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**Question:** If my facility has been issued a “letter of acceptance” through the Expedited Approval Program (EAP), but then DHS discovers that the measures in the Site Security Plan (SSP) insufficiently meet the risk-based performance standards (RBPS) on compliance inspection, what happens?

**Answer:** If during a compliance inspection DHS determines that planned or implemented security measures in the facility’s EAP SSP are insufficient to meet the risk-based performance standards (RBPS) based on misrepresentation, omission, or an inadequate description of the site, DHS may require additional security measures or suspend the certification of the facility and recommend additional security measures that, if made part of the SSP, would allow DHS to approve the SSP. The facility must then submit a new or modified SSP and certification. If a suspended facility fails to submit an amended EAP SSP or fails to include the necessary measures in their SSP, DHS may revoke the facility’s certification.

6 U.S.C. § 622(c)(4)(G)(ii)