

PROTECTING THE WARFIGHTER

DCIS is actively engaged in Protecting America's Warfighters by investigating the theft, diversion, and proliferation of sensitive military technologies. Technology protection is one of the investigative priorities for DCIS, which also include major procurement fraud, public corruption, health care fraud, computer intrusions of the Global Information Grid, and other cybercrime.



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To report
fraud, waste and abuse,
contact the
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TECHNOLOGY PROTECTION

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MISSION

The global mission of the Defense Criminal Investigative Service is to conduct highly relevant, objective, professional investigations of matters critical to DoW property, programs, and operations that provide for our national security with emphasis on life, safety, and readiness.



POSSIBLE INDICATORS

DoW personnel, including contractors, military, and civilians should report suspicious activity.

Warning signs could include:

- Customer pays in cash.
- Products sought are inconsistent with the buyer's line of business.
- Shipping route is abnormal for the product and destination.
- Purchaser is reluctant to provide end user information.
- Customer declines service contracts, warranties, and installation on complex equipment.
- Packaging is inconsistent with shipping mode, destination, or product description.
- Customer is unfamiliar with the product and has little or no business background.
- A freight-forwarding firm listed as the final destination.
- Sensitive DoW Technology products listed on websites like eBay and Craig's List.

SAFEGUARDING TECHNOLOGY



Our dedication to the protection of America's warfighter includes our industrial partners who support our national defense efforts through innovative and superior products and services. Safeguarding the technological advances of U.S. private industry ensures both the safety of our Armed Forces and a thriving American economy.

Our outreach efforts include collaboration with law enforcement partners through programs such as Operation Tech Defense and Operation Shield America.

TECHNOLOGY PROTECTION

Our goal is the protection of national security through investigation of illegal theft, export, import, diversion or proliferation of strategic technologies, and U.S. Munitions List items to proscribed national or international criminal enterprises and terrorist organizations.

This includes the illegal theft or transfer of Defense weapon systems and components, intellectual property, technology, and capabilities involving weapons of mass destruction.

