

The Changing Cybersecurity Threat Landscape: Understanding the Legal Perspective

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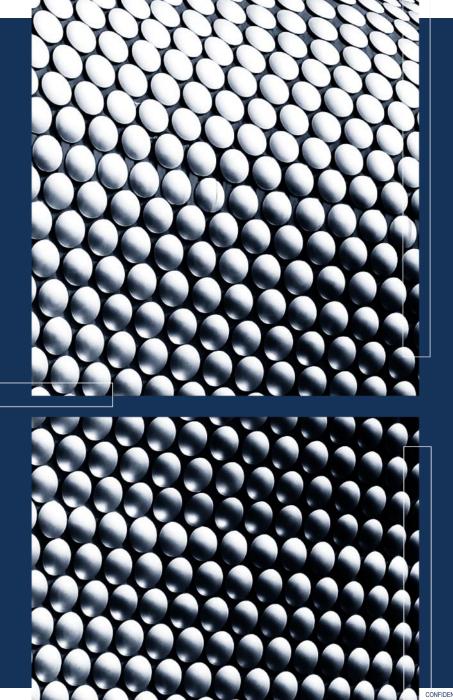
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- o Develops international cyber and privacy compliance programs
- Recognized as a Pennsylvania Super Lawyers Rising Star in Technology Law in 2019 and 2020
- o Cited in national media including The New York Times, NPR, and NBC News
- $\circ\;$ Former Clerk on the Court of Justice for the European Union
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Data Security & Privacy Overview





Legal Landscape – Data Privacy





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Global Data Security & Privacy Landscape

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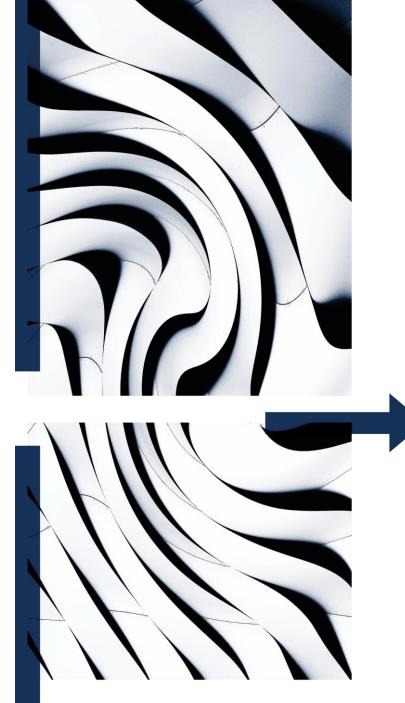


The "GDPR Effect"



...and the list keeps growing!





Legal Landscape – Privacy – International

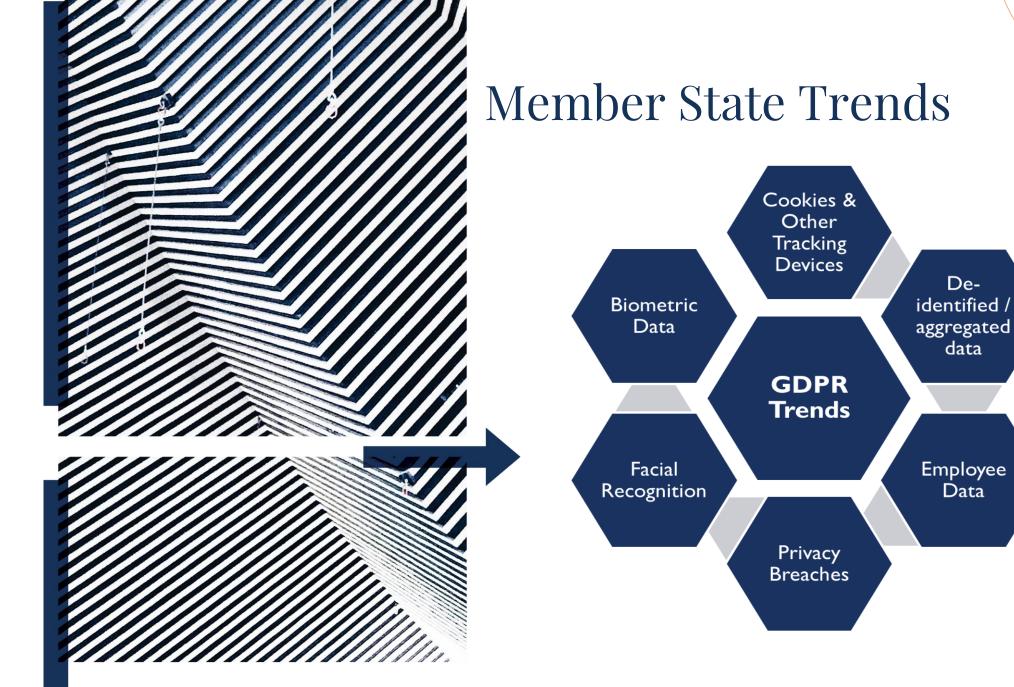
Cross-Border Data Transfers after Schrems II

- $\circ~$ The invalidation of the EU-US Privacy Shield
- "Supplemental Measures" under the Standard Contractual Clauses

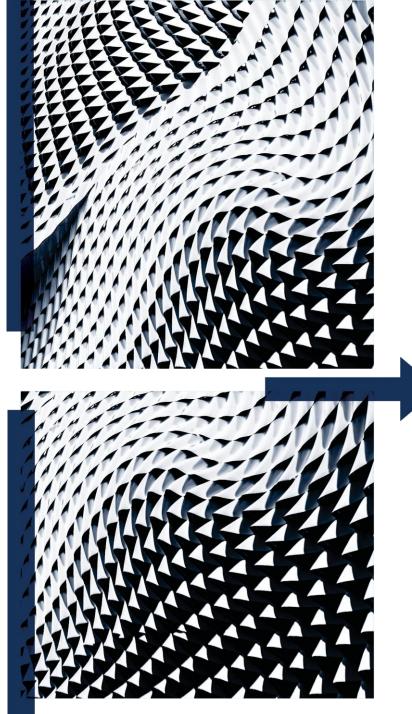
Future of Cross-Border Data Transfers

- Updates to the Standard Contractual Clauses (SCCs)
- $\,\circ\,$ On-going negotiations between EU and US







