

Securing Critical National Infrastructure

Meeting the nation's security needs

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Client: **Confidential**

Sector: **Utilities & Power**

Services: **Operational Requirement**
HVM
Design Services

Location: **West of England**

Status: **Complete**

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Project

Following many years of delays and setbacks, a number of new nuclear power stations were recently given Government approval and operating licences. Nuclear sites by their very nature need very high levels of security due to their status as Critical National Infrastructure (CNI). Due to the security status of the projects CornerStone consultants needed to hold UK government security clearance. CornerStone’s UK HQ office was also assessed and was accredited to conduct particular elements of the project.

Outcome

All security measures were based on risk and threat assessments provided by the UK Government with information which was security classified. The services provided to the projects included Operational Requirement gathering from a wide range of stakeholders, physical and technical security design, and budget development while ensuring that regulatory requirements were met. The cost of developing a new nuclear power station is in the billions, however cost management of the security solutions, both capital and operational, is critical while ensuring that security of the sites complies with all stipulations.

About CornerStone

CornerStone is an award winning, independent, international Security Consultancy and Risk Management firm. We help organisations protect their people, assets, intellectual property and profits by identifying security threats and mitigating the risks that face today’s global businesses. We work with clients in various parts of the supply chain to provide objective, un-biased advice, acting as their trusted advisor. What makes us different is the quality of our people, our highly developed process, problem solving approach and our innovative solutions.