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GEOS establishes a HSE Department

The experience of the GEOS Group in the area of security management today enables it to develop and deliver new expertise and proprietary solutions to needs that we have identified during our many operations worldwide. GEOS assists, trains and advises companies and local authorities in the area of health, occupational safety, environment and fire safety.

60% of companies that suffer a major disaster close down within three years. The HSE service package of the GEOS Group helps to improve business performance and risk management skills. The range of operational support services that we deliver has been designed based on requirements identified over the many operations that GEOS has conducted on behalf of its clients for more than ten years.

Why is a HSE Team necessary?

GEOS mobilises its HSE Teams to:

- integrate safety and environmental measures.
- better control risk and enhance the development of the company.
- reassure and convince project stakeholders (banks, insurance companies, local government, associations, etc.).
- comply with technical specifications, applicable standards and regulations, track changes to the regulatory landscape and anticipate such changes.
- train company personnel.

The different roles of our HSE Teams

- Audits, technical and legal studies.
- Assessment and protection of the working environment;
- Assistance with the drafting of regulatory files;
- Fire safety and emergency response organisation and management;
- Management consultancy;
- Establishment of training sessions and seminars.

Highly qualified experts to deliver premier HSE services

GEOS places auditors, rescue service staff (ERP {Building open to the General Public}, IGH {High-rise Building}, ICPE {Classified Installation for the Protection of the Environment}), HSE / Fire Safety Consultants, HSE Supervisors, Professional Fire-Fighters, paramedics, fire safety agents and first responders, technicians and trainers at the disposal of companies and local authorities.

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About GEOS

GEOS is an international group, and the leading risk management and prevention provider in continental Europe.

The Group delivers operational support to clients operating in hostile business environments, with a comprehensive package of solutions ranging from audit, consultancy, assistance to crisis management. GEOS enables its clients to take advantage of business opportunities and to better assess and control both international (political, security, terrorist), and business risk (competition, white collar crime, fraud, counterfeiting).

GEOS in 2010:

480 full-time staff, a turnover of more than 41 million euro in 2009, operations in more than 80 countries, 18 international branches (Algeria, Colombia, Nigeria, Brazil, Mexico, Iraq, Argentina, etc.) and many clients from all sectors of activity.