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**ADISA's objective is to promote the business process of IT asset disposal as a critical part of an organisation's Data Protection strategy. We seek to do this through a rigorous certification schemes the first of which is for companies who provide ITAD services.**

ADISA is an accreditation body offering certification to companies who provide IT Asset Disposal services and, via the product testing and product assurance schemes for manufacturers and developers of software and hardware data sanitisation solutions. In the 10 years since our launch ADISA has undertaken over 500 audits in 17 countries and as a result of this experience we have an excellent perspective on the global trends within the ITAD industry.

The ADISA certification scheme is open to those companies who wish to operate their business to the very highest of standards and are willing to undertake regular scrutiny by an experienced auditing team.

The ADISA standard comprises of nine modules with a total of 133 Essential Criteria that MUST be passed to gain certification with over 50 further criteria which are classed as Highly Desirable. These extra marks are added to the overall score with members being certified as a Pass, Pass with Merit, Pass with Distinction or with a Pass with Distinction with Honours which is the highest award ADISA can give with currently only a handful of members achieving this.

The ADISA Standard has been formally recognised by DIPCOG, UK MoD and NCSC's Committees, and is listed on the National Cyber Security Centre's own guidelines as an accreditation to be considered by companies when disposing of their assets.

ADISA is the only entity worldwide that is approving software overwriting tools for use on Solid State Drives and broader flash media. This is undertaken at the ADISA research centre (ARC) in Cowbridge, South Wales which is run by one of the world's leading IT forensics experts – Dr. Andrew Blyth.



**Steve Mellings**  
**Founder**

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Listed on official guidance



## **ADISA Member – PRM Green Technologies**

**Certified Location:** Unit 16A Watling Street Business Park, Cannock, Staffordshire,  
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ADISA members agree to being subjected to regular (Full) audits at least once every three years but also undergo completely unannounced surveillance and forensic audits at least twice a year. The

ADISA auditor arrives on the members site with no prior warning and carries out checks on operational compliance with the ADISA standard and also checks, via the forensic testing process, a random selection of ten or more data carrying devices forensically checking them to ensure data has been removed. Only when these checks are passed does the member retain their certification.

Unlike some other schemes, ADISA members only remain on the scheme if they maintain their compliance with the Standard with organisations being removed or suspended until such a point that their business returns to a compliant position. ADISA's view is that where data security is concerned, we cannot afford to permit organisations to work towards compliance whilst holding the title of "ADISA Certified". As a result, the ADISA membership works extremely hard to meet this robust approach to maintaining their certified status

### **Audit History**

ADISA members since December 2019, PRM are certified with Distinction and have undergone the following audit schedule since joining

Audit Date	Audit Type	Result
Thursday 8th October 2020	Forensic Audit	Pass
Thursday 18th February 2020	Full Audit to Transition over to the new ADISA Standard 7.0	Pass with Distinction
Tuesday December 10th 2019	Gateway Audit	Pass with Distinction





## CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

CERTIFICATE NUMBER: AAC0108



This is to certify

# PRM Green Technologies Ltd

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Has achieved

## Distinction in compliance with the ADISA IT Asset Recovery Standard v7.0

For and on behalf of ADISA

Steve Mellings – Founder

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CERTIFIED SINCE  
December 2019

VALID UNTIL  
December 2021

## **Forensic Audits**

The forensic checks follow the following guidelines:

### **Testing of Hard and Solid-State Drives**

This is a forensic level attack using COTS products to replicate a professional level of threat.

Each drive selected is connected to a computer via a forensic write-blocker. The role and function of the write-blocker is to ensure that:

- a) No data was written back to the hard-drive when the hard-drive was powered up and connected to the ATA command bus,
- b) The drive at all times, when connected to the ATA command bus, remains in a stable state.

Once the hard-drive had been powered up, a forensic analysis of the hard-drive is performed using FTK. This analysis allows us to identify if data is present on the hard drive.

### **Testing of Smart Phones Procedure**

This is a keyboard level attack to replicate a user level of threat. The auditor follows this process:

Identify the IMEI either by physically checking on battery cover (if appropriate) or powering the device up.

Power up phone and see if any previous data is present by the following:

- Check Phone Directory
- Check Browsing History
- Check text
- Check for Third Party Apps

### **Testing of Networking Equipment Procedure**

This is a proficient user level attack to replicate a professional level of threat.

- Switch on device and connect it via a terminal connection
- Log onto the networking equipment using manufacturers' standard network username and password.

(This is to be found via internet search).

- Examination of config files to confirm factory reset.



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Number of devices  
forensically tested  
**30**

Number  
of Audits  
**3**

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