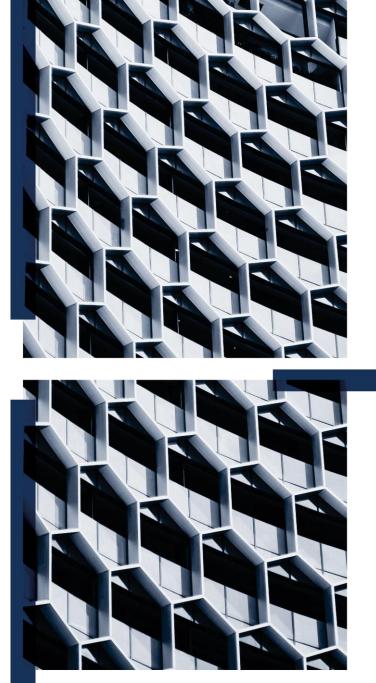


CNIL Cookie Guidance

Key Recommendations:

- Cookie walls are not banned per se, but evaluated on a caseby-case basis;
- Website providers must clearly inform users about the purposes behind the use of cookies;
- Consent must be clear affirmative action;
- Refusal of online trackers must be easy and not subject to complex procedures;
- Users must be able to withdraw their consent to the use of cookies at any time; and
- Exempt trackers include those used for authentication of users or which preserve the content of an online shopping cart.





Employee Data

$_{\odot}$ Employee surveillance & monitoring is a top concern.

- \circ Transparency
- $\circ \, \text{Consent}$
- \circ Legitimate Business Interest

 $\circ {\rm Risk} \rightarrow$ inherent imbalance of power between employer and employee

Tech **BBC**

H&M fined for breaking GDPR over employee surveillance

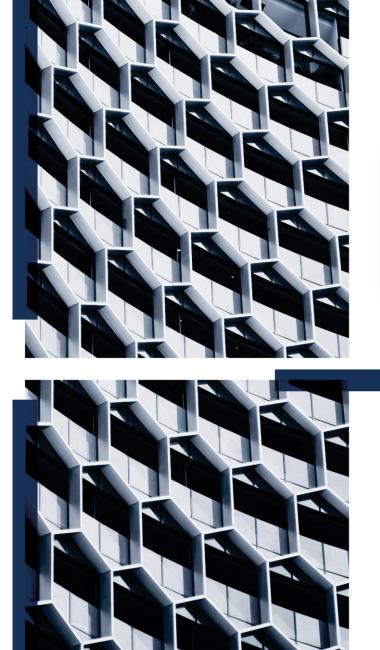
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Norwegian DPA issues fine to Cyberbook AS

Thursday, 11 February, 2021





GDPR Breaches & Enforcement

The New York Times

After a Data Breach, British Airways Faces a Record Fine

Forbes

Oct 30, 2020, 06:44am EDT | 816 views

Marriott Hit With £18.4 Million GDPR Fine Over Massive 2018 Data Breach

Cybersecurity

European Institutions Were Targeted in a Cyber-Attack Last Week

By <u>Alberto Nardelli</u> and <u>Natalia Drozdiak</u> April 6, 2021, 9:51 AM EDT Source: AFP/Get





Privacy Litigation: GDPR

Historically, the EU is not a litigious region. But that is changing... • Regulatory Fines:

 ${\rm o}\,4\%$ of Global Revenue, or

 \circ 20 million euros, whichever is higher

○ Private Lawsuits

- Private Right of Action
- Class action lawsuits are becoming more common

 \circ B2B Litigation

Twitter Fined for Breaking EU Privacy Law in First for U.S. Tech Firm

\$546,000 fine for late notification of a data breach took nearly two years to decide

British Airways faces \$230 million fine. It would be a record under Europe's tough data privacy law

By Charles Riley, CNN Business Updated 11:00 AM EDT, Mon July 8, 2019



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US Legal Privacy & Security Overview

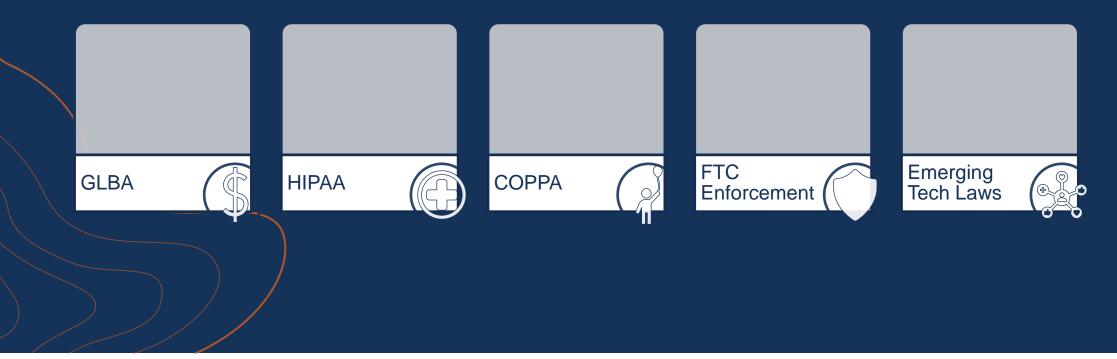
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Legal Landscape – United States Data Privacy

United States has not yet adopted a federal privacy scheme.

How the United States Addresses Privacy









Legal Landscape – Emerging Laws

Service Provider Inclusion & Limitations:

Identifying who is a Service Provider, and liability provisions around that relationship.

Exceptions for De-Identified/Aggregated Information:

Some states have made deidentified/aggregated data an exception to the definition of PI if certain steps and standards are followed in de-identifying or aggregating (much like HIPAA).

Employee Data:

Split in whether emerging State laws consider employee data PI.

Fiduciary Duty:

New York attempted to propose a fiduciary duty for businesses regarding their collection, processing and storage of PI. Pennsylvania found a duty in *Dittman v. UPMC*.

Facial Recognition:

States and cities are increasingly regulation the use of facial recognition as is the FTC (see current law, Illinois BIPA).



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CPPA & CPRA Overview

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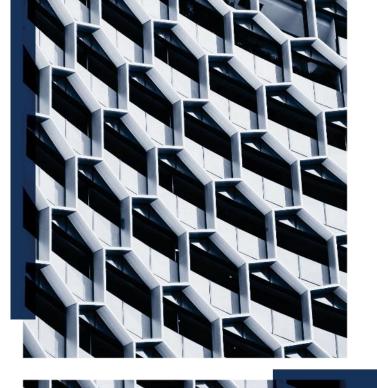
Overview of the CCPA

The CCPA applies to the collection of private information related to a "consumer."

Consumer: A "natural person who is a California resident."

