Recent and continuing attacks in the U.S. and abroad in the form of explosive devices and mass shootings have resulted in horrific casualties and significant damage to buildings, property, infrastructure, and business operations. To help prevent or limit catastrophic harm, financial exposure, and civil liability, it is prudent for businesses, institutions, and property owners and managers to assess vulnerabilities and put in place protections and procedures that mitigate these risks.

At a minimum, affected stakeholders should determine if following The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) practices, standards, and protocols provides sufficient risk assessment and mitigation guidance for liability and insurance purposes. Alternatively, utilizing expert resources to conduct a detailed, customized assessment and mitigation plan may be in order.

Limiting the Risk of Catastrophic Harm and Civil Liability Exposure

Northeast Intelligence Group’s (NEIG) team of former federal agents and prosecutors, attorneys, forensic accountants, and cyber investigators provides comprehensive advisory services that include threat and vulnerability assessment, protection recommendations and risk mitigation planning, and execution support. Incorporating DHS and FEMA standards and protocols, together with our proprietary threat assessment methodology, NEIG’s five-step risk and vulnerability assessment includes:

1. **Threat Assessment**: Identifies the potential threats or hazards
2. **Asset Value Assessment**: Determines the value of the assets at risk
3. **Vulnerability Assessment**: Identifies potential vulnerabilities of critical assets
4. **Risk Assessment**: Combines the threat, asset value, and vulnerability assessments and determines the risk level for each critical asset
   (i.e., the probability of the threat occurring and the consequences of the occurrence.)
5. **Mitigation Options**: Provides alternatives to enhance security and manage risk

The result is a clear understanding of the potential threats and vulnerabilities to affected stakeholders, a plan to manage the risk of physical harm, loss of life, financial exposure, and civil liability, and an improved capacity for resiliency to recover in the event of an attack.

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Northeast Intelligence Group, Inc. (NEIG) is a corporate investigations and security risk consulting firm. Founded in 1975, NEIG is among a family of companies that together employ more than 1,000 risk, security, and investigative professionals. Our clients come from a wide range of industries and services, including Fortune 1000 companies, education and healthcare institutions, commercial property owners and managers, and law firms.

NEIG's teams of former federal agents and prosecutors, attorneys, certified public accountants and forensic accountants, and cyber investigators combine world-class training and investigative experience with advanced surveillance technology and well-established law enforcement relationships at all levels of government to assist clients and their counsel in making informed business and security risk management decisions.

NEIG’s specialty areas include:

- Attack Vulnerability Assessment and Risk Mitigation Planning
- Corporate Internal Investigations
- Regulatory Investigations
- Cyber Investigations and Security
- Workplace Misconduct Investigations
- Litigation Support
- Executive Protection

NEIG can assign a small team of highly skilled investigators or deploy an entire task force of seasoned professionals. With a national presence and global reach, our professional teams gather facts, analyze intelligence, and deliver solutions virtually anywhere in the world.

NEIG is led by Jeffrey P. Horblit, an experienced litigation attorney, former Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), and New York City prosecutor, with more than 20 years of legal and investigative experience. Mr. Horblit is a recognized global expert and speaker on investigative strategies and crime scene management, and has been interviewed and frequently quoted by many national and international news organizations and publications, including the Associated Press, BBC, Sky News, FOX News, National Public Radio (NPR), Banker and Tradesman, Huffington Post, National Journal Magazine, Australian Broadcasting Company, and many others.

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