

# Border Security Services

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*Cole International's expert consultants will help you navigate and negotiate the ever-changing, ever more complex border security issues that have cropped up since 9/11.*

## Partners in Protection (PIP) & Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism (C-TPAT)

Aimed at strengthening supply chain security by building cooperative relationships between businesses and US Customs and Border Protection (CBP), PIP and C-TPAT are highly recommended for importers and exporters interested in:

- Enhanced border security
- Superior customs compliance and supply chain integrity
- Combating organized crime/terrorism
- Detecting and preventing contraband smuggling

## How will these programs help my business?

As a registered member of these joint initiatives, you'll benefit from an enhanced reputation and security profile with both border agencies (CBP and Canada Border Services Agency). Further, both agencies have indicated that certified companies will benefit from:

- Reduced border examinations
- Prompt release of goods
- Reduced storage/demurrage

Even when terrorist activities or security alerts spur an increase in border security, PIP and C-TPAT certified companies should be able to cross with minimum delays or, in the case of border closings, be among the first to cross after it is reopened.

## How can Cole International help?

We are experienced in completing the security surveys your company will require, preparing the required security documents and guiding you through to the final acceptance of your application. As we assist you through the PIP and C-TPAT certification process, Cole International will ensure you do not commit to costly changes the programs do not require.

Our ultimate goal is to help you minimize the threat of illegal activity, expedite the movement of your goods across the border and proactively ensure your goods remain on the move even in times of uncertainty at border crossings.



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