- $\,\circ\,$ Includes every person who is:
 - $\circ\,$ In California for a purpose other than a temporary or transitory
 - Lives in California, but is outside the state for a temporary or transitory purpose





Businesses Subject to the CCPA

The CCPA Applies to California Businesses that:

Have a gross revenues exceeding \$25 million Buys, receives, sells, or shares personal information of more than 100,000 consumers, households, or devices

Derives 50% or more of its annual revenues from selling consumers' personal information

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CCPA Definition of Personal Information

Person Information: "[I]nformation that identifies, relates to, describes, is reasonably capable of being associated with, or could reasonably be linked, directly, or indirectly, with a particular consumer or household."



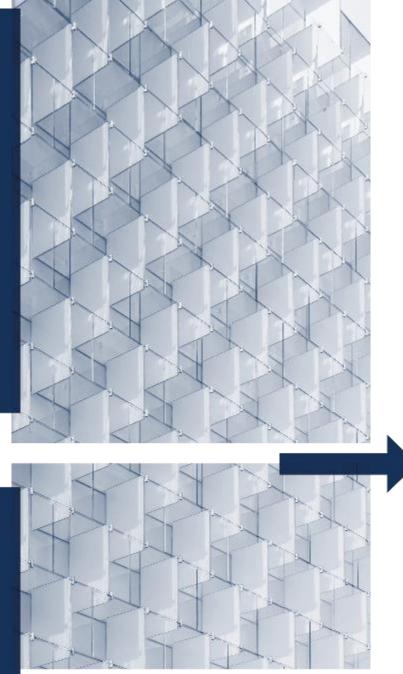
Biometric Information

Geolocation Data Education Information

Passport Numbers

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Exempted Data

Information that relates to a group or category of consumers, from which individual consumer identities have been removed, that is not linked or reasonably linkable to any consumer or household, including via a device.

Protected Health Information Governed by HIPAA

Personal Information Regulated by GLBA

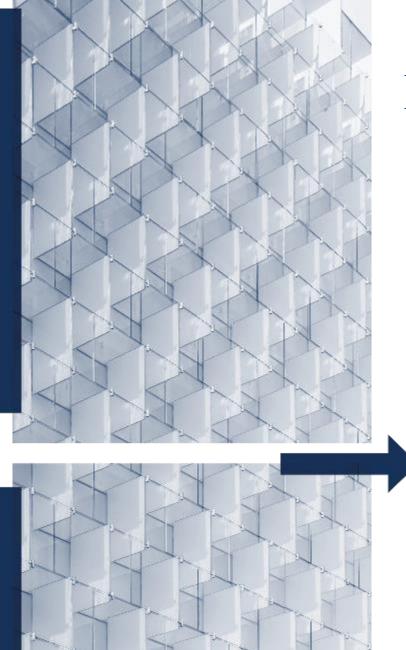
Employee Data (for one year)

B2B Communications (for one year)

Publicly Available Information

Deidentified and Aggregate Information





Deidentified Data

Information that cannot reasonably identify, relate to, describe, be capable of being associated with, or be linked, directly or indirectly, to a particular consumer, provided that a business:

> Has implemented technical safeguards that prohibit re-identification of the consumer to whom the information may pertain.

> Has implemented business processes that specifically prohibit re-identification of the information.

Has implemented business processes to prevent inadvertent release of deidentified information.

Makes no attempt to re-identify the information.





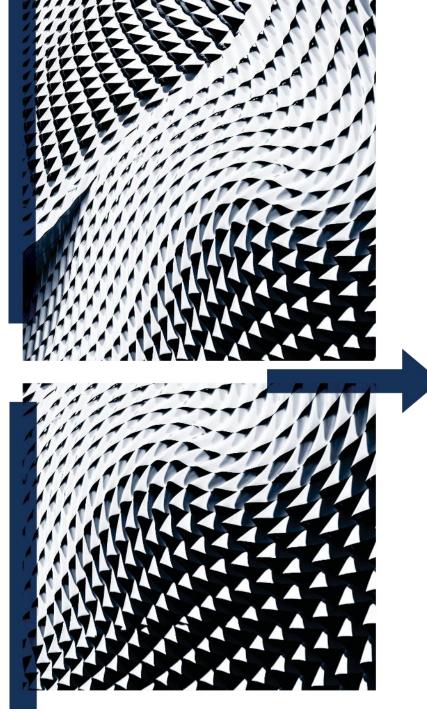
Collecting vs. Selling Personal Information

<u>Collection</u>: Buying, renting, gathering, obtaining, receiving or even accessing personal information, by any means, whether actively or passively, including by observing a consumer's behavior.



<u>Sale</u>: Selling, renting, releasing, disclosing, disseminating, making available, transferring, or communicating personal information orally, in writing, or by electronic or other means for monetary or other valuable consideration.

 Exclusions for consumer consent; conveying a consumer's opt-out instructions to a third party; or data transfers in the course of mergers, acquisitions, bankruptcies and the like, and for a business purpose.



Website Requirements

Privacy Notice that includes:

- Description of consumer information;
- List of categories of personal information collected in preceding 12 months;
- List of categories of personal information sold in the preceding 12 months;
- List of categories of personal information disclosed in the preceding 12 months;

Review & Update Privacy Notice at least once every 12 months.

A clear and conspicuous link titled "**Do Not Sell My Personal Information**," to a webpage that enables a consumer, or a person authorized by the consumer, to optout of the sale of the consumer's personal information.



