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Via Electronic Mail and Internet Posting

Responses to Vendor Questions regarding NV Office of the Attorney General Request for Information for an Investigations Division Evidence Room, dated January 18, 2017

The Office of the Attorney General received the following questions by the January 30, 2017 deadline. Questions are in bold; answers are in italics directly following the question:

1. Page 5, second full paragraph

Agents enter data into one system to provide receipt for evidence seized to the subject and to court.

Is that system the Pro-Law?

<u>NV Attorney General's Office Response:</u> No. The system is an Access database program created and maintained by one specific Investigation Division unit. Ideally, the Evidence program we purchase would replace/eliminate the Access program.

2. Page 6, Software Needs Sec 1.b.

Does Pro-Law have the ability to export the data in this requirement? If not is there someone on staff who can indicate from which tables and fields in the Pro-Law database that these values can be extracted?

<u>NV Attorney General's Office Response:</u> ProLaw has limited ability to export information; if it were possible to export the data listed in Software Needs 1.b, it would likely require contracting for vendor services to implement and maintain the export.

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The office does have a DBA on staff who can indicate tables and fields in the ProLaw database from which those values can be extracted.

3. Will the Attorney General consider a solution that is hosted on the cloud that can provide remote access from smartphones and tablets from anywhere at any time, and does not require a VPN connection to use such devices?

NV Attorney General's Office Response: We would consider a cloud solution that meets State Cloud Hosting security standards and other business and technical requirements published in our future RFP. As a reference, State Cloud Hosting security standards are http://it.nv.gov/uploadedFiles/ITnvgov/Content/Governance/dtls/Standards/134CloudHosting.pdf.

Regarding remote access "from anywhere at any time," be aware that much of Nevada is rural and does not have cellular network coverage. The Attorney General's office collects evidence in these rural locations. The preferred solution will need to accommodate the option of collecting evidence in an area with no internet connectivity (providing a receipt listing all items seized prior to departure from the search warrant location) and then later uploading or synchronizing the data to the system.