Hackers publish contact info of 20,000 FBI employees

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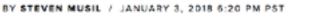
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Hackers published contact information for 20,000 FBI employees Monday afternoon

The Justice Department is actively investigating the incident

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