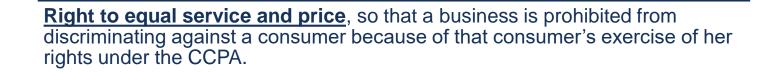




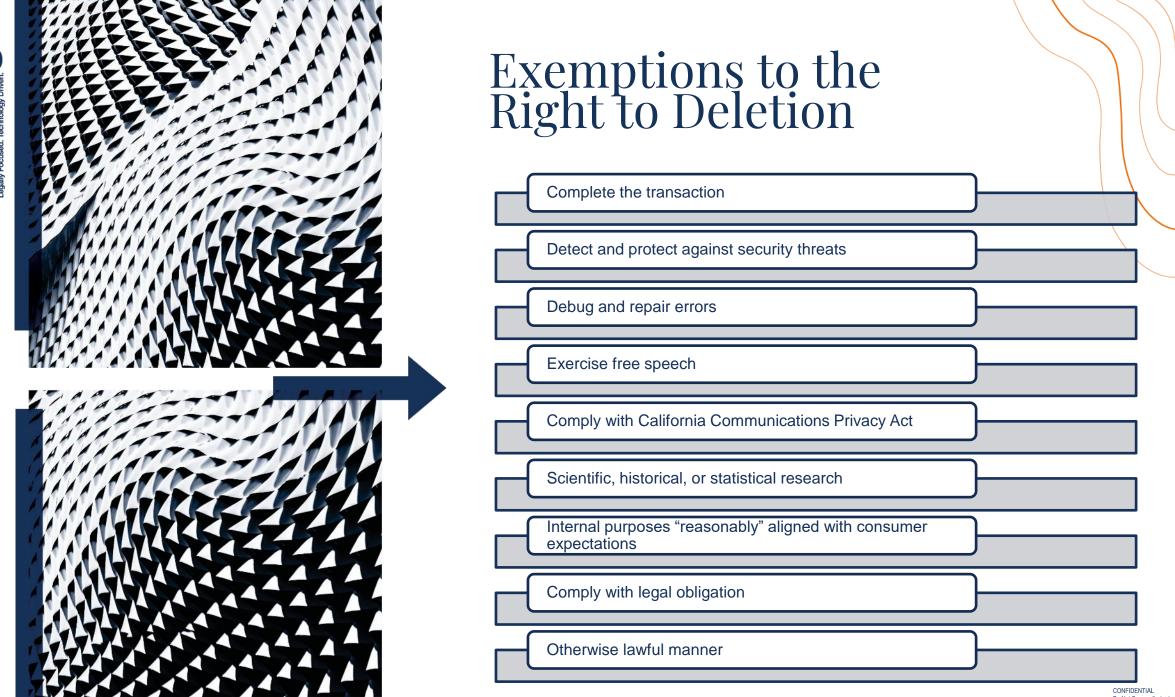
<u>**Right to request**</u> that a business disclose the categories of personal information it has collected about a consumer.

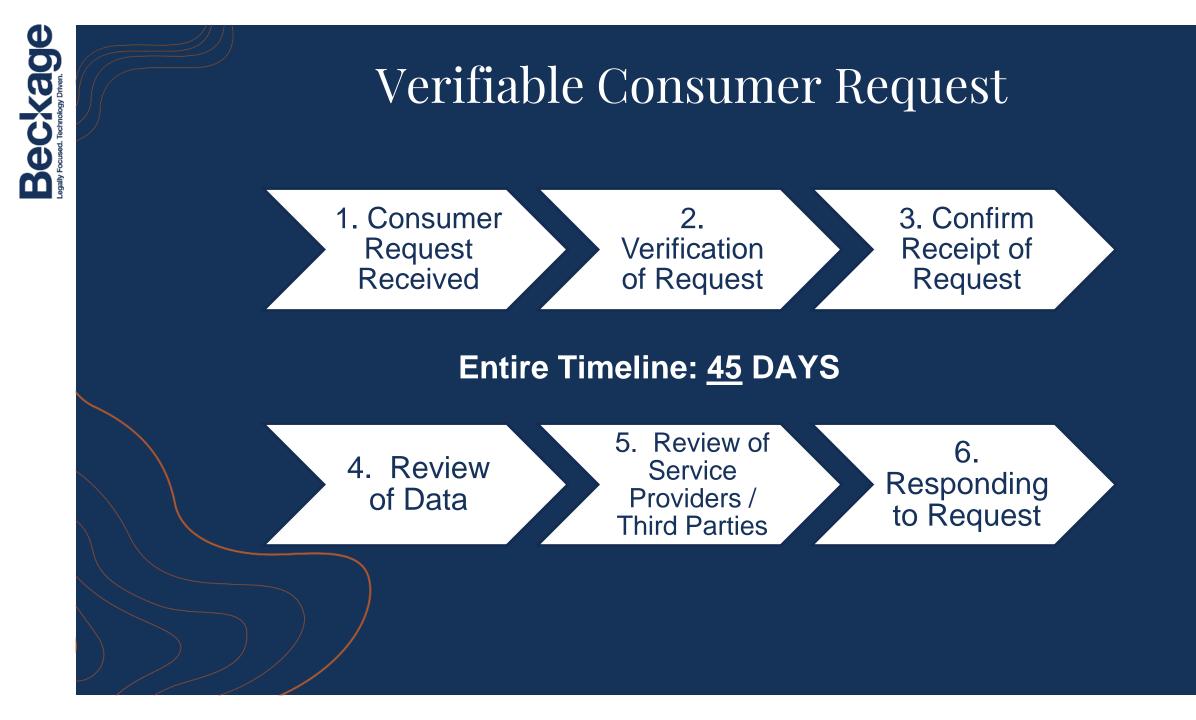
<u>**Right to request**</u> that a business disclose to the consumer the categories of personal information that the business has sold/disclosed and the identity of the third parties to whom such personal information was sold/disclosed.

<u>**Right to opt-out**</u> of a business's sale of personal information about the consumer.



<u>Right to deletion</u> of any personal information about the consumer which the business has collected.





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Verifiable Consumer Request

"Verifiable consumer request":

A request made by the consumer that a business can reasonably verify.
 Consumers may submit requests through mail, email, internet web page, internet web portals, and toll-free phone numbers.

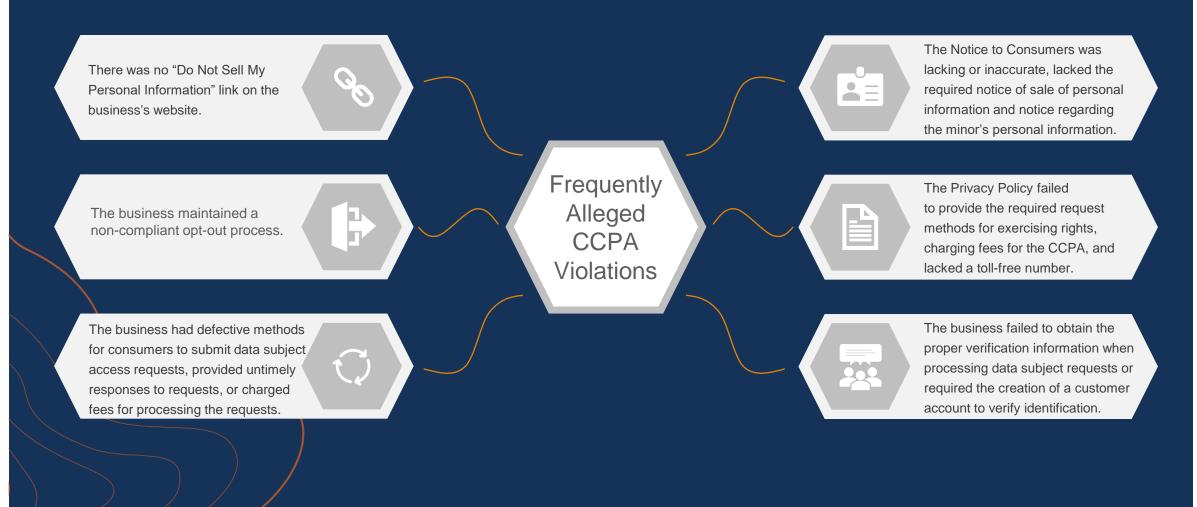
Consumers can request:

 $\circ\mbox{The categories}$ and specific pieces of personal information collected about them,

The categories of sources from which the information was collected,
The business purpose for collecting or selling the information, and
The categories of third parties with which the information is shared.



