Seeking Cleared Contracts AND/OR Security Clearance?

This all-inclusive program will explain the Facility Clearance Process and requirements, including the dreaded DD Form 254 and common mistakes that result in Facility Clearance denials. The program also provides a comprehensive overview of the Personnel Security Clearance process for contractors, federal employees, applicants and military personnel. Ms. Long will discuss the criteria the federal government considers for making determinations of access to classified information and what to do if a security clearance is denied or revoked. Finally, Ms. Long will outline the legal and policy requirements for Cybersecurity and Insider Threat Industry Requirements and Compliance for current and future government contractors, including potential ramifications for non-compliance.

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