Subject: Exchange Email and Remote Wiping

The ASD has no policy for remotely wiping a persons device and would never do so without the express consent and knowledge of the owner of the device. However it will assist you in remotely wiping your device if you should ever find yourself in need for example if your phone was stolen. You are the only person who can wipe your device through this capability.

In any case ...

Any device with ActiveSync technology can directly access Exchange and fully utilize its services. These devices include Android/Apple/Windows based phones/tablets/handhelds/computers etc. Blackberries are also able to access your Exchange email but that has to be setup through your cellular service provider.

In case you're interested when you connect your device to Exchange it is automatically registered with Exchange and will allow you to recover your password if you lose it or remotely wipe your device if it is lost or stolen.

In webmail, simply go to options and then mobile devices as illustrated in the below screenshot. If you have synced your device with Exchange then your device will appear in this list. I have confirmed the remote wipe functionality on a iPod Touch, iPad, Windows Mobile, and Android devices.

REMEMBER IF YOU REMOTELY WIPE YOUR DEVICE – ALL INFORMATION / SETTINGS AND DEPENDING ON THE DEVICE APPLICATIONS WILL BE REMOVED AND THE DEVICE WILL BE RESET TO FACTORY DEFAULTS. DO NOT ATTEMPT THIS UNLESS YOU HAVE A BACKUP OF YOUR DEVICE

