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FORCE PROTECTION INC Form 15-12B January 18, 2012

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 15

CERTIFICATION AND NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF REGISTRATION UNDER SECTION 12(g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 OR SUSPENSION OF DUTY TO FILE REPORTS UNDER SECTIONS 13 AND 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934.

Commission File Number: 001-33253

Force Protection, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Force Protection, Inc.

c/o General Dynamics Corporation

2941 Fairview Park Drive, Suite 100

Falls Church, Virginia 22042-4513

(703) 876-3000

 $(Address, including\ zip\ code, and\ telephone\ number, including\ area\ code, of\ registrant\ s\ principal\ executive\ offices)$

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share

 $(Title\ of\ each\ class\ of\ securities\ covered\ by\ this\ Form)$

None

 $(Titles\ of\ all\ other\ classes\ of\ securities\ for\ which\ a\ duty\ to\ file\ reports\ under\ section\ 13(a)\ or\ 15(d)\ remains)$

Please place an X in the box(es) to designate the appropriate rule provision(s) relied upon to terminate or suspend the duty to file reports:

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Rule 12g-4(a)(1) x
Rule 12g-4(a)(2) ...
Rule 12h-3(b)(1)(i) x
Rule 12h-3(b)(1)(ii) ...
Rule 15d-6 ...

Approximate number of holders of record as of the certification or notice date: One

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Force Protection, Inc. has caused this certification/notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

FORCE PROTECTION, INC.

Date: January 18, 2012 By: /s/ Gregory S. Gallopoulos

Name: Gregory S. Gallopoulos
Title: Vice President