

# CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTION PLAN

## UAE PORTS FACILITIES

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### 1. INTRODUCTION

1 This Critical Infrastructure Protection Plan ("Plan") is established by DeepShield Systems, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("DeepShield"), for implementation at designated port facilities in the United Arab Emirates ("Protected Facilities").

2 This Plan complies with UAE Federal Law No. 5 of 2021 on Cybersecurity, International Ship and Port Facility Security (ISPS) Code requirements, and applicable maritime security regulations.

### 2. DEFINITIONS

1 "Critical Systems" means operational technology (OT) systems, industrial control systems (ICS), SCADA networks, and associated infrastructure essential to port operations.

2 "Security Architecture" means DeepShield's proprietary deep-layer security framework incorporating AI-driven threat detection, real-time monitoring, and adaptive defense mechanisms.

3 "Incident" means any actual or suspected security breach, unauthorized access, or cyber threat affecting Protected Facilities.

### 3. SCOPE AND APPLICABILITY

1 This Plan applies to all Critical Systems within Protected Facilities, including:

- Terminal operating systems
- Vessel traffic management systems
- Cargo handling equipment
- Access control systems
- Maritime communication networks
- Utility management systems

## 2 Geographic Coverage:

- Jebel Ali Port
- Port Khalifa
- Port Zayed
- Associated terminals and facilities

## **4. SECURITY ARCHITECTURE IMPLEMENTATION**

### 1 Network Segmentation

- a) Implementation of DeepShield's proprietary OT network isolation protocol
- b) Establishment of secure communication channels between operational zones
- c) Creation of demilitarized zones (DMZ) for external connections

### 2 Monitoring and Detection

- a) Deployment of AI-powered anomaly detection systems
- b) Real-time traffic analysis and behavioral monitoring
- c) Integration with port authority security operations centers (SOCs)

### 3 Access Control

- a) Multi-factor authentication for all critical system access
- b) Role-based access control (RBAC) implementation
- c) Privileged access management protocols

## **5. INCIDENT RESPONSE PROCEDURES**

### 1 Initial Response

- a) Immediate threat containment measures
- b) Activation of backup systems and failover protocols
- c) Notification to designated response team members

### 2 Investigation and Analysis

- a) Forensic data collection procedures
- b) Root cause analysis protocols
- c) Impact assessment methodology

### 3 Recovery and Restoration

- a) System restoration priorities
- b) Data recovery procedures
- c) Operational continuity measures

## **6. COMPLIANCE AND REPORTING**

### 1 Regular compliance assessments shall be conducted quarterly, including:

- a) Security architecture effectiveness evaluation
- b) Regulatory compliance verification
- c) Policy adherence audits

### 2 Reporting Requirements

- a) Monthly security status reports to port authorities
- b) Quarterly compliance reports to regulatory bodies
- c) Immediate incident reporting as required by UAE law

## **7. MAINTENANCE AND UPDATES**

### 1 This Plan shall be reviewed and updated:

- a) Annually at minimum
- b) Following significant security incidents
- c) Upon major system modifications
- d) As required by regulatory changes

## **8. CONFIDENTIALITY**

1 This Plan contains confidential and proprietary information of DeepShield Systems, Inc. Unauthorized disclosure, copying, or distribution is strictly prohibited.

## **9. EXECUTION AND APPROVAL**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Critical Infrastructure Protection Plan is executed by the authorized representatives of DeepShield Systems, Inc.

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## **10. APPENDICES**

Appendix A: System Architecture Diagrams

Appendix B: Emergency Contact List

Appendix C: Incident Response Flowcharts

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