

Contact with special interest groups

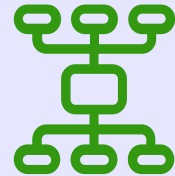
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Control

The organization should establish and maintain contact with special interest groups or other specialist security forums and professional associations

Purpose

To ensure appropriate flow of information takes place with respect to information security

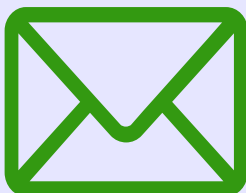
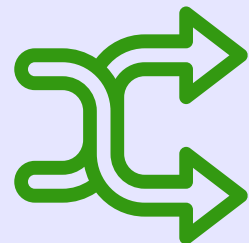


Why is it important ?

- To improve knowledge about best practices
- To ensure the understanding of the information security environment
- To receive early warnings of alerts
- To gain access to specialist information security advice
- To provide suitable liaison points when dealing with information security incidents

How can it be achieved ?

- Establish contacts with the competent authorities
- Maintain an appropriate flow of information regarding information security
- Specify when and by whom the authorities should be contacted
- Report information security incidents in a timely manner
- Maintain contacts to support the management of information security incidents



The pragmatic version

- A simple file / table
- CCB
- Vulnerabilities Early Warning
- Notification advisories
- Sector specific regulator
- CISO Communities

Link with other frameworks

- NIST 800-53 rev5 : PM-15
- NIST CSF 2.0 : ID.RA-02



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