

# A Computer Incident Response and Investigation Team.

## The CIRI Team™



### Offered Specifically to Law Firms and Companies Seeking Expert Assistance With:

- ◆ Computer Forensic Investigations
- ◆ Prosecution or Defense
- ◆ Civil or Criminal Cases and Settlement Activities
- ◆ Expert Opinion and Expert Witness Testimony
- ◆ E-Discovery: Evidence Handling, Control and Preservation
- ◆ Investigation of Computer-Involved Crimes Such as Theft of Intellectual Property, Theft or Alteration of Corporate Information, Unauthorized Access, and More
- ◆ Information Security Threat and Vulnerability Analysis And Solutions Implementation
- ◆ Comprehensive Background Investigations and Suspect Interviews by Former FBI and Other Federal Law Enforcement Agents.

## AN EXPERIENCED COMBINATION OF TECHNICAL AND INVESTIGATIVE COMPETENCIES SKILLED IN INTEGRATING WITH LEGAL COUNSEL TO ADDRESS COMPUTER CRIMES

- ◆ M2000/IS formed the CIRI Team™ specifically for use by law firms and companies with a need for an experienced Computer Incident Response and Investigation Team. The team consists of information security, forensic investigation, electronic evidence specialists and former federal law enforcement investigators.
- ◆ The CIRI Team™ assists by providing either a hands-on or an oversight role for first responder activities so that evidence is not lost or tainted and to assure that all evidence that can be obtained is properly captured, including information that has been (1) marked for deletion, (2) deleted, or (3) has been overwritten.
- ◆ In addition to its forensic investigative specialists, the CIRI Team™ includes former federal law enforcement officers who are experts in case investigations, suspect background investigations and in conducting comprehensive suspect interviews. As such, cases are worked in accordance with court and law-enforcement-based procedures and practices to maximize expert opinion and evidence admissibility.
- ◆ The CIRI Team™ assists its clients with development of case strategy as may be influenced by electronic evidence issues. The CIRI Team™ performs forensic investigations using law enforcement-based evidence gathering and chain of custody procedures with court approved forensic investigative electronic equipment. By working with counsel, our work is protected by the attorney work-product doctrine.
- ◆ In order to provide maximum evidence control, the forensic investigative specialist assigned to a case will typically be the same individual(s) providing expert opinion and testimony.
- ◆ The CIRI Team™ reviews evidence gathering procedures, findings, opinions and testimony of opposing counsel's computer forensic expert(s) and provides guidance for cross examination development.
- ◆ Our staff is accustomed to providing counsel with scenario-based options from which to make critical case decisions with the client.
- ◆ After the forensic investigative efforts, a separate team of M2000/IS InfoSec specialists can assist the client's IT department in identifying and correcting technical vulnerabilities involving their computer systems and personnel-based information security policies and procedures, with the intent of mitigating future risk and loss.

### M2000/IS

#### INFORMATION SECURITY

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**Pre-incident:** threat and vulnerability analysis supporting corporate governance, risk management and IT security

**Real-time:** incident response to mitigate loss and preserve evidence

**Post-incident:** forensic investigation and litigation support

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*The CIRI Team™ Integrates With In-House And Outside Counsel  
To Create Your Own Computer Incident Response And Investigation Team*