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DOJ's Data Security Program: Administrative, Audit, and Technical Requirements

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Agenda

- Overview of DOJ DSP
- Restricted Transactions
- Data Compliance Program
- CISA Requirements
- Audits
- Recordkeeping



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- 28 CFR Part 202
- Compliance requirements for “restricted transactions”
 - Due diligence
 - Technical safeguards
 - Data Compliance Program audits
 - Recordkeeping and reporting requirements

Restricted Transactions

- “Restricted transactions” = country of concern or covered person receives covered data or “access” to covered data through a vendor, employment, or investment agreement
- Permitted only if the U.S. person sharing data in those transactions complies with applicable requirements, including CISA security requirements

Data Compliance Program

- Vendor/employee/investor due diligence requirements
- Risk-based procedures
 - Verify data flows involved in any restricted transaction
 - Verify identities
- Written policies
 - Data compliance program
 - CISA security requirement
- Annual certification

CISA Requirements

- Purpose: mitigate risks associated with restricted transactions
 - Ensure that covered persons do not obtain actual access to covered data
- Begin with risk assessment
- Organization, system, and data levels
- Based on pre-existing standards
- Organizational & system-level requirements – all mandatory
- Data-level requirements – discretion to apply any combination that is effective to prevent covered persons' access
 - Based on risk assessment

Notes on CISA Requirements

- Compliance with CISA requirements does not mean the DSP does not apply
- Implementation of CISA requirements
 - May satisfy other cybersecurity requirements
 - Contributes to cybersecurity hygiene generally

- Establishing audit program
- Data mapping
- Comparison to other national security-oriented audit programs and privacy compliance programs
- Reasonableness
- Leveraging/combining with other audits

Recordkeeping and Reporting

- Retention periods
- Provision to DOJ upon request
- Self-reporting violations

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