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MSA SECURITY and BOSCH PROJECT EARN SECURITY INNOVATION AWARDS GOLD MEDAL

New York, NY, November 29, 2016 . . . MSA Security and Bosch received the **2016 Gold Award of Excellence for security innovation in the category of National Public Safety Explosives and Weapons Detection Screener Support System Project** at Secured Cities earlier this month.

The award recognized MSA Security, Bosch Security Systems, SecureXperts and Genetec for a collaborative government project that integrated MSA's SmartTech™ into Bosch's Credentialed High Assurance Video Encryption (CHAVE®) cyber secure IP video system. The technology solution was developed for the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) to improve nationwide explosive screening methods of vehicles, packages and other items with real-time access to FBI-certified bomb technicians for immediate assessment of the suspicious or unusual items.

Using SmartTech™, digital images and video that are captured from current screening machines and other technologies are securely transmitted using Bosch's CHAVE enabled cameras, which is the only camera portfolio with full end-to-end encryption using FIPS Publication 140-2 Level 3 certified encryption standards. The Genetec Security Center video management system captures each screening area and records the action of the individuals, screeners and packages into a single scene view.

"We're proud to have been recognized among such a stellar group of security professionals. The innovative collaboration of Bosch, SecureXperts, Genetec and MSA Security has resulted in a truly state-of-the-art risk mitigation solution that meaningfully addresses the growing threat of improvised explosive devices," said Darnell Washington,

President and CEO of SecureXperts. “These solutions will continue to evolve as we ensure that today’s technology meets stringent cyber security controls and interoperability mandated by U.S. federal and enterprise commercial applications.”



Left to Right: Andrew Halldorson, MSA Security; Darnell Washington and Desiree Carter, SecureXperts.

For more information about SmartTech™ enabled CHAVE, contact Drew Halldorson at ahalldorson@msasecurity.net or (410) 991-9804.

Established in 1987, MSA Security is a leader in high consequence threat protection and specialized training for corporate and government clients with offices in New York, Washington, D.C., Massachusetts and California and more than 700 employees from elite and specialized backgrounds such as ESU, Bomb Squad, Counterterrorism, Federal and State Law Enforcement Agencies and Military working daily and deployed globally.

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