#### 2009 HOSPITALITY LAW CONFERENCE

## Information and Technology Risk



Challenges for a Connected World!



## Presenters



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- 15 Years experience with Management and Professional Liability



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- NLdH is an insurance services law firm with 50 attorneys practicing in 5 offices.
- He has practiced nationally for 17 years, and is a frequent speaker and writer in his areas of focus: data/cyber risk, ediscovery, mass/toxic tort and construction law.
- John represents companies that experience data theft/losses focused on immediate response to issues including forensics, public relations, litigation holds, notice, class action and other "triage"



## Presenters



- Mark Greisiger leads NetDiligence, a Cybersecurity Risk Management company.
- For the past 8 years NetDiligence has been offering unique cybersecurity e-risk assessment services to businesses.
- Their due diligence services support the unique loss control and compliance needs for many businesses as well as their professional liability insurers in US and UK, which offer network liability coverage (aka "privacy insurance").
- Mark is also a frequent published contributor for various insurance and risk management publications on similar topics.



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## Cyber Landscape





## Loss Data Types

- Account Information
- Personally Identifiable Information (PII)
- Medical
- Trade Secrets/Client Lists





## What are the Risks

■That E&O, PL, CGL, D&O don't apply

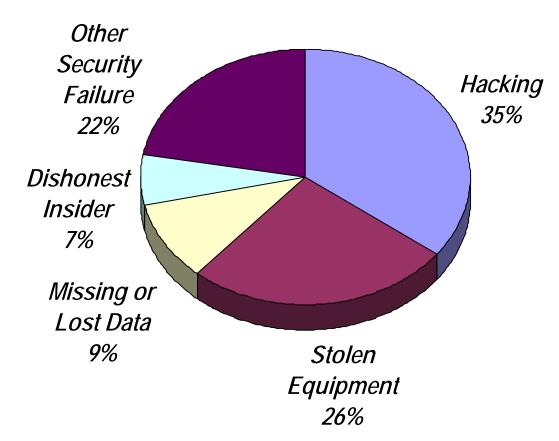
•Account fraud/identity theft/nothing (yet)





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#### What Caused 181 Data Breaches?







## Current Events...sample of incidents

March 2008 – Hannaford Supermarket: A major security breach reported by the supermarket may have compromised more than <u>4.2 million</u> unique credit and debit card numbers. The company said it is currently aware of about 1,800 cases of reported fraud. A class action lawsuit has been filed in Maine.

**March 2008 - Cascade Healthcare**. Breach at the hospital may affect more than <u>11,500 people</u>. The virus penetrated the computer system Dec. 11 07.

**March 2008 – MTV:** Network breach impacts <u>5,000 employees</u>, successful social-engineering blamed. The network, owned by Viacom, issued a memo to employees, announcing that an employee's computer was compromised through an internet connection, published reports said. The data included names, Social Security numbers, birth dates and salaries.

Jan 2008 - OmniAmerican Bank: An international gang of cyber criminals hacked into OmniAmerican Bank's records, the bank's president disclosed...They stole scores of account numbers, created new PINs, fabricated debit cards, then withdrew cash from ATMs in Eastern Europe, including Russia and Ukraine, as well as in Britain, Canada and New York.

Jan 2008 - T. Rowe Price Retirement Plan Services <u>alerted 35,000</u> current and former participants in "several hundred" plans that their names and Social Security numbers were contained in files on computers that were stolen.

**Jan 2008 – EDS:** About <u>260,000 participants</u> in Medicaid programs were sent a recent mailing that included the recipients' Social Security numbers above their names on the address labels..

**Jan 2008 – Sears:** Class Action Suit Alleges Sears Privacy Failures: privacy activists revealed that the company's Web site exposed the details of customer purchases going back more than a decade..







## **Example Claim Costs**

- Costs to notify consumers: \$1 to \$5 per individual (plus costs for a lawyer to help interpret/ comply with multiple state privacy/ notice laws)
- **Investigation:** Legal and technical costs to forensically investigate/stop an attack or confirm the breach and the extent of it.
  - How far did the bad guy get? Was there a reasonable chance they illegally accessed customer data.
  - What type(s) of NPI was touched.
  - Who are the victims, what state do they reside?
- Credit Monitoring Services: \$10 to \$60 per person per year
   [approx 20% of individuals accept]
- Defense Costs: class action defense costs: notification, forensic, litigation hold, P.R., \$XXX,XXX+
- **Legal Liability?** Key consideration: Minor damages for large groups = significant potential loss
  - \$1,000 (damages) X 300,000 (claimants) = \$300 million!!!
- Other: FTC & VISA Fines, Bank reimbursements





