Report Suspicious Activity

Defense Hotline
1-800-424-9098

Contact the Defense Hotline to Report Instances of Criminal Activity Involving Technology Protection to Help Protect America's Warfighters

DCIS Headquarters

Defense Criminal Investigative Service
400 Army Navy Drive, Room 901E
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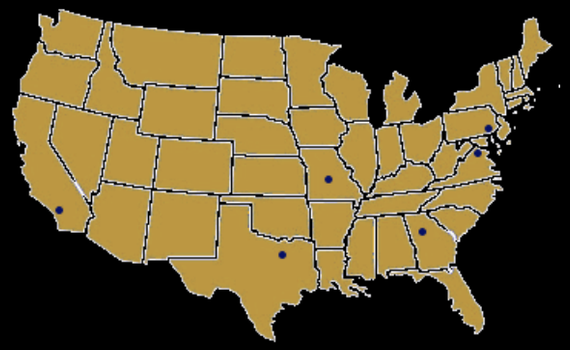
703-604-8600

Field Office Locations



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Overseas Locations

DCIS also has offices located in:

Wiesbaden, Germany
Kuwait City, Kuwait
Baghdad, Iraq
Bagram Air Base, Afghanistan

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Operation Tech Defense

Protecting America's Warfighters

Technology Protection Program
Office of Inspector General
U.S. Department of Defense

MISSION

The mission of the Defense Criminal Investigative Service is to protect America's Warfighters by conducting investigations in support of crucial National Defense priorities.

Protecting the Warfighters

Consistent with the mission of "Protecting America's Warfighters," DCIS is actively engaged in investigating the theft, diversion, and sale of sensitive military technologies. These technology protection investigations join terrorism, major procurement fraud, corruption, and protection of the Global Information Grid as a top investigative priority.

Technology Protection

Protecting national security through investigation of the illegal theft, export, diversion or movement of strategic technologies and U.S. Munitions List items to proscribed nations, criminal enterprises and terrorist organizations that pose a threat to National Security.

This includes the illegal theft or transfer of technologies, weapons systems, components and programs, and all forms of high technology, information, and capabilities involving weapons of mass destruction.

Safeguarding Technology

The DCIS mission to protect the American warfighter extends to our industrial partners, who support our national defense efforts through innovative and superior products. Safeguarding the technological gains created by our private industry partners ensures both a thriving American economy and the safety of our Armed Forces.

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

Tech Protect Indicators

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

Warning signs could include...

- Customer pays in cash
- Products inconsistent with customer needs
- Shipping route is abnormal for the product and destination
- Purchaser is reluctant to provide end user information
- Declines installation or 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 is listed as the final destination

Visit us on the web at:

www.dodig.mil/inv/dcis

DCIS encourages DoD employees, contractor personnel, individuals serving in the Armed Forces, and the public to report criminal activity involving the protection of Department of Defense technology.

To Report Fraud, Waste, and Abuse Contact the Department of Defense Hotline at 1-800-424-9098

We need your assistance in providing any information relating to circumstances surrounding illegal export, diversion, theft or transfer of technologies, weapons systems, components and programs. This includes information or suspicious circumstances surrounding export transactions of high-technology items or services.