



BASIC SURVEILLANCE

SEEING IS BELIEVING



Placing a suspect under surveillance is a very costly exercise, usually involving a team of people for considerable lengths of time. Where the nature of a case necessitates its use, it is therefore vitally important that the operation is conducted

both safely and legally in order to produce useful evidence.

WHAT RMH PROVIDES

RMH provides a high quality training course designed to introduce delegates to the world of covert surveillance. It concentrates on developing practical skills for both foot and mobile operations, with particular emphasis on teamwork and safety considerations. The impact of the Human Rights Act on the legality of surveillance is highlighted.

The Course has been written in accordance with national standards and current legislation and is designed and delivered by trainers who are experienced surveillance operatives with nationally recognised police qualifications.



This course is accredited by the University of Portsmouth.

COURSE FORMAT

The course is entirely practically based with teams comprising 1 instructor and 3 trainees on exercises in 'real' locations. Both foot and mobile surveillance is undertaken, and the trainees are introduced to the use of radio communications equipment.

*we provide regular update support
and refresher training as required*



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CONTENT

- ▶ Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000
- ▶ Surveillance Codes of Practice
- ▶ The law relating to surveillance as defined by the Human Rights Act 1998
- ▶ Definition of surveillance, operations, qualities of an operative, personal appearance and personal safety
- ▶ Preparation and planning of a surveillance operation
- ▶ Use of radios
- ▶ Foot surveillance techniques
- ▶ Mobile surveillance techniques
- ▶ Evidence gathering and log-keeping

METHODOLOGY

- ▶ Trainer led
- ▶ Syndicate work
- ▶ Group discussion
- ▶ Practical exercises
- ▶ Knowledge test and assessment
- ▶ Pre-course reading package to be completed prior to attendance

DURATION

Normally 3 days, but tailored to the particular needs of the customer

NUMBER OF STUDENTS

12 per event

LEARNING OUTCOMES

you will be able to:

- ▶ Undertake surveillance as required (foot, mobile and photographic)
- ▶ Provide clear and concise case summaries (including all evidence) for prosecution
- ▶ Collect evidence having regard to legal requirements including the HRA
- ▶ Operate with an approach based on clear principles of good practice
- ▶ Work as part of a team
- ▶ Demonstrate an understanding of relevant Health and Safety legislation and how it affects the individual and organisation

TARGET AUDIENCE

Foundation training for Counter Fraud Officers

PLEASE NOTE

Vehicles (4) and radio equipment used for this event must be provided by the customer

Specialist Skills Training by Professionals