

SHOT Show Industry Presentation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and Homeland Security Investigations



<u>IMPORTANT SHOT SHOW INFORMATION – DO NOT DISCARD</u>

YOUR EXCLUSIVE EVENT INVITATION

You and your company may be at risk!! There are ever increasing threats to United States companies from foreign governments and/or foreign entities. Some of these threats include, but are not limited to, theft of intellectual property rights; theft of items and/or technology controlled by the Arms Export Control Act and International Traffic in Arms Regulations; and, theft of protected United States technology for use, or potential use, against the United States, its armed forces, and/or allies of the United States.

The United States Department of Homeland Security, through U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, Homeland Security Investigations (HSI), and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) take these threats very seriously. In an effort to address the threats and vulnerabilities to United States companies by foreign entities/governments, the FBI and HSI have partnered to reach out to United States companies, such as yours, to provide you with the necessary information to aid you in protecting your products and technology.

In partnership with the National Shooting Sports Foundation (NSSF), HSI and the FBI will be hosting an informational session for invitees only who are United States citizens working for United States companies who may be vulnerable to infiltration by foreign governments/entities. This invitation only event will take place on Monday, January 18, 2016, from 3:30pm to 5:00pm, at the Sands Expo and Convention Center in Room Zeno 4601. The session will consist of three 25 minute presentations on how to protect your intellectual property; how to protect your items and/or technology from ending up in the hands of hostile foreign governments/entities; and, the scope and activities of hostile foreign governments/entities that pose a threat to United States companies, such as yours, who are exhibiting at the show. Following this session, FBI and HSI Special Agents will be available to address specific matters individually with any attendees.

This flyer serves as your invitation to the informational session by HSI and the FBI. Each company may have up to three employees (U.S. citizens) attend this session. To attend, you must send an e-mail to David.D.Hardt@ICE.DHS.Gov by January 15, 2016. Please title your e-mail as "RSVP" and in the body of the e-mail please include the full names, titles and company for each individual who will be attending. There will be a list of attendees that will be kept at the entrance to the session and individuals not on the list will not be allowed entry. Each attendee will be required to present a government issued photo identification confirming their identity prior to entry. Proof of identity will be limited to a valid state issued driver's license/identification card or a United States passport.