Alaska Scientific Crime Detection Laboratory Change in Instrument Status Form

Version: 4.6 Effective: 10/10/2022 Date: 8/2/2023 Instrument #: 100370 Instrument Location: UAF PD Supervisor Name and Agency: Carlie Glaister SCDL Describe the Status Change or Issue with the Instrument: During IFIR it was noticed that repeated tests (5 total) occurred on the same individual on 07/08/2023. The first test resulted in an RFI status message, the following 2 tests resulted in Blank Errors, and then 2 completed tests that resulted in a reported Breath Alcohol Concentration value were performed on the same subject. The Breath Test Supervisor, Andrew Parker was emailed to notify officers that the crime lab does not recommend testing subjects more than 3 times. Additionally, when a breath tests completed successfully and reports a result, it is not recommended to test them a second time. The Breath Test Supervisor was also notified to remind officers to not key their radios in the vicinity of the DataMaster to prevent RFI status messages. After reviewing data during IFIR, the instrument itself appears to be in good working order. If instrument was placed in service or removed from service, fill out the appropriate sections below. In Service Date/Time: Click or tap here to enter text. Out of Service Date/Time: Click or tap here to enter text. For Use by SCDL Additional Notes Click or tap here to enter text.

Email completed form to dps.scdl.toxicology@alaska.gov
For questions contact the Breath Alcohol Program at 907-269-5740

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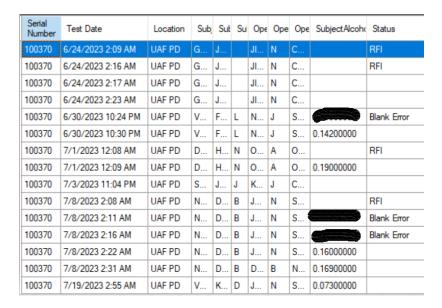
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From: Glaister, Carlie K (DPS)

Sent: Wednesday, August 2, 2023 11:59 AM

To: Andrew Parker Subject: DataMaster FYI

Hello Andrew, when reviewing status messages I noticed on 7/8 that the same officer performed a breath test on the same subject 5 times in a row. The first 3 resulted in status messages, and then the last 2 were completed breath tests (on the same individual). Generally the crime lab does not recommend testing a subject more than 3 times, and if you get a completed result they should not be tested again. Also remind officers not to key radios in the vicinity of the DataMaster to prevent RFI status messages.



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