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Target Hardening: Exterior Modifications

DESCRIPTION

The following links and documents pertain exclusively to target hardening involving exterior modifications of the asset or facility being protected.

RESOURCES

Guides and Reports International

[Great Britain:](#)

[Home Office:](#)

[Bombs: Protecting People and Property](#): The British Home Office provides an extensive guide for businesses and local governments, which includes information and resources regarding target hardening and building protection from explosive devices. The report draws upon British law enforcement's long experience in preparing for and mitigating the effects of terrorism.

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[Mineta Transportation Institute:](#)

[Protecting Public Surface Transportation Against Terrorism and Serious Crime](#): This comprehensive report is a thorough appraisal of past attacks against public transportation, with a look toward strategies to prevent and mitigate future terrorism.

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Articles

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[ANSER Institute for Homeland Security:](#)

Steve Dunham, "[Mass Transit Defends Itself Against Terrorism](#)", [Journal of Homeland Security](#), March 2002.

This article outlines the risks to mass transit and the steps being taken to reduce those risks. The author examines the anti-terrorism programs being undertaken by city transit officials in jurisdictions such as Atlanta, San Francisco, and Washington, DC.

<http://www.homelandsecurity.org/journal/articles/displayArticle.asp?article=47>

Private Sector

Greg Varney and Paul Diedrich, "[New Anti-Terrorism Standards Enhance Safety](#)", [Puget Sound Business Journal](#), 7 June 2002.

This article outlines some of the exterior target hardening measures that are being taken in response to growing concern of terrorism. The author includes discussions of "stand-off distance," blast mitigation techniques, and building layout.

<http://seattle.bizjournals.com/seattle/stories/2002/06/10/focus15.html?t=printable>

Related Links

State Government

[Washington, DC:](#)

[Metropolitan Police Department:](#)

[Closed Circuit Television \(CCTV\) System:](#) Washington, DC police have created a surveillance system that can enhance law enforcement's counterterrorist capabilities. The cameras enable police to monitor major incidents in real time and more accurately and efficiently deploy resources in the response to that incident.

http://mpdc.dc.gov/mpdc/cwp/view,a,1238,Q,541201,mpdcNav_GID,1545,mpdcNav,131748,_.asp

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