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The Alaska Department of Law's Criminal Division (LAW) shares digital discovery items via NICE Justice ("NICE"). To access shared digital discovery items, please refer to the instructions herein.

I. Email Notifications

When evidence is shared in one of your cases, you will receive an email from <u>noreply-akdol@evidencentral.com</u>. If you have not received an expected email, please check your spam and/or trash folders. It is recommended that you add that email address to your trusted sender list in your email account. If you still have not received the expected email, please reach out to the District Attorney's Office.

II. Methods of Logging in

There are two methods to access shared discovery items:

- 1. You may visit <u>https://akdol-download.evidencentral.com/</u> ("URL") or select the link in the discovery share email, and login to the NICE portal with the email address associated with an account you registered to receive shares (please refer to the "Registered Users" section below); or
- 2. Input the unique passcode associated with this discovery share sent through a separate email by a LAW employee.

Once you have successfully logged in, you can view and/or download discovery on all evidence shares available through the NICE download portal, as seen here:

NICE - Investigate Downloads		🔜 English (US) 👻 🕪 Logout 🥝
	Your shares	
	Your shares This list contains items shared with your email address (email_address@your_account.com). You can access your shares by clicking on a share's name. Display expired shares	
	Share name 0 Shared from 0 Shared on ϕ Expires on 0 Shared items 0 Last viewed 0 Download	
	1 SVD000355 ADA Name / ncda Agency 12/31/1899 Expiration Date Expiration Time 2 Downloads (1) *	
	2 SVD000226 ADA Name / 11/31/1899 Expiration Date 3 Downloads (1) - ncda Agency 11.59.59 PM Expiration Time	



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III. Registered Users

Users are encouraged to register for the NICE share portal to obtain the maximum benefit offered by the system. Below you will find instructions for how to register and use the portal.

A. <u>Registering</u>

Follow these steps to register:

 To initiate a registration process, a LAW employee <u>must</u> send an initial share. The email will appear like the email shown below. To begin registering, click on the "link" option contained in the email.





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2. The link will route you to the page displayed below. Select "register."

NICE Investigate Download Portal

Login or register here to view your share links.	
Welcome to the Download Portal login and registration page. You shared item.	should have arrived at this page by clicking a URL link to a
Login If you have an account, please enter your login details below to view your shared link. Email	Register as a new user In order to use this service, you are required to have registered for an account. If you do not already have an account, please click the "Register" button below.
Password	Register
Forgot your password Login	

3. Follow the prompts (as illustrated below) to register. <u>The email address used</u> to register must be the same email address where you or your agency would <u>like discovery sent.</u> Select "register."





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4. Supply the registration code and select "submit." The code is sent to the email address that was used to register.

Email address verification required

Your account has been create	ed.	
We now need to verify access containing a unique code. Ple	s to your email account. We have sent ease enter that code below.	you an email
NOTE: The email may go into Inbox.	o your spam folder, please check this f	older as well as your
The code emailed to you is va	alid for 59 minutes, 2 seconds.	
Code		
protected by reCAPTCHA Privacy - Terma	2	
		Submit

5. Once submitted, this screen will appear. Select "here" to return to the login screen to access the discovery.

Success - Email address verified

Your registration has been validated successfully.

If you came to this page after pre-registering an account, your registration is now complete and you can safely close this browser window.

If you came to this page following a shared URL link, please click here to login and access the multimedia.



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B. <u>Using the Portal</u>

Registered users can login to the portal using the credentials used to register. Users who are not registered will need a unique passcode to access the shared evidence. The passcode is supplied by a LAW employee via a separate email.

Registered users can access the portal through the email notification or by logging in directly at the following web address: https://akdol-download.evidencentral.com and supplying the user's login credentials.

Registered users have access to all shares sent to that email address/account, including pertinent details about the shares, such as when the evidence was shared, how many items were shared, and whether the evidence has been downloaded.

Yo	our shares										
This You	list contains items can access your sh	sha area	red with your email address (angie kemp@ s by clicking on a share's name.	Dal	laska gov).						
Er	iter at least 1 chara	icter	(s) to search shares				٩			Dis	splay expired share
	Share name	¢	Shared from	¢	Shared on	Expires on	Shared items	0	Last viewed	¢	Download
1	SVD-20240703- 000001		Angie Kemp (angie kemp@alaska.gov) / AlaskaDoL		07/03/2024 9:03:32 AM	08/02/2024 11:59:59 PM	1		07/03/20 9:58:14 A	24 M	Downloads (1) •
2	SVD-20240624- 000004		Angie Kemp (angie kemp@alaska.gov) / AlaskaDoL		06/24/2024 3:35:18 PM	07/24/2024 11:59:59 PM	2		06/28/20 2:53:55 P	24 M	Downloads (1) •
3	SVD-20240621- 000001		Bethany Kaiser (bethany kaiser@alaska.gov) / AlaskaDoL		06/21/2024 9:26:09 AM	07/21/2024 11:59:59 PM	2		07/03/20 11:02:12	24 AM	Downloads (1) -
4	SVD-20240619-		Angie Kemp (angie kemp⊚alaska gov) /		06/19/2024	07/19/2024	1				Downloads (1) +

By selecting individual shares, users can view additional details about the share, such as what case the share relates to and whether the evidence was downloaded. At this screen, users have the option to download all evidence in the share by selecting the "downloads" option. An example is displayed below.

Shared cas	ses				
Evidence from one of	r more cases have been	shared with you by Bethany Kaiser	(bethany.kaiser@alaska.go	v) / AlaskaDoL o	n 6/21/2024 9:26 AM.
Message from share SOA V. Nice Test 4BE You can access this	r -21-00456CR: Discovery evidence until 7/21/202	r includes 2 video files. 4 11:59 PM after which it will no lor	iger be available.		
Case name	Evidence items	Last viewed online	Last downloaded	Size	Download
NICE Test Case	2	07/03/2024 11:02:12 AM	Never	50.4 MB	Downloads (1) -

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To access additional details about the evidence, select the case name. At this screen, each individual evidence item is listed, as well as options to preview the evidence by selecting "view."

Cas	se evidence file	s – NICE Test C	ase		
The fo	llowing evidence files have be	en shared with you by Bethany I	Kaiser (bethany.kaiser@a	laska.gov) / Alask	aDoL on 6/21/2024 9:26 AM.
You ca	an access these these files unt	il 7/21/2024 11:59 PM after wh	iich they will no longer be	available.	
	Evidence name	Media type	Size	View	Download
1	IMG_4072	Image	859 KB	View	Downloads (1) •
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Users who do not register will only have access to each individual share and must use a passcode to access the share.