

SAFETY ACT

The Support Anti-terrorism by Fostering Effective Technologies Act of 2002 (SAFETY Act) is a risk management program for the private sector in the event of an act of terrorism.

SAFETY Act liability protections apply to a wide range of anti-terrorism products, systems, and services, including:

- + Layered Security Programs
- + Industry Best Practices
- + Cybersecurity Technologies



**Homeland
Security**

Science and Technology

AVAILABLE SAFETY ACT PROTECTIONS



Limitations on the use and deployment
Limited term

Liability protections associated apply only to acts that occur during the term



Liability cap
Exclusive action in federal court
No joint and several liability for non-economic damages
No punitive damages or prejudgment interest



All benefits of Designation plus...

Assert Government Contractor Defense

Placed on SAFETY Act's Approved Products list for Homeland Security

PROTECTION

LIABILITY CAP

only for identified test event(s) and for limited duration (≤ 3 yrs)

LIABILITY CAP

for deployments made during the term of Designation

GOVERNMENT CONTRACTOR DEFENSE (GCD)

for deployments made during the term of Certification

EFFECTIVENESS EVALUATION

Needs more proof, but potential exists

Proven effectiveness (with confidence of repeatability)

Consistently proven effectiveness (with high confidence of enduring effectiveness)

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