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FBI INSTALLS SECURITY FILM TO THE J. EDGAR HOOVER HEADQUARTERS BUILDING

To whom it may Concern,

The exterior facing glass of the J. Edgar Hoover FBI headquarters building in Washington, DC is protected by security film applied to the interior surface of the glass. Commercial Window Shield was selected as the contractor to perform this work. Commercial Window Shield worked closely with MSC Specialty Films, the manufacturer that produced the film product.

Security film – also known as fragment retention film or shatter resistant window film – is used to hold the glass together in the event of an explosion. Although the glass may crack and break, the film holds the pieces together as one unit. This minimizes the chance that razor sharp daggers will get propelled through the air toward the building occupants.




The project involved applying security film to the inside surface of some 4,000 panes of glass. The film covers the glass and was then overlapped onto the frame of the window. The film was then "attached" to the window frame using Commercial Window Shield's Blastight% Film Attachment System. Securing the film to the window frame creates a stronger system than a daylight application.

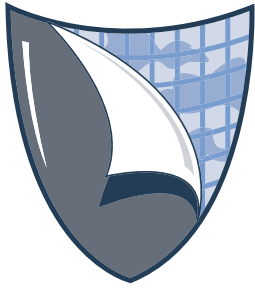
If you are interested in this project, please contact us and we will supply you with a contact name and phone number.

Security film is an important and accepted way to protect building occupants from the dangers of flying glass. Please call, fax or e-mail Commercial Window Shield with questions or if you are considering security film for your building. We can offer suggestions, pricing estimates and samples.



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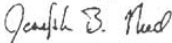


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TO THE J. EDGAR HOOVER HEADQUARTERS BUILDING
CONTRACT VERIFICATION

	<p>U.S. Department of Justice Federal Bureau of Investigation</p>
<p>Washington, D. C. 20535 January 15, 1998</p>	
<p>Mr. Wayne Staley Mid-Atlantic Service & Supply Corp. 9292 Pence Highway Blissfield, MI 49228</p>	
<p>RE: FBI HQ Security Window Film Installation Contract Number J-FBI-98-022</p>	
<p>Dear Mr. Staley:</p> <p>Now that Mid-Atlantic has been awarded the above referenced contract, the periods of time to turn in the various submittals as set forth in the Scope of Work begins today with this request for those submittals. Please send all submittals, with appropriate transmittal letters, to me by mail with copies of the transmittal letters going to Bernice Evans. Since the first project meeting is scheduled for January 22, 1998, at 1:00 PM, you may turn in submittals at that time if you so choose. The meeting will be held in the FBI SMU/DCU Conference Room, in Suite 950, of the Warner Building located at 12th & E. St., N.W., which is two blocks west of the JEH FBI Building (FBI HQ). Please advise me of any personnel who will be accompanying you.</p> <p>Due to the high security requirements of the FBI Headquarters building, clearances obtained by your personnel for previous US Government projects will need to be updated. All personnel planning to work in the JEH FBI Building will need to report to the FBI HQ Escort Desk to fill out three, short forms and be fingerprinted. Typically, it only takes ten minutes total time to fill out all of the forms and another ten minutes for fingerprinting per person. Arrangements should be made to have personnel requiring clearances to meet with me in groups at the Escort Desk so they may be given the forms, and any explanation needed for completion. Please have a list of proposed dates for these groups of personnel, including yourself, to begin this clearance process prepared for the January 22, 1998, meeting. Clearance checks for escorted access usually take ten business days to complete providing there are no complications.</p> <p>Please call (202)324-3185 or fax (202)324-8527 any questions that you may have for me. Thank you.</p> <p>Sincerely,  Joseph B. Nied, COTR Design and Construction Unit, FBI</p>	