Appendix G—Sample "Certificate of Sanitization" Form

This certificate is simply an example to demonstrate the types of information that should be collected and how a certificate might be formatted. An organization could alternatively choose to electronically record sanitization details, either through a native application or by using a form such as this one with an automated data transfer utility (such as a PDF form with a button to send the data to a database or email address). In the event that the records need to be referenced in the future, electronic records will likely provide the fastest search capabilities and best likelihood that the records are reliably retained.

CERTIFICATE OF SANITIZATION			
PERSON PERFORMING SANITIZATION			
Name:		Title:	
Organization:	Location:		Phone:
MEDIA INFORMATION			
Make/ Vendor: Model Number:			
Serial Number:			
Media Property Number:			
Media Type: Source (ie user name or PC property number):			
Classification: Data Backed Up: 🗌 Yes 🔲 No 🔲 Unknown			
Backup Location:			
SANITIZATION DETAILS			
Method Type: ☐ Clear ☐ Purge ☐ Damage ☐ Destruct			
Method Used: ☐ Degauss ☐ Overwrite ☐ Block Erase ☐ Crypto Erase ☐ Other:			
Method Details:			
Tool Used (include version):			
Verification Method: ☐ Full ☐ Quick Sampling ☐ Other:			
Post Sanitization Classification:			
Notes:			
MEDIA DESTINATION			
☐ Internal Reuse ☐ External Reuse ☐ Recycling Facility ☐ Manufacturer ☐ Other (specify in details area)			
Details:			
SIGNATURE			
I attest that the information provided on this statement is accurate to the best of my knowledge.			
Signature:			Date:
VALIDATION			
Name: Title:		Title:	
Organization:	Location:		Phone:
Signature:		Date:	