CCPA Violations



CCPA Violations Examples

A business that manufactures and sells cars failed to notify consumers of the use of personal information when collecting personal information from consumers seeking to test drive vehicles at a dealership location, in addition to other omissions in its privacy policy. After being notified of alleged noncompliance, the business implemented a notice at collection for personal information received in connection with test drives and updated its privacy policy to include required information.

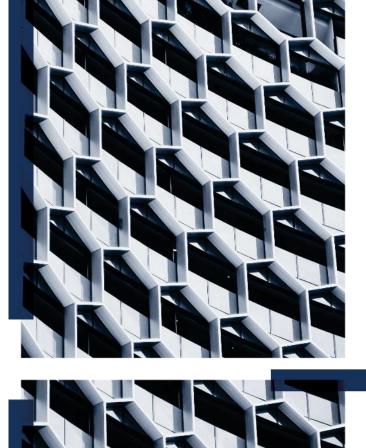
A grocery chain required consumers to provide personal information in exchange for participation in its company loyalty programs. The company did not provide a Notice of Financial Incentive to participating consumers. After being notified of alleged noncompliance, the company amended its privacy policy to include a Notice of Financial Incentive.

A social media app was not timely responding to CCPA requests, and users publicly complained that they were not receiving notice that their CCPA requests had been received or effectuated. The business explained its response processes and submitted detailed plans showing that it updated its CCPA consumer response procedures to include timely receipt confirmations and responses to future requests.

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Source: CA AG Enforcement Update July 19, 2021





California Privacy Rights Act

The CPRA was adopted via the November 2020 ballot initiative and goes into effect January 1, 2023.

Key Provisions: Establish the California Privacy Protection Agency ("CPPA")

Defines "sensitive personal information" stricter than personal information

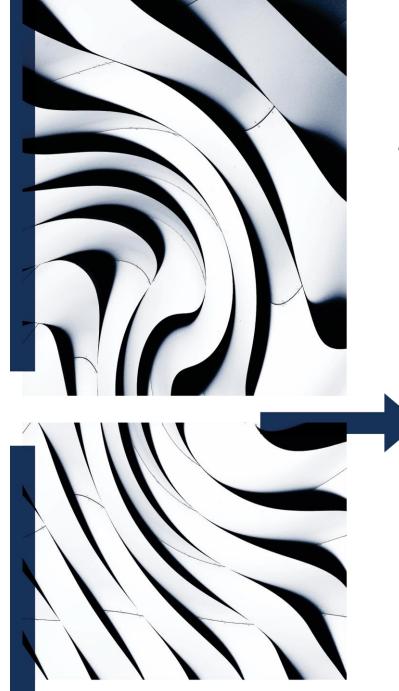
Creates new obligations for companies and organizations processing sensitive personal information. It would also allow consumers to limit the use and disclosure of their sensitive personal information.

