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USING BIRDS OF PREY TO INTERCEPT HOSTILE DRONES

Guard From Above (GFA) is the world's first company specialized in training birds of prey to intercept hostile drones, safely, quickly and accurately. We use the bird's hunting instincts to tackle this growing problem. We have been working with birds of prey for more than 25 years. Our trained birds and bird handlers offer a highly effective low-tech solution for an urgent high-tech problem.

Guard From Above works for law-enforcement agencies, military units and governmental security agencies, offering a Bird Training Program, a Bird Handler Training Program and all additional expertise and services necessary for successfully making use of this unique approach.



NOW IS THE TIME

Last year, the number of drone incidents grew exponentially. At present, terrorist groups are even known to construct explosive devices which are specially designed for use in combination with drones.

Over the last few years, governments have been searching for ways to counter the undesirable use of drones, however, high-tech solutions for intercepting or disabling hostile drones are often relatively easy to disable or bypass. By choosing a low-tech solution that relies on its own instincts, speed and power, a solution that is in fact a 'master of the air', we offer something unique and effective: a highly necessary tool to counter today's imminent drone threats.



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HOW CAN BIRDS OF PREY BE USED AS C-UAV SOLUTION?

Every location and potential target is unique. After a preliminary threat analysis, our clients select the best suitable C-UAV solution. When that solution is using birds of prey, we carry out a site survey, during which a GFA-certified bird handler will check the location on access points, obstacles and best positions to deploy the birds. In most cases this will be a static position on the high ground or on the roof of a building.

When deployed at a location, a GFA certified Team (bird handler and bird of prey) will report to the Protective Services Detail (PSD), which will also deploy additional C-UAV tools (e.g. means of drone detection or jamming equipment). Rules Of Engagement (ROE) and follow-up procedures after interception of a hostile drone are set, after which the team is ready for action. The GFA Team will be integrated into the PSD.

HOW WE HELP YOU SET UP YOUR OWN GFA CAPABILITIES

Most of our customers are law-enforcement, military and security agencies. We understand that you may not have the time or expertise to set up a Bird of Prey Department, let alone to take care of selecting and acquiring the birds, training them and their handlers, and making use of all the necessary techniques and procedures for turning this operation into a success. That is where we come in, offering a tactical analysis/assessment of the

situation, training birds and handlers, as well as giving advice based on our expertise. We can also help with import/export and transport of birds and with the operational procedures on countering UAV's.

To guarantee our high-level services, we offer the Guard From Above Certificate, which is based on our 25 years' experience working with birds of prey.

BIRDS & DOGS

Typical initial client requests usually come from the client's Protective Service Detail or Force Protection units. Our clients often locate their bird departments close to, for example, their K9 units. Dog and bird-handlers often possess similar characteristics and skills. Both dogs and birds have comparable needs when it comes to housing, training, food and attention. Both the birds and their handlers are trained by GFA.

GLOBAL SERVICES

We help customers all over the world set up their own GFA capabilities:

- > Selecting and acquiring the right birds
- > Bird training
- > Bird handler training
- > Specific equipment
- > Housing/Bird quarters
- > Vehicle modifications
- > International transport
- > Import/export regulations
- > Setting up training facilities
- > Operational deployment



Credit: Dutch National Police

WHAT OUR CLIENTS SAY ABOUT US

“Over the last couple of years Guard From Above has helped the Dutch National Police to research and develop how to implement this unique method to intercept hostile drones. Guard From Above is a trustworthy party. With their expert knowledge, they are the perfect partner to set up this drone countermeasure.”

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We use a six-step program to help our customers to set up their own capabilities to eliminate those threats.

1	Threat analysis and Solution Fit GFA 1 day (free of charge)
2	On-site Consultancy 4 days (2 GFA experts)
3	GFA Bird Training Program 1 year daily training
4	GFA Bird Handler Training Program 20 days (small group training)
5	GFA Follow-up on the job training 5 days (on client site)
6	GFA Operational advice consultancy Custom

Prices depend on availability of birds and places in our training programs.

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