7:54 AM PDT 2023-05-17

**Call to Order:** 0800

**Meeting Lead:** Joshua BRICKMAN

**Attendees:** 24

**Member Count:** 70

**Next Meeting:** Wednesday May 24th, 2023

**Highlights:**

**Old Business:**

**New Business:**

* A member that does not regularly attend the CCitC meetings raised a question to Josh on how the overall status of the project can be identified on GitHub.
  + At this time, there is not an easy way to discern this information
  + Formal iTC’s are in fact required to have a posted schedule, however this approach will require significant management overhead. Other options to be explored.
  + Discussion around how we can convey this information going forward.
* Josh Anzaroot advised that Matt Downey mentioned the CCitC project and our work/progress at the CC day during CSfC conference yesterday.
* Reviewed GitHub Issue #93 – “Definition of Cloud Authorization Scheme”
  + Discussion around Farid Ahmed’s comment
  + The following definition has been accepted:
    - “*A regulatory body or entity that authorizes cloud service offerings for use by their respective governmental agencies or regulated industries.*”
  + This issue has now been closed.
* Reviewed GitHub issue #91 – Definition of Cloud Services in Guidance Document.
  + Discussion around several options for definitions that were proposed as comments to the issue in GitHub. It was noted that NIST’s definition is rather dated. A definition by CSA is recent and relevant.
  + The following definition has been accepted and is reproduced from <https://cloudsecurityalliance.org/blog/2020/04/30/what-is-a-cloud-service-provider/> :
    - *“A Cloud Service is any system that provides on-demand availability of computer system resources, e.g; data storage and computing power, without direct active management by the user.”*
  + The Guidance document has been updated with this definition.
  + This issue has now been closed
* The “Preface” section of the Guidance document has been modified as follows to address project scope as it pertains to Cloud Services:
  + *“The Common Criteria (CC) in the Cloud Technical Work Group (CCitC) has developed this guidance document that provides a complimentary framework to allow for IT product evaluations in Cloud Operating Environments. It will include instructions and examples of how to extend or develop protection profiles to include cloud environments. The scope of the CCiTC is to provide for CC evaluations of IT products and not for the evaluation of [Cloud Services].*

*Such cloud environments may or may not conform to hybrid, public, or private cloud topologies and the associated Cloud Service Providers (CSP). These topologies can all be accommodated in this approach, with the distinction of administrator access and capability informing their inclusion. This effort is not meant to replace solution or service oriented frameworks or certification processes such as FedRAMP or other Cloud Authorization schemes.*

*The main intended audience of this document are Protection Profile authors (e.g. iTCs and national TCs), but it is also useful to evaluators, evaluation authorities, and end users of this type of products.”*

**Questions/Follow-ups:**

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***End of Meeting – Adjourned 0856 PDT***