



ENFSI vision

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Prüm data exchange

- Currently a number of challenges:
 - Only partially utilized by the MSs
 - Technical complexities and imperfections
 - Human resource constrains to handle hits
- The future:
 - Better awareness among the decision makers and end-users of the potential
 - Next Generation Prüm system

Education and training

- Better awareness on forensic services among end-users and decision makers
 - Awareness training required
- Better awareness on customer need among forensic experts and lab directors
 - Awareness training required
- Technical training of all involved parties from crime scene to court

Forensic Databases

- The potential of Pan-European forensic databases has been demonstrated
- Permanent home and EU funding needed
- Data protection regulations should be carefully examined and laws/regulations amended, if necessary

Quality management

- Importance of accreditation unquestionable
- More technical assessors needed
- Risk assessment of the new ISO17025 should be utilized
- Evaluative reporting should be applied, but not for every forensic discipline

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Implementation of EFSA2020 Action Plan continues, see letter from the EC received 9.10.2018 below:

I would therefore like to invite you, as a representative of ENFSI, to submit at the latest by 21 February 2019 (17.00 Brussels Local Time) a proposal for a project for ENFSI

Activities that can be funded include the development of pan-EU project(s) to implement the action plan of the Council conclusions and action plan of June 2016 on the way forward in view of the creation of an European Forensic Science Area (8770/16), in particular its actions 5 which relates to the accreditation of forensic laboratories, and its action 6 which relates to stimulating the exchange of forensics data via Prüm and improving its quality.

The maximum EU co-financing rate of the project is fixed at 95 % of its total costs. The maximum grant envisaged in the ISF Police Annual Work Programme 2018 for these activities is € 1 500 000.



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