FUZE SAFETY STANDARDS: SECRETS FOR SUCCESS

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Who writes the Fuze Safety Standards?

NATO AC326 SubGroup 2 (Fuze & Initiation Systems) DoD Fuze Engineering Standardization Working Group

Comments from USA Industry Who Evaluates Compliance to the Fuze Safety Standards?

- Army Fuze Safety Review Board (AFSRB)
- Navy Fuze & Initiation Systems Technical Review Panel (FISTRP)
- Air Force Nonnuclear Munitions Safety Board (NNMSB)
- Joint Services Fuze Safety Review Board

Three Secrets for Success

SECRET #1: GET TO KNOW THE SECRETARY OF THE SAFETY BOARD

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SECRET #2: STAY IN YOUR SEAT. DO NOT MOVE! REMAIN CALM. KEEP YOUR COOL.

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SECRET #3: WATCH THE FOLLOWING TWO PRESENTATIONS BY MEMBERS OF THE DoD FESWG. BUT DON'T JUST SIT THERE; ASK THEM "WHERE CAN I GET A COPY OR YOUR DOCUMENT, PLEASE?"

Summary

- Ongoing Joint Services fuze safety review board process has yielded some growing pains.
- The DoD FESWG is providing additional fuze safety guidelines to ease the pain for the safety authorities, project teams, and contractors.
- The DoD FESWG's goal is to have everyone reading from the same sheet of music.
- If you follow the secrets for success provided herein, you have a great chance of being in harmony with the fuze safety authorities.