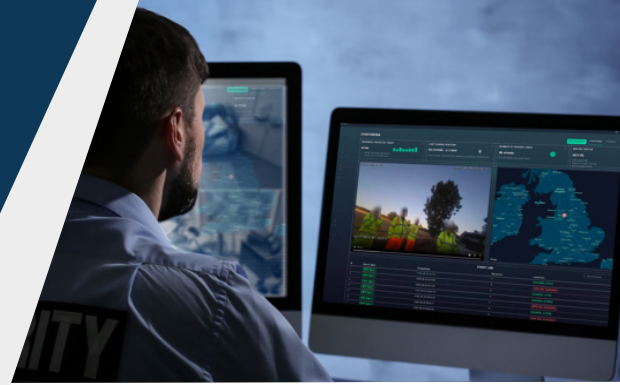


Protecting road workers and road users with innovative bodycam technology



Background




Core Highways (Core) provides nationwide Temporary Traffic Management (TM) services on urban and high-speed networks. Unfortunately, there has been an increase in roadworker abuse over the years which has only added to the risks working in a highway environment. Core recognises that solutions that protect their workforce and their on-site assets are critical both for their teams' personal safety and for their business operations and approached Clearway in relation to its bodycam technology.

Solution

High-quality, commercial-grade body worn security cameras and safety devices capture real-time events. The Clearway solution offers a number of additional features that are particularly beneficial to a company operating in traffic management. Not only do they offer recording of incidents and SOS features, they also provide the following key benefits:

- **Remote download of footage** - saves the time and cost of returning devices to base, especially for likes of TM where depots could be miles away
- **Use as 2-way radio** - save cost & need to carry multiple devices
- **Do site briefs remotely using the broadcast function** - saves time & money and one less person on the network

Key Benefits

-  **Remote download**
-  **2-way radio**
-  **Live SOS alerting**



Clearway and Core have worked together to roll out the use of the bodycam technology, quickly training the wearers how to use the various features, and enabling the supervisors to extract what they need from the management portal.



Outcome

Over a 12-month period, the use of Clearway bodycams recorded incidents of abuse from the public as well as attempts to drive through traffic management and run over operatives. In one case, a member of the public accused an operative of saying something that he said he didn't say, the bodycams recorded the incident and proved that the member of the public was lying. Without this evidence, an innocent man could have lost his job.

Although it was challenging to get team buy-in initially, the teams ultimately agreed they felt safer. Wearing the devices helps to reduce the day-to-day abuse from the general public who now approach the operatives in a different manner.



“The Clearway bodycams provide a superior technology with wider capabilities. We are yet to be in a geographical area where our teams don't get a signal and the SOS feature is great. From a supervisor's perspective, it's good to be able to see from the portal which devices are on/off so we can check in with the wearer immediately. The ability to record and evidence incidents helps towards a successful prosecution, should it be required. The portal provides us with a lot of tools and is easy to use, and the training required for this and the devices themselves is minimal.”

Anthony Perry – Innovation & Continuous Improvement Manager, Core Highways

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