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To: <u>Kenneth Plaisance</u>

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Subject: Inquiry re. BODA Case No. 69894

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Mr. Plaisance,

I received a voice mail message from you this morning. It am not sure if you were trying to reach me or someone else, as you addressed the message to "Tanya."

You inquired about the rules governing the burden of proof as to defenses in a reciprocal discipline case. As you acknowledged, we cannot provide legal advice. However, you may review the rules governing the procedure for reciprocal discipline cases, which are found in Part IX of the Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure. As cited in the Board's show-cause order and your answer, Rule 9.04 addresses defenses. The rules are available on BODA's website: <a href="https://txboda.org/rules">https://txboda.org/rules</a>

Regards,

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