INTRODUCTION TO RIPA 2000 AND IPA 2016

COURSE INFORMATION

Covert tactics can provide intelligence and the evidence needed to assist with the prosecution of offenders. If this evidence is gathered incorrectly this can have severe impacts on the investigation, the officer, and the Local Authority.

This course has been designed to provide an introduction to Regulation if Investigatory Powers Act (RIPA) 2000 and Investigatory Powers Act (IPA) 2016 for Local Authority officers.

AUDIENCE

This course has been designed for those individuals who are new to RIPA 2000 and IPA 2016. It is ideal for those who will be writing applications for the application of covert investigation techniques or those involved in requesting communications data.

COURSE LENGTH AND DELIVERY METHODS

The course is a half-day course and provides 3 CPD credits.

It can be delivered virtually or in-person.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- Understand what constitutes surveillance.
- Understand the implications of relevant legislation.
- Know the importance of having correct procedures and complying with them.
- Identify when to undertake prompt action and make written applications.
- Know the roles and responsibilities of those involved in the process.
- Understand when applications can be made and the impacts of collateral intrusion
- Know the application, review and cancellation process and implications of failing to comply.
- Understand the process for making applications for communications data.

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