Recommended action

- Inform your management and your security manager immediately in cases of suspicion
- Avoid distortion/destruction of traces and pieces of evidence
- Contact our section responsible for economic security in order to co-ordinate the respective measures

Do not hesitate to contact us and make an appointment for confidential awareness talks

Your points of contact in economic security

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For additional information and your local contacts’ communication data, please visit the website.

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Economic Security

About us

Counter-espionage is one of the domestic intelligence services’ core competences. The experiences gained in this context and the methodical expertise are the basis for our work in the field of economic security.

Every year, damage is caused by economic espionage running into billions of euros. Especially innovative small and medium-sized companies across all sectors are affected by these activities.

Therefore, with the people responsible for economic security of the Federation and the federal states in Germany, German companies and universities have competent partners – in the field of prevention and in concrete cases of suspected espionage. In the framework of your co-operation with us, we guarantee you neutrality and confidentiality.

Indications of espionage

- attacks against your information and communication technologies
- (suspected) loss of know-how
- security-related incidents at branches abroad and during business trips
- incidents of atypical burglary
- conspicuous behaviour of staff members and external personnel
- an inexplicable drop in orders or loss of market shares

Electronic attacks
Social media
Social engineering
Humans as a security gap
Focus on science
Staff selection
Business trips
Visitor management
Protection of know-how
Industry 4.0

Awareness

All our awareness offers are free of charge