

South St. Paul Police Department Portable Recoding System Biennial Audit Executive Summary October 10, 2024

At the request of the South St. Paul Police Department, LOGIS has conducted the biennial audit of the South St. Paul Police Department Portable Recording System pursuant to Minnesota Statute §13.825 Subd 9.

Minnesota Statute §13.825 data elements include:

- Data Classification
- Retention of Data
- Access by Data Subjects
- Inventory of Portable Recording System Technology
- Use of Agency-Issued Portable Recording Systems
- Authorization to Access Data
- Sharing Among Agencies
- Biennial Audit
- Notification to the BCA
- Portable Recoding System Vendor

After analysis of the statutory requirements and evaluation of South St. Paul Police Department's management and use of Portable Recording System (PRS) technology LOGIS has found the South St. Paul Police Department (SSPPD) has met the requirements for compliance with Minnesota Statute §13.825 based on the following findings:





Control #	Statute Subd	Control Objective	Testing Procedure	Testing Result
Item #1	§13.825 Subd 2	Data collected is classified per statute	Reviewed SSPPD Policy 802, 803, 419.6 for data classification	No discrepancies found.
			SSPPD Policy covers the process for classification of data when entered in the PRS	
			Reviewed Axon PRS data classification configurations	
Item #2	§13.825 Subd 3	Retention of data	Reviewed SSPPD Policy 802.2, 802.3, 419.10	No discrepancies found.
			Policy covers the process for retention of data based upon its classification	
			Data is retrained for a minimum of 180 days unless otherwise classified by statute	
			PRS is configured to retain data for specified periods based upon classification	
			Reviewed PRS configuration for data retention settings	





Item #3	§13.825 Subd 4	Access by data subjects	Reviewed SSPPD Policy 802.4 thru 802.7, 803.5	No discrepancies found.
			Policies cover the procedures for releasing data to subjects when request from the SSPPD	
Item #4	§13.825 Subd 5	Inventory of PRS technology	Custodian of Records Reviewed SSPPD Policy 419.4, 419.8, 419.10	No discrepancies found.
			SSPPD maintains an inventory of 44 active cameras, each camera is assigned to a unique member of the SSPPD Procedures for using the PRS is provided thru the SSPPD Field Training Program – Step 1 – Task 20 Department Computers and Office Machines	
			Reviewed PRS configuration for camera inventory and unique assignment to individuals	

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Item #5	§13.825 Subd 6	Use of agency- issued devices	Reviewed SSPPD Policy 419.9	No discrepancies found.
			SSPPD has a specific policy prohibiting	
			personal devices from	
			being worn by members and used for agency	
Item #6	§13.825 Subd 7	Authorization	purpose Reviewed SSPPD Policy	No discrepancies found.
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			SSPPD policy prohibits	
			access to data unless	
			there is a specific need to	
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Item #7	§13.825 Subd 8	Sharing among	Reviewed SSPPD Policy	No discrepancies found.
		agencies	803.3, 803.4, 803.5, 803.6	
			SSPPD Policies includes	
			guidance and procedures	
			for sharing data with	
			other agencies	
Item #8	§13.825 Subd 9	Biennial audit	Reviewed SSPPD Policy 419.8	No discrepancies found.
			SSPPD Policy indicates	
			that a biennial audit must	
			be done pursuant to MN	
			Statute §13.825	

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Item #9	§13.825 Subd 10	Notification to	Reviewed SSPPD Policy	No discrepancies found.	Ī
		the BCA	419.8		
			SSPPD Policy indicates		
			that BCA notification		
			must occur when new		
			equipment is purchased		
			that would expand the		
			departments use of PRS		
Item #10	13.825 Subd 11	PRS vendor	SSPPD has implemented	N/A	
			the Axon Body 4		
			operating system		
			v1.2432		

This executive summary is exclusively for the South St. Paul Police Department. The findings of the Portable Recoding Systems Audit are impartial and based on information and documentation provided by the South St. Paul Police Department and examined by LOGIS Information Security staff and management.

Local Government Information Systems (LOGIS) attested this audit on October 10, 2024:

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Respectfully submitted to the follow:

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