

**Maine Revised Statutes**  
**Title 32: PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS**  
**Chapter 86: POLYGRAPH EXAMINERS ACT**

**§7352. DEFINITIONS**

As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise indicates, the following terms have the following meanings. [2013, c. 316, §3 (NEW); 2013, c. 316, §5 (AFF).]

**1. Board.** "Board" means the Polygraph Examiners Advisory Board under section 7371.

[ 2013, c. 316, §3 (NEW); 2013, c. 316, §5 (AFF) .]

**2. Commissioner.** "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Public Safety.

[ 2013, c. 316, §3 (NEW); 2013, c. 316, §5 (AFF) .]

**2-A. Criminal justice agency.** "Criminal justice agency" has the same meaning as in Title 16, section 803, subsection 4.

[ 2015, c. 316, §1 (NEW) .]

**3. Department.** "Department" means the Department of Public Safety.

[ 2013, c. 316, §3 (NEW); 2013, c. 316, §5 (AFF) .]

**4. Instrument.** "Instrument" means a device used to test a subject to directly or indirectly detect deception or verify the truth of a statement by, at a minimum, recording visually, permanently and simultaneously a subject's cardiovascular, respiratory and electrodermal patterns.

[ 2013, c. 316, §3 (NEW); 2013, c. 316, §5 (AFF) .]

**5. Intern.** "Intern" means a person who holds a polygraph examiner intern license under this chapter.

[ 2013, c. 316, §3 (NEW); 2013, c. 316, §5 (AFF) .]

**5-A. Polygraph examination.** "Polygraph examination" means an examination conducted by a polygraph examiner that consists of a pre-test phase, an in-test phase and a post-test phase.

[ 2015, c. 316, §1 (NEW) .]

**6. Polygraph examiner.** "Polygraph examiner" means a person licensed under this chapter to use an instrument.

[ 2013, c. 316, §3 (NEW); 2013, c. 316, §5 (AFF) .]

**7. Polygraph examiner internship.** "Polygraph examiner internship" means a course of study of polygraph examinations and of the administration of polygraph examinations by an intern under the supervision and control of a polygraph examiner.

[ 2013, c. 316, §3 (NEW); 2013, c. 316, §5 (AFF) .]

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