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POLICY STATEMENT

It is the policy of the Idaho Board of Correction that the Idaho Department of Correction (IDOC) (1) participate in the Idaho DNA (deoxyribonucleic acid) and Genetic Marker Database Program in accordance with Idaho Code, Title 19, Chapter 55; and (2) adhere to all guidance (both internal and external) relating to the program.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to communicate the Board's philosophy regarding the collection of offender DNA samples.

SCOPE

This policy applies to all procedures created under the authority of this policy and to all IDOC staff members involved in the supervision and management of offenders.

RESPONSIBILITY

The director of the IDOC and chiefs of the Division of Probation and Parole; Division of Prisons; and Division of Education, Treatment, and Reentry are responsible for overseeing the implementation of this policy and the development and implementation of a standard operating procedure (SOP) that provides guidance to staff regarding the collection of offender DNA samples.

At a minimum, SOPs must include processes for:

- Maintaining and updating a list of crimes that require staff to collect an offender's DNA;
- Collecting and documenting offender DNA samples; and
- Tracking those offenders who require collection of a DNA sample.

REFERENCES

Idaho Code, Title 19, Chapter 55, The Idaho DNA Database Act of 1996.

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