

The good news is that the construction industry is recovering across the globe. The bad news is that ethics and compliance (E&C) issues are keeping it from soaring.

The Construction Sector Transparency Initiative (CoST) estimated that \$4 trillion is being lost annually through mismanagement, inefficiency and corruption in public construction alone (on average 10 percent to 30 percent of a project's value). Transparency International, a global anti-corruption watchdog, recently published a Global Bribe Payers Index ranking the "Public Works Contracts and Construction" sector as one of the most likely to use bribes.

As per our eighteen-year track record, TMG aims for complete transparency with the services we provide along with the associated compensation plan. We have performed on many projects in the past decades with a variety of ownership on behalf of clients representing every trade in the business.

An Integrity Compliance Service Monitor works for a project owner, whether a government agency or private developer, to minimize fraud, waste and abuse and assure compliance with relevant laws, regulations, and policies. The arrangement can be imposed in the following way:

- Directly on the contractor as a condition of doing business with the public or private owner.
- Help promote compliance with requirements regarding all work on a construction project.

In either case, the emphasis is on preventing problems before they arise. When they do crop up, there may be significant recoveries because the schemes can be discovered in real-time, as they're unfolding. Our objectives are aligned with those of the agency or developer managing the construction—building on time, within budget, and without financial or reputational scandal.

Additionally, in the event that the project requires a delay claim, TMG has generated the required documentation throughout the project to ensure a maximum and quick settlement with the expertise we provide in the project delay claim arena.

For government agencies, the efforts promote efficient and appropriate delivery of taxpayer funds. For private-sector owners, they protect the finances, operations and reputations of all stakeholders. The oversight by a reliable, independent entity producing its own reports fosters transparency and accountability, enhancing public confidence. TMG aims to maximize your profit margin while maintaining the excellent reputation of your firm. Call for a free consultation today.

INTEGRITY COMPLIANCE | SCOPE OF WORK

- Identify corrupt or wasteful practices likely to delay, derail, or embarrass
- Contract reviews, background checks, investigations, and audits as needed
- Create a culture of compliance and accountability through training and audits
- Enforce, strengthen or establish controls to deter prevent & detect problems
- Avoid wasting limited resources on areas of minimal concern or risk
- Bring transparency and accountability to business transactions
- Assess the controls in place to mitigate the risks
- Maximizing focus on issues of greatest concern
- Rehabilitate companies when problems occur