Additional Consumer Rights

Expanded Moratorium for Employee Data until January 1, 2023

Expanded Breach Liability





CPRA: Additional Consumer Rights

Additional Consumer Rights -

Right to correct

Right to know length of data retention

Right to opt-out of geolocation utilization

Right to limit business from collecting more data than necessary

Right to restrict how sensitive personal information is used

Right to know what personal information is sold or shared ant to whom

Right to prevent retaliation for exercising privacy rights

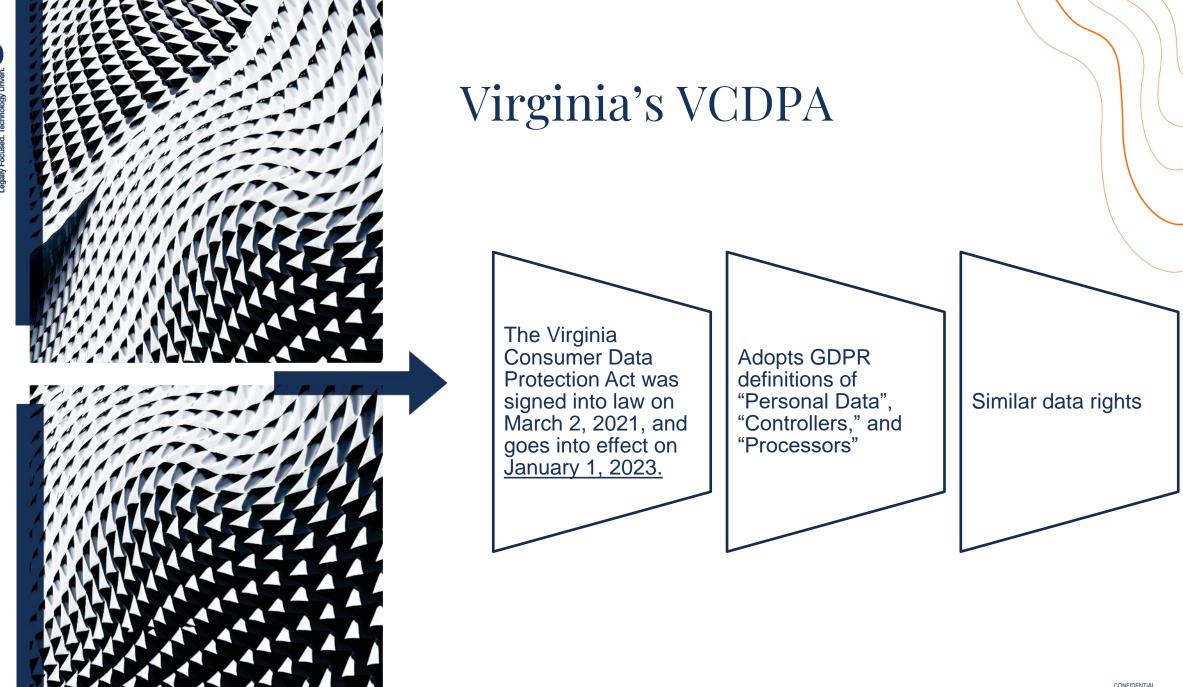


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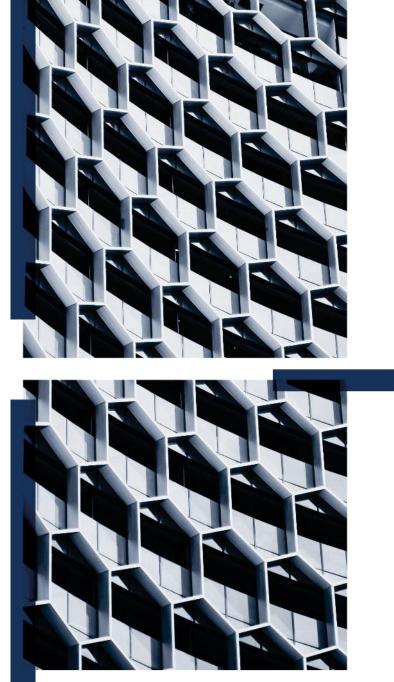
Virigina Consumer Data Privacy Act











Scope of VCDPA

The VCDPA applies to organizations that :

Conduct business in the commonwealth of Virginia

OR

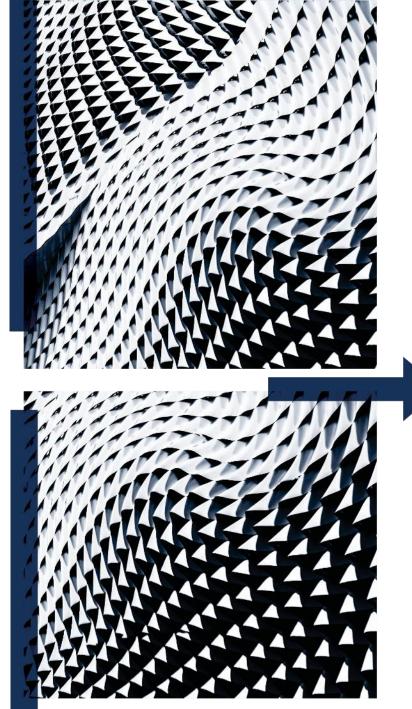
Produce products or services that are targeted to Virginia residents

AND, during a calendar year:

OR

Control or process personal data of at least 100,000 Virginia residents

Derive over 50% of gross revenue from the sale of personal data and control or process personal data of at least 25,000 Virginia residents



Virginia's VCDPA: Key Definitions

"Consumer" is defined as "a natural person who is a resident of the Commonwealth acting only in an individual or household context."

• Expressly excludes employees

"**Personal Information**" is defined as any information that is linked or reasonably linkable to an identified or identifiable natural person.

• "Personal data" does not include de-identified data or publicly available information.

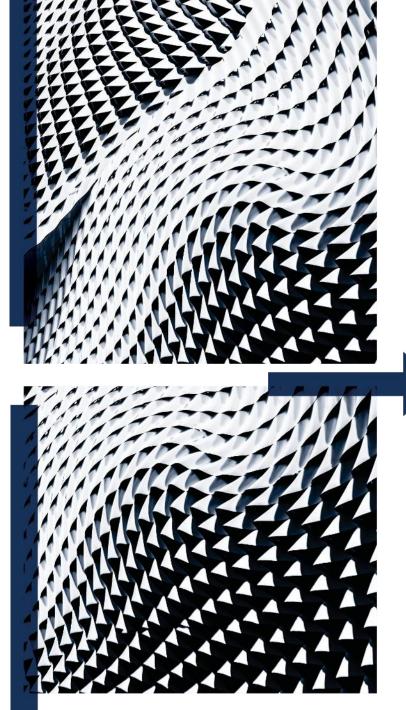
"**Publicly available information**" means information that is lawfully made available through federal, state, or local government records, or information that a business has a reasonable basis to believe is lawfully made available to the general public through widely distributed media, by the consumer, or by a person to whom the consumer has disclosed the information, unless the consumer has restricted the information to a specific audience.

"Sensitive data" means a category of personal data that includes:

 Personal data revealing racial or ethnic origin, religious beliefs, mental or physical health diagnosis, sexual orientation, or citizenship or immigration status;
 The processing of genetic or biometric data for the purpose of uniquely identifying a natural person;

3. The personal data collected from a known child; or

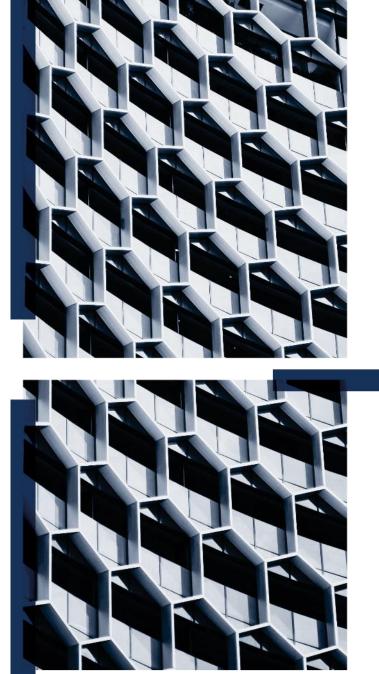
4. Precise geolocation data.

