

SOUTH CAROLINA LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

MARK SANFORD
Governor



REGINALD I. LLOYD
Director

April 27, 2009

Dear Critical Infrastructure Partner

By Executive Order of Governor Mark Sanford the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) is designated lead state agency for counterterrorism issues. In support of this mandate and in cooperation with the United States Department of Homeland Security the SLED Office of Homeland Security (OHS) is developing a Critical Infrastructure and Key Resources (CIKR) protection plan for our state. Critical infrastructure and key resources are assets, systems, and networks (natural, manmade, or virtual) so vital that their damage or destruction would debilitate security, economic security, public health or safety of the state or region. Key resources are publicly or privately controlled resources essential to the minimal operations of the economy and government.

This CIKR protection plan program compliments national programs in the ongoing effort to prevent, protect, respond, and recover from terrorist attacks and catastrophic natural disasters. Some of the components of SLED's OHS program include:

1. Organizing the South Carolina CIKR Working Group as a sub-committee under the State's Homeland Security Senior Advisory Council (HSSAC). The organization is composed of public and private sector representatives. Their role includes gathering and sharing information, providing advice, and advancing the collective benefits of the various CIKR programs from national and state agencies. The group is designed to use homeland security sector specific sub-committees to focus data collection and information sharing efforts.
2. Collecting data regarding existing CIKR programs--especially in the private sector. This will assist in improving efficiency by collaborating and/or incorporating existing organizations and their work. This reduces duplication of effort.
3. Maintenance of a state level risk management database (Site Profiler) to assist in managing CIKR information.



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We seek your help in identifying existing, or proposed private sector homeland security initiatives, working groups, and information resources that include CIKR components. Participation, while non-obligatory, is greatly appreciated. Our intent is to expand the knowledge and knowledge-sharing base in our state and region to enhance CIKR protection. The end result is improving the safety and welfare of our families, friends, and neighbors. This is collaboration and not a mandate.

If you have a component of your organization, or are aware of an organization—public or private, that includes CIKR oversight please respond with that information (see enclosure for our short and simplified reporting format). The information you supply will be compiled into a database to enhance the state's CIKR program.

Thank you very much for your time and assistance. If you have any questions, please contact the CIKR planner in the Office of Homeland Security at the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division in Columbia at 803-896-5086.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure
SC CIKR Protection Activity Report



South Carolina

Critical Infrastructure & Key Resources Protection Activity Report



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Date

Primary CIKR Sector?

Name of Business/Organization

Physical Address

City State Zip Code

County Is postal address different?

Describe activity or information associated with Critical Infrastructure and Key Resources protection.

(example: member of industry CIKR work group, participate in InfraGuard, work with DHEC Emergency Response Coordinator to provide information, send reports to DHS, participant of DHS Sector Coordinating Council, or currently have no CIKR involvement but want to know more)

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Point of Contact Name

POC's Title

POC's Phone Number

POC email

Submitting Official's Name

Submit by E-mail--
Please include your organization name in the e-mail subject line.

Enclosure to letter dated April 27, 2009; SC CIKR Protection Activity Report. This can be submitted on line or in hard copy. **This is not a PCII or CVI report.**