

## CERTIFICATE IN DATA PROTECTION EXAMINATION SPECIFICATION:

### PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF DATA PROTECTION UNIT

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#### OBJECTIVE OF THE EXAMINATION

The objective of the examination is to ensure candidates have a knowledge of the regulations and legislation underpinning data protection.

The examination will test a candidate's knowledge and understanding of the following elements:

- Introduction to the Data Protection Culture
- Identification & Usage of Personal Data
- Implementing Affirmative Consent
- Ensuring the Rights of the Data Subject
- Dealing with Data Protection Breaches
- Role of the Data Protection Officer
- Interfacing with Data Protection Regulators

Please see: Examination specification on page 2.

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## EXAMINATION SPECIFICATION

The examination paper is constructed from a specification that determines the weightings that will be given to each element.

<b>Element</b>	<b>Element Name</b>	<b>Questions</b>
1	Introduction to the Data Protection Culture	5
2	Identification & Usage of Personal Data	8
3	Implementing Affirmative Consent	5
4	Ensuring the Rights of the Data Subject	8
5	Dealing with Data Protection Breaches	5
6	Role of the Data Protection Officer	4
7	Interfacing with Data Protection Regulators	5
<b>Total questions</b>		<b>40</b>

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## ASSESSMENT STRUCTURE

A 50-minute examination of 40 multiple choice questions.