

# Howard Safir- Police Commissioner, NYPD (ret.)

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Commissioner Howard Safir draws on a 35+ year career in law enforcement, security, investigations and forensics to produce expert reports and testimony regarding the adequacy of security and emergency policies, operations, systems and technologies. Commissioner Safir has also overseen dozens of investigations of fraud, theft, regulatory violation and other malfeasant activity, many of which have led to the arrest of significant monies, favorable litigation outcomes and the implementation of remedial outcomes to improve integrity and performance.

## Areas of Expertise

- Commercial Security
- Corporate
  Investigations
- Crime Risk Analysis
- Due Diligence Investigations
- Fraud Investigations
- Internal Investigations
- International
- Investigations
- Law Enforcement
- Security- General
- Security Consultation
- Security Practices & Procedures
- Special Event Security
- Threat Analysis
- Witness Location/Relocation

## Employment History

Year	Title, Location	
2010 - Present	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Safir Intelligence & Security	
	(formerly Vigilant Resources International), New York	
2001 - 2010	Chairman and CEO, SafirRosetti, New York; Bode Technology Group, Lorton, VA	
1996 - 2000	Police Commissioner, New York City Police Department (NYPD)	
1994 - 1996	Fire Commissioner, New York City Fire Department (FDNY)	
1990 - 1994	President, Safir Associates, Fairfax, VA	
1978 - 1990	Associate Director for Operations, United States Marshals Service (1984-1990);	
	Chief of Witness Security Division (1978 – 1990), Washington, D.C.	
1965 - 1978	Assistant Director, Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA)	

## Sample of Expert Witness Case Experience

Case Name	Opining on
Lockheed Martin Transportation Security	Impact of certain shortcomings of a \$300M+ security
Solutions v. MTA Capital Construction	system conceived to protect critical MTA assets
Company (SDNY)	
National Union Fire Insurance Company of	Plaintiff's theory that perpetrators utilized inside
Pittsburgh, PA v. Tyco Integrated Security, LLC	information to perpetrate a theft of \$80M of
et al (S.D. Fla)	pharmaceuticals

## **Commendations**

Organization	Award
President of the United States	Presidential Meritorious Service Award (twice)
Department of Justice	Attorney General's Award
USMS	US Marshal's Service Award for Valor
International Association of Chiefs of Police	Lifetime Achievement Award