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# Defense Security Service DIB CIP Information Sharing Panel

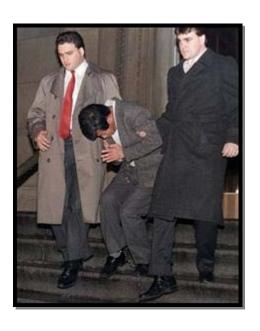
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### **DSS Counterintelligence Mission**

Identify unlawful penetrators of cleared U.S. defense industry and articulate the threat for industry and U.S. government leaders







#### The Challenge

- DSS responsibility: 8.5K Cleared Defense Contractors (includes 13K facilities)
  - + 24 other agencies
- DSS has approximately 900 FTEs
- DSS CI is authorized 87 FTEs (138 on board)
- DSS supports many Cleared CIP Assets
- Demand for threat information DSS CI Support is going through the roof
- Industrial Age capability w/ Info Age challenge
- Secure comm link between DSS & Industry weak



#### **DSS Support to Cleared CIP**

- Support in past 12 months to Cleared CIP
  - Multiple fed ops/investigations at DIB Critical Assets
  - DSS tailored threat products for 63% of CIP facilities
  - 100+ IIRs
- DSS CI providing quality feedback/threat info to industry:
  - Feedback on Suspicious Contact Reports
  - Gray Torch Classified Company Assessments
  - Bronze Dragon Classified Program Assessments
  - •Threat Info: Annual "Trends," Crimson Shield, Scarlett Sentinel, Threat Advisories, etc
  - Training "Thwarting the Enemy WBT"
- Collaborating w/ DHS to provide FOUO via HSIN



- Industry Threat Professionals should:
  - •Field skilled threat professionals who know...
    - Threat environment, who poses a threat and reasons if there is no threat reporting
    - Info/technology likely threatened & vulnerabilities
    - How to work the risk equation w/ agility
      - Risk = (Threat + Vulnerability) x Consequence
- DSS CI should:
  - Field a cadre of threat and analysis professionals to assist Industry through action and publications
  - Work the secure communications link issue



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