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DISS UPDATES

Happy 2023! Now that everyone is familiar with DISS and using it for personnel security, it will be retired...yeah you read that right!

DCSA continues to undergo a planned migration from DISS to NBIS (National Background Investigation Services).

More information can be found on the DCSA website - [click here](#). We are helping clients gain access and manage data in NBIS to prepare for this transition. Contact us to learn more.

ABOUT FSO-SERVICES

Our services are centered around proven policies, procedures and training that deliver compliance with government security requirements.

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SELF-INSPECTION PLANNING

Self-inspections are an annual requirement for cleared companies. The latest self-inspection template includes new items for SEAD-3 and other recent changes made by DCSA and NISPOM. If you are conducting thorough self-inspections, you have nothing to be concerned with during your next DCSA audit. Plan the time required to review all items that are part of the self-inspection handbook.

WHAT TO EXPECT WHEN SUBMITTING EMPLOYEES FOR CLEARANCE

Clients ask us frequently how long it will take to get someone cleared. The answer is...that all depends! What is clear is the process: 1. Collect fingerprints, 2. Initiate application, 3. Employee completes the application, 4. DCSA determines eligibility. This can take several weeks and sometimes months. We help clients plan and streamline their processes to get the best results. Ask us how.



DAVID TOUCHTON FEATURED ON FOURBLOCK

It's a new year and we are excited to announce that our Founder, David Touchton, shares his career as a veteran, the challenges he faced and the skills he gained that allowed him to build FSD-Services, a company that helps defense contractors maintain compliance and sound security practices. He also talks about the FSD mentoring program that is in the works! Tune in to the upcoming FourBlock Podcast series, which examines veteran career transitions and veteran hiring. Stay Tuned for more info!