Managed & Optimized Security Services

Meeting your security objectives, budget and compliance needs



Summary: CCSS has experience working with 40+ licensed cannabis businesses throughout the State of California. Based upon CCSS' direct experience, most cannabis businesses today operate with broken security models. They are: (A) very expensive; (B) operating as a disconnected patchwork of stand-alone services and capabilities; (C) non-compliant; (D) managed by personnel inexperienced with security matters, and; (E) easily breached. They also have essentially no risk management plans or programs.

Problem Examples:

- 1. Expensive, unreliable guard services
- Limited coverage, not functioning, unreliable, or non-existing video monitoring systems
- **3.** Limited or time consuming security camera monitoring performed by cannabis staff personnel
- **4.** Conflicting objectives and needs between multi-tenant facility owners and individual cannabis tenants
- **5.** Nonexistent and/or broken security processes, stanndard operating procedures (SOPs)
- **6.** Facility physical vulnerabilities, blind spots, non-compliant with security plans, building code violations
- 7. Security breaches enabled by security personnel, employees, vendors

- Security operations non-compliant with state and local regulations
- Poor relationships with law enforcement, regulators, municipalities
- 10. Cannabis operators, inexperienced & untrained in security, acting as security professionals
- 11. Products/systems implemented based upon a commissioned sales person recommendation versus an experienced security professional
- 12. Vendor agreements with minimal to zero liability for non-performance, security breaches, limited/no insurance coverage
- 13. Frequent false alarms, costly fines
- **14.** Insurance: non-compliant with security requirements, coverage gaps/exposures, very expensive, policy cancellations

Consequences: (A) very expensive; (B) high risk of breaches; (C) significant inefficiencies/lost time; (D) limited /no recourse against vendors or service providers for non-performance, damages, breaches; (E) disconnected/non-existent risk management, resulting in non-compliances, more liability, higher insurance costs, very limited insurance claim recoveries; (F) potential personal liability for key stakeholders, and; (G) at risk for negligent security and premises liability

Solution:

Engage a dedicated security services company to: (1) act as a "general contractor" and "one throat to choke"; (2) provide 24/7/365 Managed & Optimized Security Services ("MOSS"), including third-party services; (3) manage and optimize services into an effective security program with material monthly savings, and; (4) make independent recommendations re: services and products

Client **Example:**

Expanded coverage ~200% (24/7/365); monthly savings ~20% compared to guard, other services

MOSS Customizable & Core Services

Patrol Services Guard Services Customizable Services: **Monitoring Services** Risk Management **Drone Services Consulting Services**

Core Services:

Discovery - objectives, use cases, scope, budget, recommendations, plan, insurance, etc.

Setup & Onboarding - service providers, equipment, testing, training, other

Program Management - prime contractor responsible for: third-party vendor management (ops, service levels, billing, invoicing, credits, admin); processes; management reporting; liaison with law enforcement and regulators; service level/system audits; other

Incident Management – incident response, communication/reporting, vendor action plans, backto-business plan, insurance liaison/adjuster/claims process, post-mortem

Reporting & Alerting - management, incident reporting; immediate alerting of all stakeholders