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From: Shirley Temple, Audit Assurance Team Lead <shirleytemple@gim.gov>
To: (undisclosed)
Cc: (undisclosed)
Re: Fwrdd : Defensive Primary Objective

Team, regarding the primary objective as per CIO previous email below, please execute as directed.

Since this is a Red-Team/Blue-Team exercise, you are authorized to engage the servers of the other agencies. If the other teams cannot do their job, it is not our problem. Their agency servers are likely to have the same kind of requirements as the agency server we are managing so you can use our own server profile as an identifier template. If you can get into their servers and stop their services or modify their content, that will make them look very bad and us very good by comparison. :) *

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----- Forwarded Message Below -----

Date: 11 June 2018 07:51:29 GMT+8
From: Lim Lao Peh, Directorate Head, GIM <limlaopeh@gim.gov>
To: Audit Assurance Teams
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Re: Defensive Primary Objective

Further to general order #515-1812536, you are hereby directed to perform defensive analysis, hardening and maintenance of the Garponesi government agency that your team has been seconded to.

Your objective is to review all pre-existing services running on the central server belonging to the agency you have been seconded to, in order to make sure they are secure and fully operational and accessible to the agency's users.

Your scope of work covers :

- (i) ensuring the MySQL, SSH and HTTP services are up and running; and
- (ii) ensuring authorized users of these services can access the services at all times; and
- (iii) securing and protecting these services against unauthorized intrusion.

If the users cannot access the services for whatever reason, it will reflect badly on the reputation of the agency you have been seconded to defend. This will in turn make that agency question our competency.

Therefore, the users logging into the services need to be taken care of - under no circumstance must you cause or make them complain about not being able to login or access their accounts on the agency server you are responsible for.

* GameMaster's Note : Attacking other teams' servers does not score you any direct points. However, any successful attack against another team's server that brings down the target team's services or that team's agency server itself may potentially cause it to lose defensive points, thus negatively affecting their total score.

Unlike your primary and secondary objectives as displayed inside the in-game scoring and documentation system, any such attacks you perform against other teams' agency servers are **NOT** primary or secondary objectives and are **NOT** scored as part of your scope of work - they only cause negative impact on other teams' scores.

Accordingly, each team is responsible for their own agency server and for any attacks they decide to run under this engagement against other teams' servers. However, if you do decide to do so, you are considered acting on your own just like in real life and any consequences (e.g. you get hacked back in return, etc) will be suffered by you alone :)