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To: All Idaho Prosecutors, Criminal Defense Attorneys, and Law Enforcement Agencies

From: Matthew Gamette, ISP Forensic Services Laboratory System Director

Subject: Approval of Draeger Alcotest 9510 Instrument in Idaho

Date: June 20, 2016

Draeger Alcotest 9510 Approval Executive Summary:

- The Draeger Alcotest 9510 Instrument is formally approved for evidential tests in Idaho.
- ISPFS completely validated the Draeger Alcotest 9510 Instrument for use in Idaho.
- Draeger will immediately start shipments of previously ordered Draeger units to ISPFS for a service check and deployment to Idaho law enforcement agencies.
- The Draeger Alcotest 9510 instrument is NHTSA approved and is on the "Conforming Products List of Evidential Breath Measurement Devices."

Draeger Alcotest 9510 Approval Details:

Idaho State Police Forensic Services (ISPFS) is pleased to announce the approval of the Draeger Alcotest 9510 instrument for use in evidential testing in the state of Idaho. ISPFS has performed extensive validation studies on the instrument for the last several years and has determined that it is fit for evidential breath alcohol testing in Idaho. This instrument uses both fuel cell and infra-red (IR) technology to calculate the breath alcohol result. The instrument has a programming sequence specific to Idaho, and the sequence has been validated by ISPFS scientific staff. The instrument also has the capability of being networked to the ISPFS network so that the evidential and performance verification tests can be downloaded from the ISPFS website in a redacted form. The web downloads will assist those interested in the historical trending of the instrument. ISPFS will be working with each agency to set up this networking capability. The network capability is intended to be redundant and agencies must still keep appropriate storage of the testing and performance verification data required per IDAPA.

Draeger will immediately start shipments of previously ordered Draeger units to ISPFS for a service check and deployment to Idaho law enforcement agencies. New instruments are available through Draeger directly. Please contact Brian.Shaffer@draeger.com All instruments will continue to be certified and calibrated by ISPFS. The ISPFS contract for these instruments is attached to this email.

Training information on the Draeger instrument will be provided as a live, in-person format to each certified BTO/BTS Officer. For any questions regarding this notification, please contact Breath Alcohol Discipline Leader Jeremy Johnston at (208) 209-8706 or jeremy.johnston@isp.idaho.gov

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