

GET READY FOR NIS2

NEW BINDING EU REQUIREMENTS FOR MORE CYBERSECURITY

For many companies and organizations the NIS2 directive (EU) 2022/2555 will impose mandatory security measures and reporting obligations from October 2024 - even for many that were not previously affected.

WHAT DOES NIS2 MEAN?

Second EU directive on network & information security

WHAT ARE THE GOALS OF NIS2?

- High common level of cybersecurity in all 27 EU countries
- Uniform security standards across the EU
- Creating a framework for secure innovation & digitalization through clear guidelines

WHO IS AFFECTED BY NIS2?

• Public & private institutions in 18 sectors, with at least 50 employees or at least € 10 million annual turnover

RESPONSIBILITY OF THE MANAGEMENT BOARD

The management must monitor the implementation of the measures, take part in trainings and is liable for violations. If the measures are not verifiable, fines (up to 2% of annual turnover) must be expected.

DIE NIS2-CHECKLISTE

- Development of an ISMS incl. concepts for risk analysis & security of information systems
- Prevention, detection & management of security incidents
- Business continuity (e.g. backup management, disaster recovery)
 & crisis management
- Security in the supply chain
- Security measures in the procurement, development & maintenance of IT systems
- Evaluation of the effectiveness of the measures
- Secure voice, video & text communication
- Cyber hygiene (e.g. updates) & training in cybersecurity
- Personnel security, access control & resource management
- Cryptography & encryption and asset management
- Multi-Factor authentication solutions or continuous authentication and secure emergency communication systems
- For companies in the "essential level" additional minimum requirements: For example, the operation of a security operations center