

# Cops, Inc.

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## CONSENT, CONFIDENTIALITY & RELEASE OF LIABILITY FOR POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION

I, \_\_\_\_\_ am fully aware and understand that I am to be given a polygraph (lie detection) examination by Dan Seiler employed by Cops, Inc. I understand that the polygraph examination to be administered shall consist of three parts, pre-test, data collection and post-test interview. The complete examination will be recorded and this recording may **only** be used for test evaluation, APA certification and training purposes. The video recording will not be released to any other 3<sup>rd</sup> party for any reason unless approved by Dan Seiler in writing.

\_\_\_\_ I fully understand that polygraph examinations have an error rate. I understand that polygraph validation rate studies vary from better than chance to as high as 95% validity. Opinion errors can be made in the form of a false positive (saying someone is lying when they are not) or a false negative (saying someone is truthful when they are not). Although properly administered polygraph tests are better than chance, important decisions **should not** be made solely based on a polygraph examiner's opinion.

\_\_\_\_ I understand that the second part of my examination shall consist of data collection in the form of polygraph charts. This data is the primary reason for the opinion reached by the examiner. If in the soul opinion of this examiner if any physical or psychological countermeasures are employed by the examinee, it will be the opinion of this examiner that the test is inconclusive regardless of the chart data indication. Other relevant information may also have an impact on the examiner's opinion.

\_\_\_\_ I further understand that a written report of this examination will be the delivered if requested to the examinee and/or a designated representative via email. I further understand that there are inherent security risks using this method of report delivery. Cops, Inc. is very mindful of confidentiality and will take some reasonable measures to ensure security of all confidential information. However, the examinee shall hold Cops, Inc. and Danny Seiler harmless and free from any liability whatsoever for any and all inadvertent or malicious releases of confidential information to any third party.

\_\_\_\_ Having been fully advised of all the above and with the full knowledge and understanding thereof, I hereby voluntarily agree to take the polygraph examination. I acknowledge that no one has promised me anything to induce my participation in this testing. No one has coerced nor threatened me, nor used any form of duress to induce my participation. I understand that I am not legally required to consent to the administration of this examination. I further understand that I can stop the examination any time I desire.

\_\_\_\_ I hereby agree and fully release and discharge **Dan Seiler, Cops, Inc.** or any of their agents or employees from all claims and damages of every kind arising out of or attributed, directly or indirectly, to the administering of this polygraph examination. Cops, Inc. and Dan Seiler shall not be liable to me or my agents, employees, heirs, personal representatives, assigns or any other person claiming by, through or under me for any injury to me of any kind occasioned by or through the acts or omissions of Cops, Inc. or Dan Seiler. I hereby indemnify and hold harmless Cops, Inc. and Dan Seiler from all suits; actions, damages, liability and expense arising out of any occurrence connected directly or indirectly, with my polygraph examinations. If Cops, Inc. or Dan Seiler shall be made a party to any action commenced by or against me, I shall protect and hold them harmless and shall pay all costs, expenses, in reasonable attorney's fees.

\_\_\_\_ I am over the age of 18 years and can read and write English. I hereby designate \_\_\_\_\_ as my representative to receive all information, including professional opinions gathered from my polygraph examination.

\_\_\_\_ I understand that payment for this test in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ plus tax must be made before this test begins unless otherwise authorized by Cops, Inc. The amount paid is only for the examination and if requested a written report. Additional fees are required for any additional actions or requests from Cops, Inc. or Dan Seiler.

\_\_\_\_ I fully understand the contents of this consent and release. I understand and acknowledge that all of the matters set out herein have been fully explained to me and I fully understand each and every paragraph. I understand that by signing this agreement, I am acknowledging this agreement and its terms, consenting to the polygraph examination, released of examination results and I am releasing Cops, Inc. and Dan Seiler from any liability whatsoever that may arise from my examination or release of confidential information.

SIGNED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ Examinee Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_