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4.10 Requests for Re-Analysis

4.10.1

FSD employees shall not accept evidence for analysis which has been previously analyzed by another analyst, examiner, or laboratory, without prior approval from the Laboratory Director, Forensic Science Division Director, or designee. These instances include both those analyzed within and outside the Forensic Science Division, and includes polygraph records.

4.10.2

The prosecuting attorney or investigating agency in charge of the case shall make a request in writing for re-analysis to the Laboratory Director, Forensic Science Division Director, or designee prior to approval being given.

4.10.3

Analysis or re-analysis of evidence by private examiners/analysts will not be done using Forensic Science Division equipment or materials. Laboratory facilities shall not be used by private examiners/analysts without prior approval from the Laboratory Director with notification to the Division Director or designee.

4.10.4

The testing of previously analyzed evidence as part of an employee training exercise/plan or internal audit is not considered re-analysis for purposes of this section.