

Level 3 Certificate for Working as a Close Protection Operative within the Private Security Industry

Course Overview

This regulated qualification is ideal for anyone wishing to work as a close protection operative as it provides them with the necessary skills and knowledge to apply for an SIA license. This qualification is supported by both the Security Industry Authority (SIA) and Skills for Security (SfS). Subjects covered include threat and risk assessment, legislation relevant to the role, walking drills, embus and debus, incident management, surveillance, and operational planning.

Course Detail

Your Course is divided into 3 units:

Unit 1 - Working in the Private Security Industry.

- Awareness of the Law in the Private Security Industry
- Health and Safety for the Private Security Operative
- Fire Safety Awareness
- Emergency Procedures
- The Private Security Industry
- Communication Skills and Customer Care

Unit 2 - Planning, Preparing and Supporting a Close Protection Operation

- The importance of threat assessment, risk management and operational planning
- The importance of teamwork and operational briefing within a close protection environment
- Close protection foot drills
- The importance of planning for route selection
- The importance of transport management within the close protection environment
- Incident management within a close protection environment
- Venue security operations
- Planning and preparing to carry out a close protection operation.
- Providing close protection of a principal

Unit 3 - Conflict Management within the Private Security Industry

- Avoiding Conflict and Reducing Personal Risk
- Defusing Conflict
- Resolving and Learning from Conflict
- Application of Communication Skills and Conflict Management for Door Supervisors

Course Assessment



Throughout the course, your trainer will assess you through various exercises and practical demonstrations.

You will also sit a multiple-choice question examination.

Unit 1 - Working in the Private Security Industry. - A multiple choice question exam with 25 questions and a Practical Assessment.

Unit 2 - Planning, Preparing and Supporting a Close Protection Operation A multiple choice question exam with 30 questions and a Practical Assessment.

Unit 3 - Conflict Management within the Private Security Industry A multiple choice question exam with 20 questions and a Practical Assessment.

All of the assessments will be conducted within the course duration.

We understand that exams can be daunting or nervous for many candidates. Many candidates on the course have not sat an examination in a long time. The trainer on the course will equip you with all the knowledge needed to pass.

Entry Requirements:

18+ Years

Basic Level of English to Level 1 Standard

Level 3 – Emergency First Aid at Work (Which can achieve through GuardWatch Security)

If you would like any further information, please Contact GuardWatch Security on 0345 257 1898