

SPECIAL SECURITY DEFENCE SERVICES FZ LLE
SPECIALISED RISK & CRISIS MANAGEMENT

SERVICE SUPPORT CAPABILITIES FOR
POLITICAL /NGO ENTITIES &
ALL COMMERCIAL COMPANIES

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Opening statement:

The world we live in is rapidly changing, countries ignoring international borders, countries in conflict, power hungry dictators, new and affiliated insurgent/criminal groups with new and potentially dangerous threats emerging threatening the companies/ organizations operating and supporting development in these countries. With safety and security concerns international companies must adapt to these threats to ensure the safety of their personnel, security of their assets and facilities. Security & safety issues have dramatically increased in recent years in countries and regions we operate and conduct business in , countries in the Middle East – [The Arab Spring] throughout Africa where the energy sector is expanding extensively and South America.

Over the last ten years the escalation of countries in conflict and countries with social unrest issues have prompted international companies operating in remote and challenging environments to seek and implement more integrated and diverse risk & crisis management services .

Known risks or potential risk when operating or conducting business in developing or challenging environments should never be ignored and cannot be fully eliminated, but can be assessed and minimized or even controlled efficiently and effectively by implementing correct and effective risk management solutions specific to the country/environment of interest.



Company information:

SSDS risk management is a privately owned UK / UAE based consultancy with a recently opened regional office situated in Kenya (East Africa) licensed to provide a full range of national & international risk / crisis management services. SSDS is a full service company offering and providing a comprehensive and diverse range of risk & crisis management solutions and consultancy specialising in risk identification, mitigation and management supported by realistic effective solutions specifically tailored to the environment you are operating or conducting business in.

Our expat management team are supported by multinational personnel specifically chosen from a verity of backgrounds for their individual specialised fields of expertise with extensive experience in different environments and cultural awareness, so whenever SSDS risk management provide support services to a company operating in a remote location with difficult circumstances SSDS can provide realistic tailored solutions led by location experienced consultants.

All SSDS risk management personnel are highly qualified ,operationally proven and are hand chosen for specific projects depending on the location and project requirements .



The risk & crisis management services we provide are innovative and directly focussed on the specific requirements of our clients through six divisions:

- Consultancy
- Management
- Operations
- Intelligence
- Technical Services
- Training

Combined with the extensive knowledge , capabilities and experience of our personnel allows us to provide the highest quality advise & realistic solutions to our clients.

All SSDS risk management activities are conducted with the highest degree of professionalism, discretion, integrity and client confidentiality , and within the framework of national and international law.



SSDS Energy Support Services include but not limited to:

- Consultancy and advisory services
- Crisis management and contingency planning
- UAV Emergency and disaster damage assessments
- UAV Security (surveillance, criminal interaction & counter-insurgency detection /monitoring)
- UAV Emergency and disaster response / Search and rescue
- Country Intelligence
- Feasibility surveys
- Risk Assessment and analysis
- Equipment Logistical support
- Asset and key personal tracking
- Electronic security capabilities
- Physical manned security / Expat & Local
- Personal close protection
- Medical & security evacuation support services
- Training & specialist applications for energy company personnel operating in remote and challenging environments
- HSE / QHSE services
- Procurement services
- Insurance related security services
- Kidnap & Hijacking negotiation service





Risk & Crisis Management Consultancy



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Equipment Transport, Security & logistics



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Equipment Tracking & Auditing



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Facility Crisis Management & Contingency Planning



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Manned & Electronic Compound Security



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Equipment and Asset Protection



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M E D I C A L

First Response - Patient Transport - Evacuation



R E S C U E

Search & Rescue - Extraction - Recovery



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A chosen few case studies for review:

- As clearly shown on the SSDS website we provide our clients with a wide range of solutions to cover all planned operations/projects and unexpected & unforeseen situations:
- Guinea Bissau: Personnel security & equipment evacuation project.
- Guinea Bissau: Ministerial protection to Guinea Bissau Government Ministers in country and while visiting the UAE.
- Ghana West Africa Oilfield Base: Security & operational risk assessment - recommendations and contingency system Implementation including country personnel and security guard training.
- South America Ecuador & Brazil Oilfield Bases: New Base facility & country profiling, security & operational risk assessment and contingency system Implementation:
- Yemen Middle East oilfield Base: Security & operational risk assessment and recommendations, new contingency system Implementation:
- Iraq Middle East: Security project providing advisory and security services into South and Central Iraq, protection of oilfield workers and intelligence.



A chosen few case studies for review continued:

- Tunisia North Africa: Complete logistical, HSE and security support to a major gas drilling operation.
- Libya North Africa: Full equipment extraction feasibility surveys carried out at the beginning of the conflict through to the end in Libya for two global oilfield companies, and one entry survey carried out for a global telecommunication company.
- H H Sheikh Khalifah Project UAE: SSDS provides risk management and maritime solutions to his highness Sheikh Khalifah's personal super yacht Moonlight 2.
- Mali West Africa Conflict Zone: SSDS provide specialist Media protection and logistical support to war correspondents operating in conflict regions.
- Afghanistan Conflict Zone: New base facility threat assessment & regional feasibility survey. security & operational risk assessments and contingency / emergency evacuation procedures drawn up for a global mobile telecommunication company.
- Afghanistan Conflict Zone: On-going operational contract providing personnel protection, in-house training, daily intelligence, and full operational & logistical support to a global telecommunication company operating in Afghanistan.



Why choose SSDS Risk & Crisis Management:

SSDS is not just a global risk & crisis management company; we are a consultancy, intelligence and security provider that can assist commercial companies operating in remote and difficult locations with implementation of security policy & procedures. We have the ability to provide logistical and operational support to a wide range of clients the main sector being Commercial. SSDS achieve results through extensive experience and a comprehensive range of operational abilities. Our established network of dedicated specialists provide our clients with realistic, efficient and cost effective tailored solutions

In today's world risk appears in a variety of complex and continuously evolving forms with very few situations ever the same. The escalating risk to commercial companies operating in Africa & other challenging regions has increased dramatically in recent years as we have all witnessed in Algeria, Nigeria, Tunis, Libya, Kenya, Uganda, DRC, Libya, Syria, Egypt, Somalia, Yemen, Mexico, Tanzania . The list is endless. Bare in mind as development increases within countries in conflict, war-torn and challenging environments so the criminality increases and risk to your personnel and assets.

Establishing and maintaining a secure environment in conflict, post conflict, challenging and ethnically diverse countries for sustainable development is increasingly more difficult as media networks become increasingly interconnected and data flows ever more freely insurgent and criminal elements are connected and well informed with the ability to plan and communicate freely. With this ability insurgent and criminal groups are operating almost on a level standing with international companies and their risk mitigation methods.



In the commercial world, previously accepted risk identification and mitigation methods used by international companies operating in conflict, post conflict and ethnically diverse countries is no longer feasible, Therefore it is imperative companies and the decision makers / security managers develop and implement specific to your project a diverse and pre-emptive range of risk & crisis management measures that provide adequate protection to companies personnel and assets.

SSDS Risk & Crisis Management personnel will always operate one step ahead providing the services required by integrating affective solutions that can be quickly implemented minimizing the areas of vulnerability in your business or operation. We can operate within your company risk management system or independently to develop and implement a multi-phase risk and crisis management plan integrating physical security measures backed up with electronic measures and contingency planning.

This allows you to fulfilling your objectives without interference, safe in the knowledge that if a potential threat is detected or a situation arises affecting your business or operation it will be addressed correctly, and effectively.



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