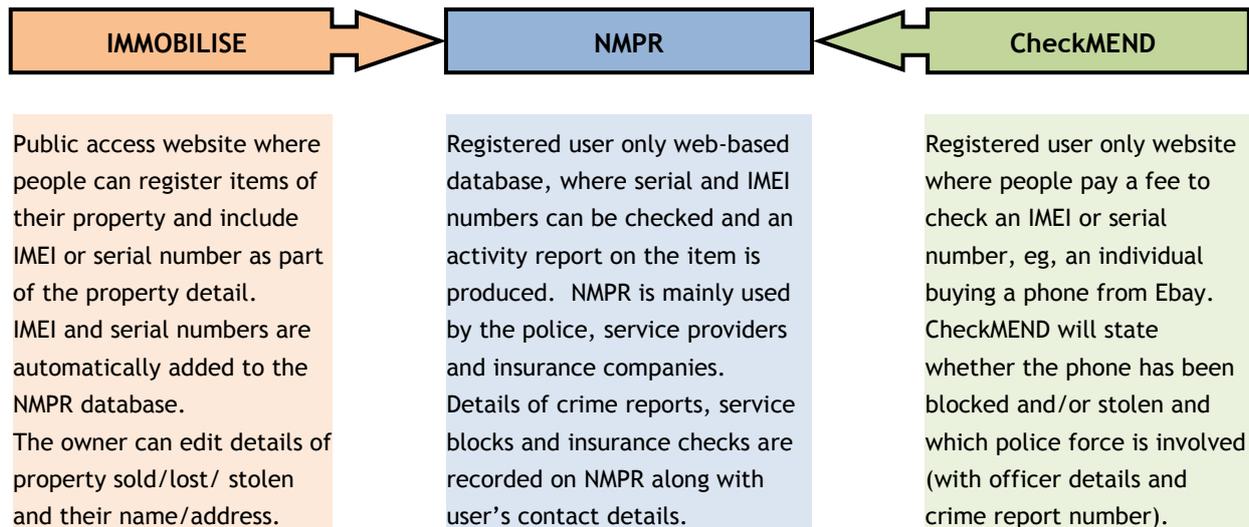


IMMOBILISE - WHAT IS IT?

Immobilise is a web-based national asset registration scheme, where anyone can create their own account and add details of property, along with photos and other useful information (such as crime number or if item has been sold).

Immobilise is just one part of a much bigger database called NMPR (National Mobile Property Register).

There are 3 parts to the NMPR:



IMMOBILISE - WHY IS IT SO IMPORTANT?

The NMPR is a valuable investigation tool for the police. It helps to establish whether property was stolen in another policing area, if it has been presented for second-hand sale, who the real owner is (if they are registered with Immobilise), if any blocks have been placed on the property and if an insurance company is investigating a claim.

However, a database with no data is no use to anyone. This is why we need to increase the number of registrations on Immobilise.

There are 2 ways to register with Immobilise: online application on the website, or completion of a form which is then processed by Bedfordshire Police and sent to Immobilise (form attached).

Once registered with Immobilise, any item of property is immediately traceable on NMPR. This closes the window of opportunity for an offender to sell the stolen property before the crime is reported and the crime report details are uploaded to NMPR. In effect, it means your property is on the NMPR before any crime happens.

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