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01 Inspectors' arrival

RECEPTION/FIRST TO GREET

- **Contact** your company's dawn-raid coordinator or a member of management immediately.
- **Ask** inspectors to wait in a separate room for the coordinator's/manager's arrival.
- **Confirm** to inspectors that management/coordinator is coming to meet them.
- **Do not refuse entry** if the inspectors insist on entering as obstruction is an offence.
- Cooperate with the insepctors at all times.

MANAGER/DAWN RAID CORRDINATOR/IN-HOUSE LEGAL

- Contact ALG immediately and they will arrive to assist as soon as possible.
- Provide details to ALG:
- » office location
- » which regulator
- » photos of inspectors' documentation
- Read inspectors' documentation to ensure its accuracy and identify the legal/factual subject-matter of the inspection (photograph/scan).
- **Ask** each investigator to confirm their identity and to provide their official IDs for you to take a copy/photo of each.
- **Record** how many investigators there are.
- **State any objections** to the inspectors' documentation but do not obstruct.
- Cooperate with the inspectors at all times.

02 Meeting rooms setup

- Allocate inspectors' meeting room where the inspectors will be based.
- Allocate business meeting room where the businesses response team/ALG will be based.

03 Office searches

- **Do not obstruct searches** by inspectors of offices.
- Cooperate with seizure of phones if inspectors request business/personal phones.
- **Shadow inspectors** using a member of the businesses response team.
- **Take detailed notes** of what is being searched for (names/dates/search terms/ questions asked)
- Copy/photograph documents documents reviewed/copied/taken by inspectors.

IT/document management

- **Provide IT assistance** the businesses IT specialist should assist the inspectors IT requests.
- **Take a business copy** ensure that a copy is made of all digital records that are taken by the inspectors.
- **Privact claim requests** request any documents that the business is claiming privacy over are kept separate from other electronic documents for resolution later.

O5 Privileged documentation (PD) -

- **Do not hand over PD** make it clear privileged documents will not be handed over.
- **Do not dispute/obstruct** if there is a disagreement about privilege/relevance of documents, do not obstruct.
- Request PDs stored seperately ask for the PDs to be put in a sealed envelope for resolution later.

06 Employee interviews

- Wait for interviews to answer inspectors questions (do not answer unless in a formal interview setting).
- Seek legal representation if none present.
- Seek assistance have internal or external counsel present at all interviews.
- Seek clarification if questions are unclear.
- Do not refuse to answer
- Take detailed notes of the interview.

07 Post inspection -

- Confirm the search is complete.
- **Do not tamper** with or remove seal.
- Copies have an exact replica copy of all the data/documents seized/copied by inspectors.
- **Ask** the investigators to sign a record of materials taken.
- Offical debrief debrief with the officials (to confirm they are satisfied with businesses cooperation).
- Company debrief debrief with facilitators and staff (to discuss next steps).
- **Store** copies of all documents which have been inspected, copied or retained by the inspectors.

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