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Questions/Answers #1 JIS Vulnerability Assessment Scan RFP K16-0034-29 April 14, 2016

To our prospective Business Partners:

The following question for the above referenced RFP were received by email and answer will be posted for all prospective Offerors. The statements and interpretations contained in the following responses to questions are not binding on the Judiciary unless the RFP is expressly amended. Nothing in the Judiciary's response to these questions is to be construed as agreement to or acceptance by the Judiciary of any statement or interpretation on the part of the Offeror asking the question.

Question:

On page 11, item 2.2.2 mentions multiple physical locations. Are all the networks and equipment to be scanned accessible from the Annapolis site or does JIS anticipate that travel to different locations will be required? If so, please provide a detailed list of the locations.

Answer:

All from Annapolis site.

Question:

On page 11, item 2.2.3 mentions "UNIX servers". What operating system is actually running on these machines (e.g., HP-UX, Linux, etc.)?

Answer:

AIX

Question:

On page 12, item 2.4.1b, the language states that "Contractor shall report the vulnerability immediately upon discovery of a critical vulnerability and recommend remedial steps within one (1) business day following discovery". However, on page 13 in 2.5.1, the following language is used: "A Critical Vulnerability Report is due within two (2) business days of discovering a vulnerability that the consultant considers critical ... recommend steps that JIS should take to remediate ..." Please clarify the expected timeframe to report and recommend remediation for vulnerabilities that are considered critical by the consultant.

Answer:

Critical issues found during the scan require immediate notification to JIS and must be formally documented and delivered to JIS within two business days.

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