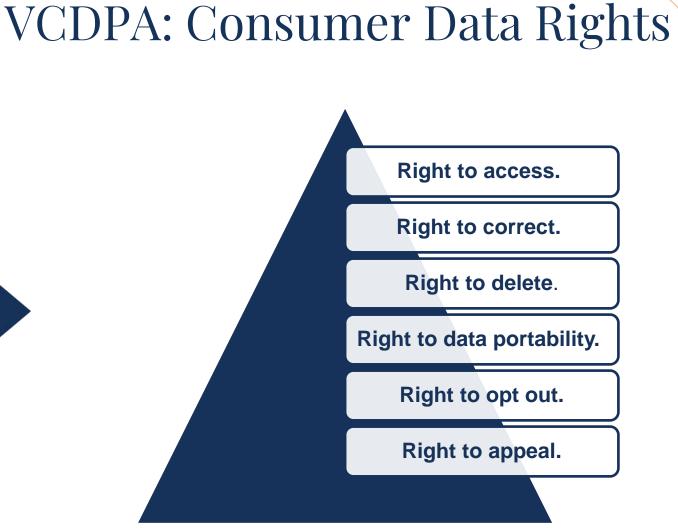


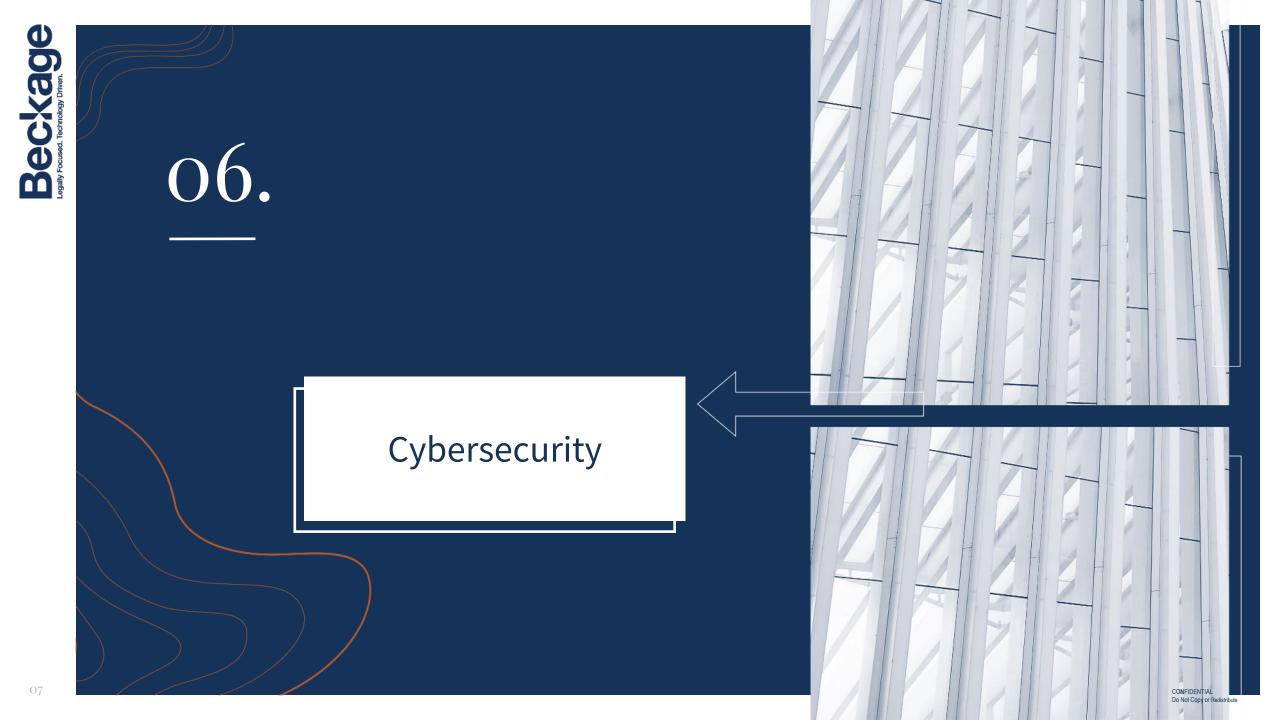
Virginia's VCDPA: Exempted Entities

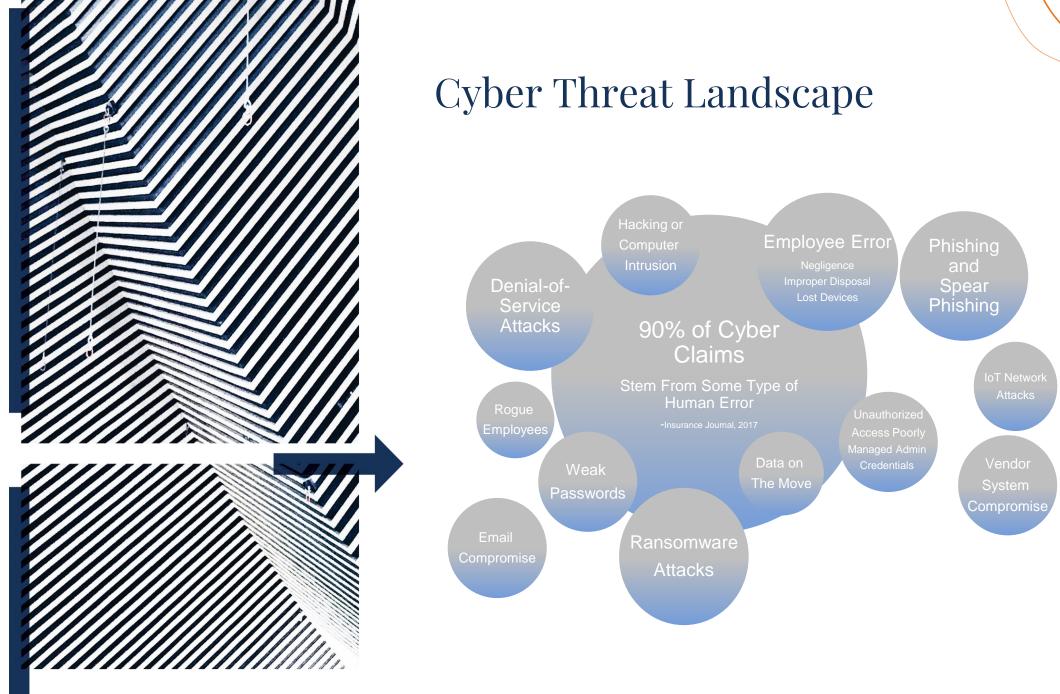
- A body, authority, board, bureau, commission, district, or Virginian agency or any Virginian political subdivision.
- Any financial institution or data subject to the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act.
- A covered entity or business subject to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act and the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act.
- \circ A nonprofit organization.
- $\,\circ\,$ An institution of higher education.





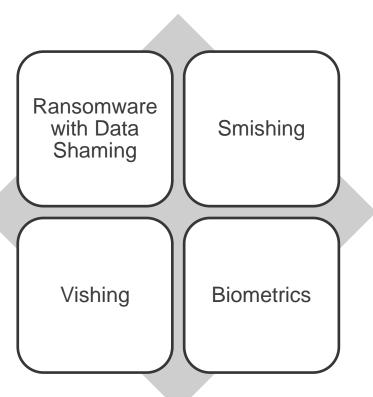






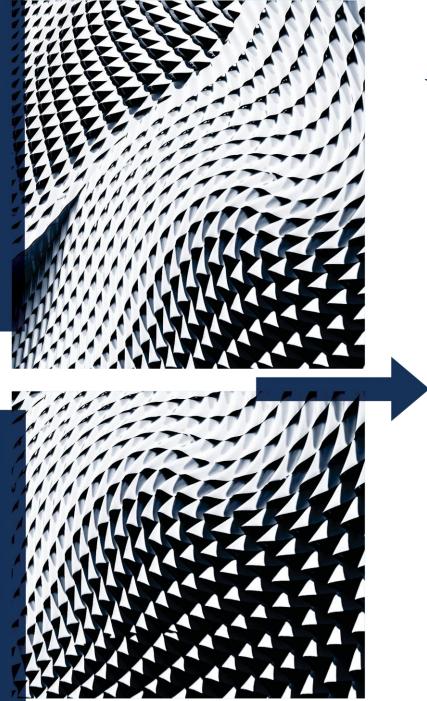






*Reminder to review cybersecurity and tech





What Is In The News?

