



Public Order Safety Awareness

Introduction

This is a dynamic and intensive course giving delegates the opportunity to experience a volatile public order incident involving all the elements of a real incident, but in the safety of a training environment. Throughout the course, delegates are given information and guidance enabling them to improve their safety awareness. This knowledge is then put into practice during a very realistic simulated public order incident.

Aim

The aim of the course is to enhance the safety awareness and improve the practical skills of individuals who will be operating in public order situations.

Target Audience

Anyone who may be required to deploy and operate in a potentially volatile public order situation.

Prerequisites

Delegates should be injury free and aware that there are practical elements to the course involving minor physical activity.

Duration

2 Days

Venue

The course is held at the Metropolitan Police Specialist Training Centre Gravesend one of the World's leading public order training centres.

Cost

The course costs £587.50 + VAT this includes overnight accommodation on the first day, transport between the hotel and the training site, all meals and refreshments during the course, hire of all safety equipment and course materials.

Qualifications

This is a unique course and is recognised as such throughout the industry. Many of the major organisations are now insisting that anyone deploying to a public order incident must have received appropriate training. Prime will issue a passport which is accepted by most of the major broadcast organisations as evidence of completion of the course.

Course Design

The course consists predominantly of interactive briefings/discussions within a realistic, purpose built, urban training area. Classroom sessions are kept to a minimum, this offers delegates the maximum opportunity to practice, first hand in role play scenarios and a simulated public order incident the skills they have learnt.

Course Content

- Introduction – This is an overview of the course and the administration of it.
- Threat Awareness – Delegates consider what and from whom the threat might be.
- Movement – Consideration is given to safe movement.
- Positioning – Consideration is given to safe positioning.
- Team Work – The importance of good team working is highlighted.
- Dealing with Threats – Consideration is given to dealing with the threats raised in the first lesson.
- Conflict Management – An introduction to conflict management.
- Protective Equipment – What is appropriate safety equipment?
- Petrol Bomb awareness – A practice exercise to raise awareness of dealing with petrol bombs.
- Police in Public Order – A presentation and practical look at how public order incidents are policed and the affect this may have on the media.
- Policing Abroad – A look at how policing abroad may be different to the UK and the attitude towards the media.
- UK Police Tactics – Observe the police training in the tactics they may use in public order incidents.
- Special Events – If there is a major event like the G20, Football World Cup, etc consideration is given to this from a public order perspective.