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I serve as the full time Executive Director for Safe Havens International Inc. a global non-profit pre-K-20 school safety center. During my more than thirty years of full-time K-20 campus safety and homeland security work experience, my work has taken me to Central America, Mexico, Canada, Europe, Asia, Africa and the Middle East. I have authored, co-authored and served as a contributing author for 27 books on school safety and public safety. My latest book *Staying Alive – How to Act Fast and Survive Deadly Encounters* was released by Barron's in May, 2014. I have also authored and co-authored hundreds of web courses, journal articles, magazine articles, blogs and columns for *Campus Safety Magazine*, *Police Chief, Law and Order*, *the Journal of Emergency Management*, *School Planning and Management*, *College Planning and Management* and other national level publications. I have also appeared in numerous campus safety training videos as well as audio and video training podcasts. During my 25-year public safety career, I served as a university police officer, corporal, sergeant and lieutenant as well as a school system police chief, the lead expert for the nation's largest state government Pre-K-20 campus safety center and as the Lead Program Manager for the Terrorism Division of the Georgia Office of Homeland Security.

A graduate of the 181st session of the FBI National Academy, I also received advanced anti-terrorism training in Israel as a delegate with the Georgia International Law Enforcement Exchange Program and have provided training to two groups of ranking personnel from the Israel National Police. I regularly keynote major conferences such as the International Bullying Prevention Conference, School Safety conferences at Vietnam National University in Saigon, Vietnam and at the International Association of Campus Law Enforcement Administrators Annual Conference in Quebec City, Canada. I have worked on more than 50 Readiness and Emergency Management for Schools and Safe Schools/Healthy Students grant projects and many other large school safety projects for local, state and federal agencies and organizations.

I served on the team that helped develop the new IS360 web course on active shooter situations for the United States Department of Homeland Security as part of the 2013 White House School Safety Initiative. I also served on the working group that helped the United States Department of Education develop *Practical Information on Crisis Planning—A Guide for Schools and Communities* and have served as a presenter for multiple U.S.D.O.E. conferences. I have also served as a presenter, consultant or technical advisor for many organizations concerned with school safety including: United States Departments of Education, Justice and Homeland Security, FBI, the Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco Firearms Enforcement, the United States Navy and dozens of state departments of education, law enforcement, homeland security and emergency management. I have assisted on six state-level school security assessment projects and have helped conduct safety, security, climate, culture and emergency preparedness assessments for public, private, charter, parochial and independent schools across the United States, Canada and Kenya.

Michel has extensive expertise in the following areas: school bullying, school shootings, school violence, school accidents, student supervision, problems with ALICE training and Run, Hide, Fight Active Shooter training, accidents at school, homicide prevention, assault prevention, metal detection programs, security technology application, security assessments and crime prevention methodologies.