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## Why am I receiving this communication?

You are identified as GitHub users.

New proxy policy change on the Enterprise proxy is implemented to remediate Red Team GitHub Security exposure:

- New PAT creation page has been blocked on the proxy level.
- Users in the AD security group (**SEC\_Proxy-GitHub-Upload-Allow**) will allow performing git operations to repos in BMO organizations (BMO-Prod, BMO-Sandbox, BMO-Community).
- Git clone from GitHub repos is allowed. This restriction pertains to keywords on the URL and there would be some cases where repo name with prohibited keywords may be blocked.
- Git push to non-BMO organizations is blocked.
- Personal repo creation is disabled on BMO EMU (existing personal repo is still available).

## What do I need to do?

The existing access to BMO organization on GitHub should not be affected if you are in the network security group: **SEC\_Proxy-GitHub-Upload-Allow.** 

If you are facing issues when trying to upload code to GitHub or seeing a Git Operation Failure (403 error), please validate that if you are currently in the security group by checking in Windows Command Line: whoami /groups | find "SEC\_Proxy-Github-Upload-Allow"

If there's no result returned, you are not enrolled in the network security group. Please submit a <u>ServiceNow request</u> to be added to the SEC\_Proxy-GitHub-Upload-Allow Active Directory security group (ID & Access -> User Groups -> Add Access to an active directory security group) to resolve this issue.

The security group pre-requisite is highlighted in DevOps Onboarding Portal, CIO enablement packages, <u>GitHub Onboarding Process</u> and <u>Basic Operation for GitHub</u>.

If your previously requests were canceled by ServiceNow, please resubmit the request to be added to the security group: **SEC\_Proxy-GitHub-Upload-Allow.** 

## **Support**

If you are currently in the security group and still face issues, please <u>submit an Incident</u> via ServiceNow.

Please do not Reply All to this email.

Thanks,
DevSecOps Team