

Why Choose an NSI NACOSS Gold Approved Company?



The most trusted security providers for your workplace

National Security Inspectorate (NSI) approval is the hallmark of excellence for providers of security systems across the UK, protecting people, property and assets for over 50 years.

By choosing an NSI NACOSS Gold approved company, you can be assured of their integrity, technical expertise and professionalism – as recognised by the Police and the insurance industry.

NSI NACOSS Gold approved companies provide one or more of the following services:

- Intruder Alarms (PD 6662, BS 8243, BS 8473, BS 9263)
- CCTV Systems (NCP 104, BS 8418)
- Access Control Systems (NCP 109)
- Scaffolding Alarm Systems (NCP 115)

The hallmark of the elite

The NSI Gold medal of approval is the mark of the elite in the security sector. NSI NACOSS Gold approved companies are industry specialists, regularly audited to verify compliance with International and British Standards and NSI Codes of Practice. Their business operates an ISO 9001 Quality Management System (QMS) to drive continual improvement in performance, efficiency and customer service, in accordance with NSI's unique Quality Schedule.

NSI NACOSS Gold approved companies operate to a 'higher bar' than those approved under some other certification schemes. Going above and beyond, NSI NACOSS Gold approved companies combine NSI's Quality Schedule into their QMS, which is closely aligned with security industry standards, requiring them to undergo an additional level of rigour with NSI auditors during annual inspections.



NSI is the most trusted and respected independent UKAS accredited certification body in the security and fire safety sector approving over 1900 companies in the UK. Our auditors are industry experts conducting over 3500 annual inspections of electronic security, fire safety and guarding services providers.

Buyers choosing an NSI NACOSS Gold approved company can have confidence they:



Are technically competent – working to relevant International and British Standards and NSI Codes of Practice



Have independent, regular inspections twice a year by our highly trained team of industry specialist auditors to verify ongoing compliance



Have reputable Directors and leaders with relevant business experience and effective employee security screening to BS 7858



Operate an ISO 9001 QMS (integrating NSI's unique Quality Schedule)



Will carry out a comprehensive security risk assessment of your property to determine a bespoke solution for your needs



Install Intruder Alarms to PD 6662 and BS 8243 which would be eligible for police response



Only offer 24/7 monitoring and keyholding services provided by NSI Alarm Receiving Centres with ARC Gold approval, dedicated to similarly exacting standards and resilience



Offer a 24 hour call-out service with a defined response time (mandated 4 hours for intruder alarms)



Install detector-activated CCTV systems to BS 8418 enabling systems to be monitored remotely and eligible for police response



Issue you with a coveted NSI Certificate of Compliance for security systems – important evidence for you, your insurer and other interested authorities



Will install reliable, up-to-date equipment that meet the latest industry standards



Are financially stable



Have suitably trained and qualified staff



Are comprehensively insured



Have suitable and secure business premises



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Talk to your local NSI NACOSS Gold approved company about your security needs. For further information about NSI go to: [nsi.org.uk](https://www.nsi.org.uk)