

IBIA Releases New Policy Paper Following Enactment of the Rapid DNA Act of 2017

WASHINGTON, DC / ACCESSWIRE / September 25, 2017 / On the heels of the President's recent signing of the Rapid DNA Act, the International Biometrics + Identity Association (IBIA) released its latest [policy paper](#), "The Emergence of Rapid DNA Technology," on Tuesday, September 12th.

"Rapid DNA is an impressive advancement," said Tovah LaDier, Managing Director of IBIA. "It merges the power of DNA analysis - with its unique ability to infer familial connections - with speed, delivering results in as little as 90 minutes, while also significantly reducing the cost of DNA analysis and large backlogs. This combination has the potential to be a game-changer, with applications in a range of law enforcement, security, and humanitarian scenarios."

IBIA would like to thank the Rapid DNA companies (cited in the paper's appendix) that allowed IBIA to use their materials in preparing this paper. We encourage anyone with an interest in learning more about this important technology to read the paper.

About the International Biometrics + Identity Association (IBIA):

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