GROUP SECURITY

SEC-07 Watching the Watchers: Operations

The operational skills SEC-03 told you exist.

BOTTOM LINE UP FRONT

SEC-07 teaches selected MAG members the operational skills SEC-03 sets up but doesn't cover: how to design and run a surveillance detection route, how to organize and communicate as a countersurveillance team protecting a meeting or a moving group, how to recognize technical collection like trackers and RF surveillance, and how to turn what you observe into a report your group can actually act on. Where SEC-03 teaches you to understand what you're looking at, SEC-07 trains you to actively find it, counter it, and escalate it correctly.

WHY THIS MATTERS

Recognizing surveillance and countering it are different skills. A group with members who can only notice a threat has no way to confirm it, no way to protect a meeting once a threat is suspected, and no way to turn a sighting into a decision. SEC-07 closes that gap with real operational tradecraft, not theory.

▶ **This is a blue-ocean curriculum: no other preparedness course teaches surveillance detection routes, countersurveillance team operations, and technical surveillance awareness to this level of doctrinal grounding — sourced from FM 2-22.3, FM 34-2-1, MCRP 3-11.3, AR 530-1, and the Camp X SOE Training Manual.**

THE FIVE MODULES · 10 LESSONS + CAPSTONE

1	**Surveillance Detection Routes** Designing an SDR — choke points, observation windows, plausible cover — and running it without blowing it.
2	**Reading the Environment** Pattern-of-life baseline, area assessment, civilian OP practice, and SALUTE reporting.
3	**Countersurveillance Team Operations** Team roles, in-operation communication, abort criteria, and protecting a meeting or moving group.
4	**Technical Surveillance Awareness** Detecting RF, tracker, and camera collection — capabilities, limits, and countermeasures.
5	**Reporting, Decisions, and Escalation** The Surveillance Incident Report format, escalation criteria, and abort protocol.

★ **Capstone:** Full scenario exercise — plan the SDR, design the countersurveillance deployment, write the incident report, make the escalation call. Required for course completion.

HOW THIS COURSE WORKS

Doctrine first	FM 2-22.3, FM 34-2-1, MCRP 3-11.3, AR 530-1, and the Camp X SOE Training Manual, adapted for civilian MAG intelligence and security roles — not a law enforcement or military course.
Application second	Scenario exercises throughout — the student works each scenario before seeing the analysis. No spoon-feeding.
Knowledge checks	Built into every lesson; 80% required to unlock the next. Field Cards and an Operational Companion Guide accompany the course.
Prerequisites	SEC-02 and SEC-03 must both be complete. This course is for members specifically designated for an intelligence or security role, not general distribution.