE has been retesting each of the 1,700 samples identified and as of last week had completed retesting on 850 of the samples. Of those 350 retested samples less than 10 showed any kind of error.

We are awaiting the completion of the retesting process and the results in each of the identified cases.

We will be communicating with each of the defense attorneys/pro se defendants once we receive the retest results from CDPHE.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

Jennifer Swanson
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