Company Types and Stakeholders Case Study

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Introduction

When an organization plans for the various types of security incidents they may face, there are numerous factors and variables that can affect the specifics of those Incident Response Plans. From the way the company is set up, to the industry they are in (and the regulations and laws they must comply with), to the various types of stakeholders they may have to include or report to about their business and any incidents it experiences.

In this Case Study you will research an organization and explore a variety of factors that would affect the types of incidents it experiences, how these incidents are dealt with, and who would be informed about the incident.

Case Study

Scenario

"You have been hired by an organization to give recommendations on important factors and stakeholder groups that should be considered when dealing with various security incidents the organization may face."

Instructions

Choose an organization, either from the below listed examples or one of your own choosing.

- 1. The Medical Society of Prince Edward Island (MSPEI)
- 2. Canadian Tire Corporation
- 3. <u>Nova Scotia Power</u>
- 4. BC Ferries
- 5. <u>Circamax</u>

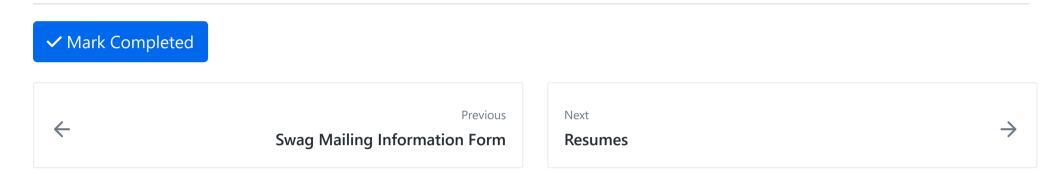


Consider the task below as you investigate the organization you selected. Make a note of your answers and save them for future reference. **You will likely draw on these notes in a later activity.**

Reflection Task

Consider how each of the following areas of the organization would impact the types of incidents that might occur, how they would be dealt with, and who would be informed.

- 1. Company size, structure, industry and area of business
- 2. Company stakeholders and ownership model (e.g. privately owned, publicly traded, etc.)
- 3. Laws or regulations governing the organization's industry, including relevant reporting standards
- 4. Potential incidents, and their relative impact on areas of the business
- 5. Internal vs. External incidents, and industry-specific incidents (if applicable)



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