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HOW TO SELECT A QUALIFIED LOCATE SPECIALIST PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR

- Licenses and Certifications

In most states, private investigators and/or their agencies must be licensed. In Colorado, as of 07/01/2012, a new licensing program was enacted that makes licensure voluntary. Is your Colorado private investigator licensed? You can verify individual licensure online at <https://www.colorado.gov/dora/licensing/Lookup/LicenseLookup.aspx> and choose 'Private Investigators'. Like licensing, certifications require specific levels of education, training and experience. Not all investigators carry special certifications; however, certifications are an indication of ability and professional standing.

- Experience and Reputation

Ensure the agency and investigators have the education, training, skills and experience that are more likely to produce the results you expect and need. This will also ensure that their work-product will stand up to the scrutiny of any legal challenge.

Subject Matter Expertise should be considered. It is beneficial to seek and select investigators that have the respect and reputation amongst their peers to be selected to lecture, teach and author specifically on individual locates and related investigations.

- Reports and Affidavits

All investigations should be concluded with a written report issued to the client detailing the findings. In the event of further proceedings or legal challenge, the investigator must be willing to provide an affidavit detailing the process and investigative conclusions. The willingness, and ability to testify as a subject matter expert should also be considered.

- Return on Investigation

All investigations are investments. These must first be initially assessed by the client and investigator to determine, based upon their respective experiences, if the proposed assignment will likely be concluded with a positive Return on Investigation (ROI). The ROI is based upon the information provided, time and expenses, and results.

We hope you seriously consider our agency for your individual locate investigation assignments. Please use this information sheet to assist in evaluating any investigative resource under consideration by your agency.

With kindest regards, Associates in Forensic Investigations, LLC

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