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The Effective Management of Safety & Security Risk Control Systems

Effective Corporate Governance no longer only entails best business practice to ensure maximum profitability, combined with service excellence and product quality; it now also involves the protection of Intellectual Property, asset protection and the Safety and Security of one of its major components namely Management and Staff.

It is a known fact that Companies and their personnel are being targeted by organized criminal syndicates and groupings with industrial espionage, white collar crime, fraud and corruption, extortion and even the kidnapping of executive personnel and their immediate families, as elements of their modus operandi. Major role-players in the South African Security Industry are advocating the implementation of Integrated Safety & Security Risk Control Systems. In general terms this means integrating Physical Security Systems with Electronic Security Systems.

Theoretically this is an excellent solution but unfortunately fails in practice, the reason being that Security Service Providers are generally proficient in specific areas and not over the whole spectrum. A good Guarding Company is not necessarily a good CCTV/Monitoring Company and vice versa.

Clients are presented with a “one stop shop” solution which is good for accounting purposes but fails in quality of service provision. Human failure is largely responsible for criminal access to Company assets and personnel. It does not help that CCTV Monitoring is done by the same Company providing the Physical Guarding Service, as they will only cover up deficiencies and poor quality of service provision. An independent “Big Brother” monitoring and auditing concept is far more effective in ensuring quality of service by Security Service Providers. The main problem with all Security Provision and Systems is the effective management thereof.

The successful implementation and maintenance of an Integrated Safety & Security Risk Control System is reliant on the effective management and regular auditing thereof.

Advanced Corporate Solutions, as independent Safety & Security Specialist, believe that to achieve effective management, Companies should employ the services of a Safety & Security Intelligence Care Manager to ensure best practice by Security Service Providers.

This furthermore entails utilizing Electronic Counter – Measures programs, profiling, vetting and screening of employees, applicants, contractors and sub-contractors to ensure that the Company and its Executive are not dealing with criminal elements. This approach will assist clients to reduce crime and losses due to criminal activity in their Companies.

Advanced Corporate Solutions and our Associates are Specialists in the providing of Crime Prevention Strategies and Business Intelligence to Corporate Clients and selected Individuals. We are continuously involved in Research and Development both locally and internationally, to set the benchmark in our field of expertise. Currently we are the only independent Company in Southern Africa providing this unique service to clients.



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