Third Parties: SolarWinds, BlackBaud

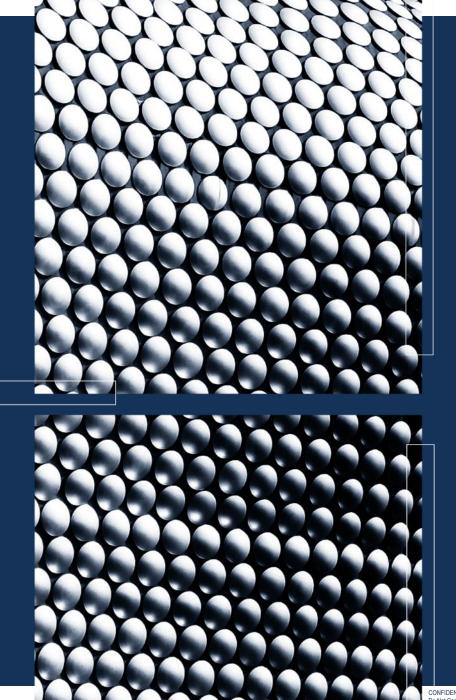
More than just PII/PHI/PCI: Florida Infrastructure Attacks, Colonial Pipeline

Ransomware OFAC Guidance



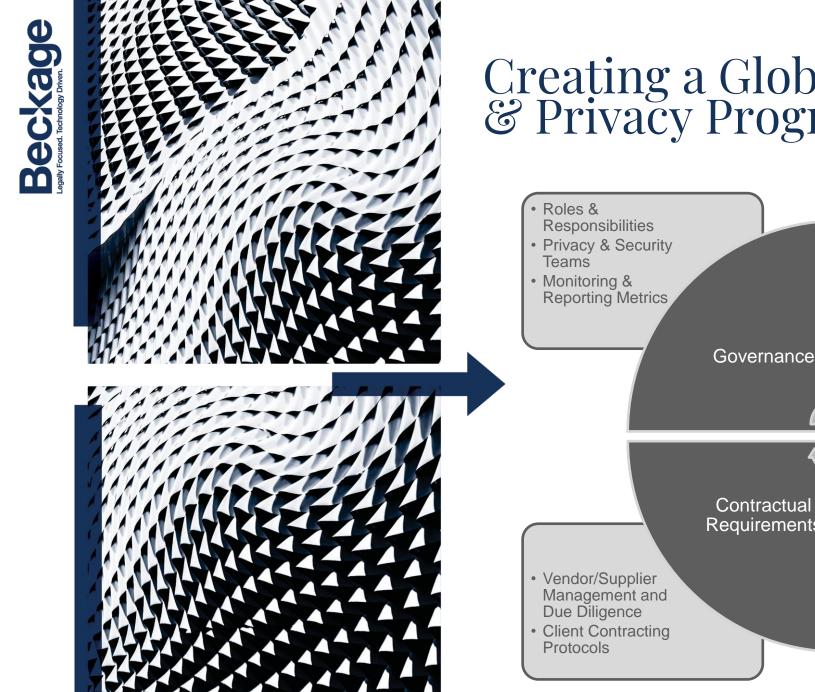
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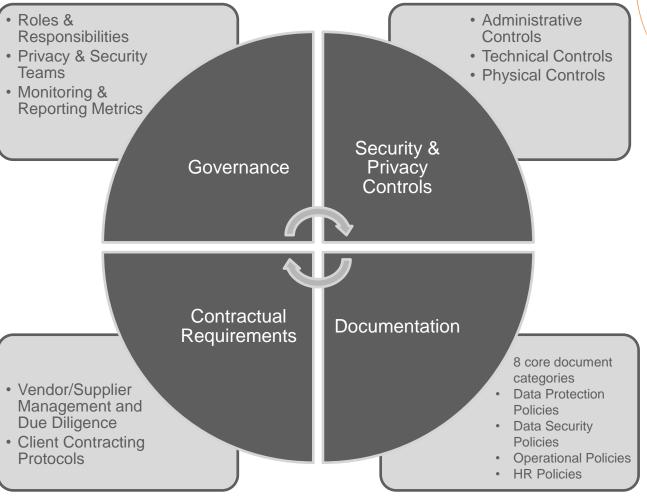


Assessment of Security & Privacy Needs

Identify: • Data flows • Systems • Third Parties	Regulatory Applicability	
	Assess whether regulations apply to the organization and its operations	Implementation Pla
		Develop a plan to address regulatory and industry needs for security and privacy



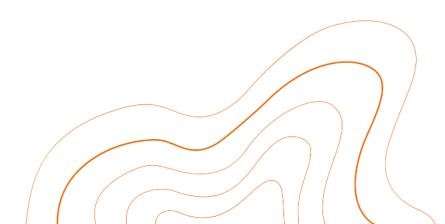
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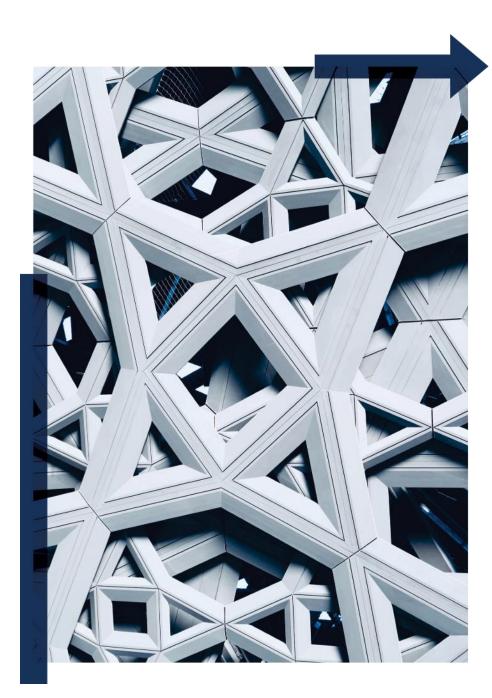
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