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Subject: Digital Forensics

This request asked:

1. Do you conduct digital forensic examination of computers and mobile phones?
2. (If Yes to above). Do you acquire digital evidence (imaging) or are digital evidential images provided to you for further processing?
3. Do you have ISO 17025 standards in place and accreditation or are you planning to implement ISO 17025 standards?
4. (If no to above ISO 17025). What exemptions do you have from obtaining ISO 17025 standards?
5. Do you hold any other ISO or other standards relating to digital forensic evidence? Please provide details if any standards exist.

1. Yes

2. Both

3. The SFO is working towards ISO accreditation to be completed this year.

4. N/A

5. The SFO adheres to the Association of Chief Police officers (ACPO) / National Police Chiefs Council (NPCC) Good Practice Guidelines in relation to digital forensic evidence. All digital forensic staff are required to undergo recognised training relevant to the forensic tools they use.

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