APEX in Security

With the current global security climate, the industry is again stepping up to improve measures to safeguard its passengers, staff and facilities. An APEX in Security review combines the mandate for regulatory compliance with the actual day to day operational needs of airports. The review is conducted on-site by a team of industry experts that identify security gaps and contribute to the development of an action plan to maximize operational efficiency while enhancing the standard of security.

What are the benefits of an APEX in Security review?

- **Draw** on best practices from industry experts

- **Increase** the level of compliance with applicable standards, recommended practices and national requirements

- **Develop** a risk management plan and mitigation strategies

- **Learn** from the experience of other operational environments

- **Establish** quality key performance indicators and select appropriate tools to measure security performance

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Security review areas

Organization:
Organizational Set Up; Compliance; Documentation; Risk Management

Facilities:
Perimeter Protection; Terminal Design; Access Control; Screening Facilities and Equipment

People:
Recruitment and Selection; Credentialing and Background Checks; Training; Sub-Contractor Management

Procedures:
Passenger and Cabin Baggage Screening; Hold Baggage Screening; Staff Screening; Guarding and Patrolling; Incident and Crisis Management
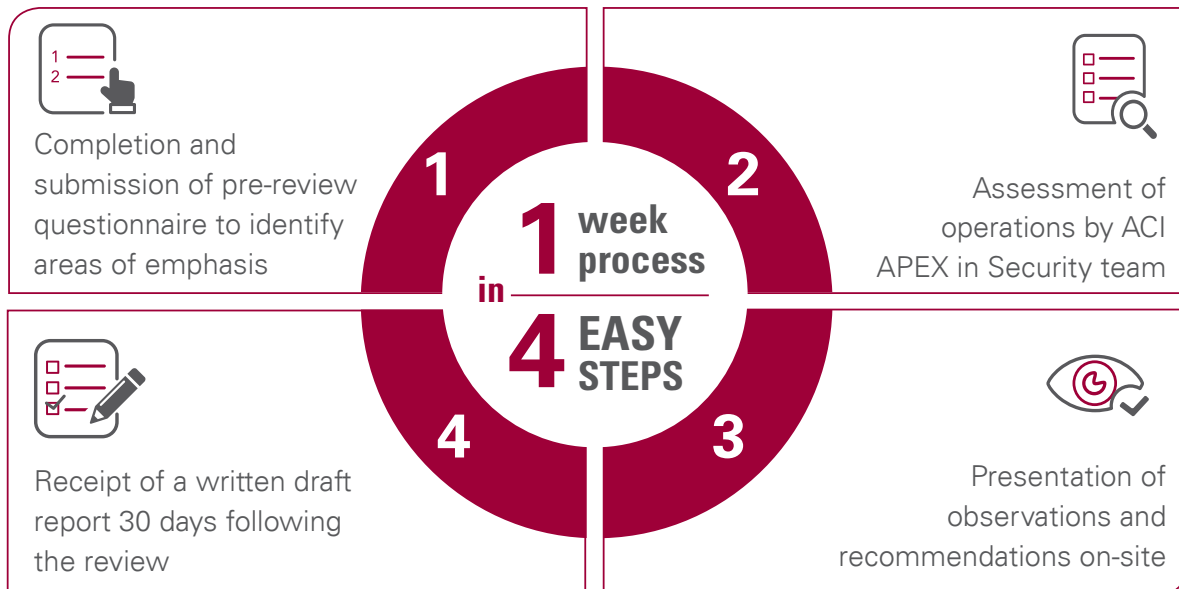
Quality Management:
Security Culture; Internal Auditing; Reporting and Monitoring; Continuous Improvement

➡ *Reviews are tailored to meet the needs of the Host Airport in accordance with their risk environment and operational realities.*

1 week process in 4 EASY STEPS

1 Completion and submission of pre-review questionnaire to identify areas of emphasis

2 Assessment of operations by ACI APEX in Security team

3 Presentation of observations and recommendations on-site

4 Receipt of a written draft report 30 days following the review

Post-review assistance

- Assistance in developing an action plan
- Custom ACI services such as workshops and training
- Assistance with risk assessment and quality management systems
- Continuous access to an international network of expertise

For more information, airport should contact their regional office or send an email to APEX@aci.aero