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It has been discovered that breath test reports reprinted from Georgia Model Intoxilyzer 9000 instruments in some instances may contain a single breath sample profile that is inconsistent with the breath profiles contained on the original breath test report. This inconsistency can occur if the instrument attempts to duplicate an existing file name during the storage of the breath profile image; however, all other information on reprinted reports, including the measured BrAC result, has been found to be consistent with the original breath test. Additionally, all elements of original breath test reports printed at the time of testing accurately reflect the breath test information.

Considering this, we recommend that any reprinted breath test report bearing software version 9406.05.00 be verified against an original printing prior to use. An original test can be identified by ensuring that the date and time in the "Printed On" field at the bottom of the report is consistent with the date listed in the top right corner of the report and the time given for the last "Air Blank". Note that these times may vary by as much as a few minutes.

The GBI -Division of Forensic Sciences is currently working with the manufacturer to update the software and correct this issue, however it may take several months to complete the implementation.

If there are any questions or concerns about the information covered in this bulletin, please contact the Implied Consent Section Manager, Chris Tilson at 404-270-8145 or Cleveland Miles at 404-270-8082 or Cleveland.miles@gbi.ga.gov.

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