

COMMON Certificate Policy Change Proposal Number: 2021-01

To: Federal PKI Policy Authority (FPKIPA)

From: Federal PKI Certificate Policy Working Group (CPWG)

Subject: Proposed modifications to the Federal PKI Common Policy Framework

Certificate Policy

Date: April 13, 2021

Title: Federal PKI Key Recovery Policy Consolidation into Common Policy

Version and Date of Certificate Policy Requested to be changed:

• X.509 Certificate Policy for the Federal PKI Common Policy Framework Version 2.0, September 1, 2020

Change Advocate's Contact Information:

Organization: FPKI Policy Authority E-mail address: fpki@gsa.gov

Organization requesting change: FPKI Certificate Policy Working Group

Change summary: This change proposal consolidates the existing <u>Key Recovery Policy</u> (KRP) requirements into Common Policy. The change proposal does not add any new requirements to agencies or operators.

Specific Changes: Due to format changes and the number of edits, updates were highlighted to CPWG and FPKIPA members in separate, redlined versions of Common Policy.

Change Impact:

- Consolidation of requirements into a single document will:
 - o simplify policy governance and annual review processes
 - o simplify policy landscape for implementers and operations teams
- May facilitate administrative practices consolidation (e.g., Certificate Practices and Key Recovery Practices Statement combination), or reference updates

Estimated Cost: N/A

Implementation Date: September 1, 2021

Prerequisites for Adoption: None

Plan to Meet Prerequisites: Not applicable

Approval and Coordination Dates:

Date presented to CPWG: September 22, 2020

Date change released for comment: September 21, 2020

Date comment adjudication published: March 19, 2021 (Revision 4)