



INVESTIGATIVE POLYGRAPH EXAMINATIONS

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The PISA Integrity Assessment Centre is your leading partner in integrity management solutions. Offering polygraph examinations, psychometric assessments and criminal record and background verifications conducted by qualified and accredited experts

WHAT IS A SPECIFIC INCIDENT POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION?

A specific incident polygraph examination is a type of polygraph test conducted to assist in an investigation or inquiry pertaining to a particular incident, event or allegation as part of an investigative process. These examinations serve as powerful forensic tools that can aid companies or investigators during the investigation process by collecting additional information for the investigating team, guiding investigations by determining the probability of a person being truthful in their submitted statements or involved in the matter under investigation, independently verifying information submitted by the persons under investigation, and if needed as part of a bundle of evidence if the investigation proceeds to a disciplinary hearing, arbitration or other labour or legal processes if conducted correctly by qualified professionals who can act as expert witnesses.

There are various specific incident polygraph examination techniques, each with their own strengths and as defined by international standards of practice, that can be applied based on the status of the investigation, the context and requirements of the examination, and the particular goals of an investigating team. Investigative examinations are polygraph examinations which are intended to supplement and/or assist an investigation and for which the examiner has not been informed and does not reasonably believe that the results of the examination will be tendered for admission as evidence in a court proceeding. Investigative examinations may be conducted for screening purposes or to investigate known allegations or known incidents. These examinations are aimed specifically at gathering additional information and narrowing the field of the investigation. Evidentiary examinations are polygraph examinations in which the written and stated purpose agreed to by the parties involved is to provide a diagnostic opinion as evidence in a pending judicial proceeding. These examinations are implemented for a very specific finding and in a manner that maximizes the accuracy and confidence of the examination result to maximize effectiveness as part of a bundle of evidence. Paired Testing Examinations are conducted in tandem on two or more individuals by different examiners who are mutually blind to the other test results regarding a single central contested fact to which all examinees are expected to know the truth thereof. Paired testing is used by voluntary stipulation between the testifying parties to resolve disputed facts.

ADVANTAGES OF SPECIFIC INCIDENT POLYGRAPH TESTING

An event-specific evidentiary or investigative polygraph examination conducted to assist in determining the veracity of an examinee regarding his or her knowledge of or involvement in a reported issue or allegation. Diagnostic examinations may address a single aspect or multiple facts of an event.

Determining the Veracity of an Examinee

Can assist the investigating team to determine the probability or likelihood of a person answering truthfully to a set of predetermined questions to guide the investigating in where to focus the investigation.

Uncovering Undisclosed Information

Pre-examination interviews used during polygraph examinations can assist in collecting additional information from persons pertaining to the investigation, and in certain circumstances revealing undisclosed information eliciting admissions or confessions.

Verification of Statement Accuracy

Can help to verify the accuracy of information submitted by the examinee on their initial statements to the investigating team regarding the matter under investigation.

Enhanced Security and Risk Reduction

Knowing that polygraph examinations are applied during investigative processes may deter persons from becoming involved in criminal or unwanted behaviour.

Supports Evidence During Hearings and Legal Procedures

If conducted ethically and fairly by qualified and accredited professionals, polygraph examination results can be submitted as part of a bundle of evidence as expert witness testimony to support the weight of the evidence.

WHY CHOOSE THE PISA INTEGRITY ASSESSMENT CENTRE?

The PISA Integrity Assessment Centre is your leading partner in integrity management solutions. Established in 1986 the company has a long running history of offering professional solutions to suit your personal needs with the wisdom and experience that can only be crafted through years of dedication to the field. We understand the modern challenges faced by businesses and individuals alike and we use our extensive and ever-growing knowledge to provide personalized services of the highest quality.

The PISA Integrity Assessment Centre offers a range of services, including polygraph examinations, background checks, psychometric evaluations, verifications and much more. We utilize the multitude of professional tools at our disposal to offer our clients the perfect solutions for their particular needs.

By merging professional experts from various specialist fields, the PISA Integrity Assessment Centre can offer versatile, dynamic and professional solutions to suit the needs of your business, saving you time, money and significantly increasing the effectiveness of the service.

Most importantly however, we understand the importance of our work to you and your staff and strive to conduct our services with the highest standards. All staff members are qualified and accredited in their respective fields of expertise and are required to act in accordance with professional standards of practice and a code of ethics. The PISA Integrity Assessment Centre is not just a service provider; it is a mark of quality with a reputation par excellence.

Our large staff complement ensures quick turnaround times, a vast pool of knowledge, second opinions and quality assurance on demand, and an ability to serve our clients wherever needed in South Africa. The PISA Integrity Assessment Centre has offices in Gauteng and Cape Town, as well as multiple qualified affiliates across the African continent.

TRUST THE EXPERTS THAT IS TRUSTED BY THE COUNTRIES LEADING SECURITY AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.

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