

# **CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITATION**

### The ANSI National Accreditation Board

Hereby attests that

## **Nebraska State Patrol Crime Laboratory**

3977 Air Park Road, Lincoln, Nebraska 68524 USA

Fulfills the requirements of

#### ISO/IEC 17025:2017

ANAB Forensic Testing & Calibration AR 3125:2019

FBI Quality Assurance Standards for Forensic DNA Testing Laboratories: 2020 FBI Quality Assurance Standards for DNA Databasing Laboratories: 2020

In the field of

## **Forensic Testing**

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Expiry Date: 30 September 2026 Certificate Number: FT-0042







# SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO: ISO/IEC 17025:2017

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Discipline: Biology		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
DNA Profile Determination	Short Tandem Repeat (STR) Y-Short Tandem Repeat (Y-STR)	Capillary Electrophoresis
DNA Profile Determination (Database Samples)	Short Tandem Repeat (STR)	Capillary Electrophoresis
Individual Characteristic Database	DNA Profile	National DNA Index System (NDIS)
Physical Comparison	DNA Profile	Software Program
Qualitative Determination	Body Fluid Epithelial Cell	Chemical Fluorescence Spectroscopy General Microscopy Immunoassay

Discipline: Firearms and Toolmarks		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Function Evaluation	Firearm Silencer	Measuring Equipment Visual
Physical Comparison	Ammunition Fractured Item Tool/Toolmark	General Microscopy Visual

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Qualitative Determination	Ammunition Firearm Metal Nitrate Tool	Chemical General Microscopy Measuring Equipment Reference Collection
Serial Number Restoration	Physical Item	Chemical General Microscopy Magnetic Visual

Discipline: Friction Ridge		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Enhancement	Ridge Detail	Chemical Physical Software Program
Individual Characteristic Database	Ridge Detail	Next Generation Identification System (NGI)
Physical Comparison	Ridge Detail	Software Program Visual

Discipline: Impressions		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Enhancement	Footwear Tire	Chemical Physical Software Program
Physical Comparison	Footwear Tire	Software Program Visual
Qualitative Determination	Footwear Tire	Reference Collection

Discipline: Seized Drugs		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Qualitative Determination	Botanical Liquid Solid	Chemical Gas Chromatography General Microscopy Infrared Spectroscopy Mass Spectrometry Visual
Quantitative Measurement	Solid	Gas Chromatography
Weight Measurement	Botanical Solid	Balance

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Discipline: Toxicology		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Qualitative Determination	Ante-Mortem Biological Item	Gas Chromatography Immunoassay Mass Spectrometry
Quantitative Measurement	Ante-Mortem Biological Item	Gas Chromatography Immunoassay Mass Spectrometry

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