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Attorney General Jeff Sessions Announces New Initiatives to Advance Forensic Science and Help Counter the Rise in Violent Crime

As part of the Department's efforts under the Task Force on Crime Reduction and Public Safety (Task Force), Attorney General Jeff Sessions today announced a series of actions the Department will take to advance forensic science and help combat the rise in violent crime.

These actions are being undertaken on the expiration of the National Commission on Forensic Science (NCFS) and will increase the capacity of forensic science providers, improve the reliability of forensic analysis, and permit reporting of forensic results with greater specificity. The Task Force's Subcommittee on Forensics will spearhead the development of that strategic plan.

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The National Commission on Forensic Science meeting will be held April 10-11, 2017 in Washington, DC. The meeting will be open to the public and webcast. President Ruslander will be speaking on Tuesday April 11th.

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