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The three levels of DBS check are Basic, Standard and Enhanced. A Basic check shows unspent convictions only. A Standard check shows both spent and unspent convictions, cautions, reprimands and warnings. An Enhanced check includes everything in a Standard check plus any additional information held by local police that's reasonably considered relevant to the role.