## Array of Plaintiffs

- Individuals
- Government
- Effected businesses (banks)
- Class Actions
  - Currently no "breakthrough" case yet
  - Trend toward finding liability
  - Federal Courts are not yet agreeing that credit monitoring is enough damages to sustain a class action
  - Plaintiff's bar filing and probing





## Impacts and Costs

### Third party claims arising from a network event:

- Failure to protect customer information/privacy
- Failure to notify/timely notification
- Cost to cancel or reissue payment cards/open new accounts
- Costs of fraudulent purchases
- Consumer Redress credit monitoring/identity theft insurance
- Regulatory Actions fines and penalties





## Regulations

- State level 'breach notice': 43 states require notice to customers after unauth access to NPI
  - Calif SB 1386: Requires firms that conduct business in California to notify California-consumers of security breaches of unencrypted computerized personal information. Customers have private right of action for violations
  - Data-at-rest (disc level) encryption often a safe harbor
- Plastic Card Act (Mn): Issuing banks seeking reimbursement from merchants for costs to reissue credit cards (and other "reasonable costs") after a security breach.
  - "The 48-hour Rule" do not retain sensitive authentication data
  - Trigger: "security breach" (acquisition of personal information by an unauthorized person)
  - No encryption safe harbor
  - Other states considering similar law
- Fair And Accurate Transaction Act of 2003 (FACTA)
  - Truncation
    - Section 15 U.S.C. § 1681c(g) of FACTA limits the information that can be printed on an electronically printed credit card receipt to the last five digits of the credit card number, and specifically prohibits printing a credit card's expiration date on the receipt.
    - A single violation of FACTA could result in damages ranging from \$100 to \$1,000
    - Over 100 class actions
  - Disposal: proper disposal of consumer report information required. "Consumer information" under FACTA includes
    - records that are consumer reports
    - records that are derived from consumer reports



# Costs

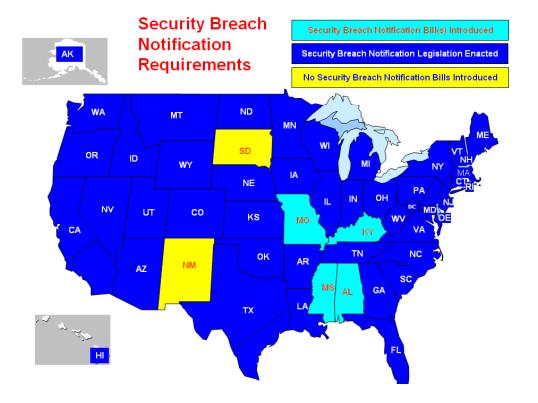
- Attorney fees, including:
  - Investigation
  - Notification
  - Guidance
  - Defense/e-discovery
- Indemnity payments
- Notification costs

- Card re-issuance
- Credit monitoring
- Call centers
- I.D. theft insurance





## Compliance Trends – Breach Notice



## State level 'breach notice'

45 states require notice to customers after unauthorized access to personal data

#### (NEW) Identity Theft Enforcement and Restitution Act

New law allows identity theft victims to seek restitution in federal court for the loss of time and money spent in restoring their credit.





## A Note on 'Privacy'

#### You can NOT have <u>privacy</u> without solid info-security!

#### **Privacy Practices are often based on Fair Information Principles**

The Fair Information Principles, the basic components of a privacy program, are:

- Provide consumers with *notice* regarding data collection
- Give consumers choice regarding use of their data
- Provide consumer access to review/comment on quality
- Ensure data accurate/ up-to-date; review and correct all data
- Set collection and use limits (purpose)
- Provide adequate security against improper use
- Be accountable for legal conformance





## Compliance Trends – PCI DSS

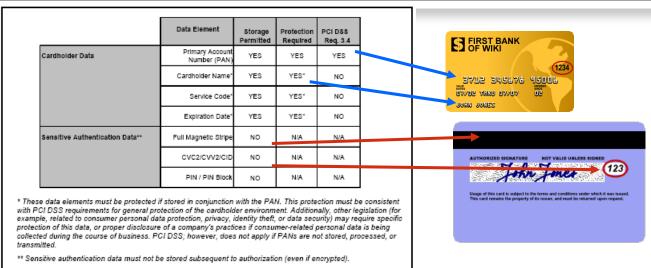
- PCI DSS ("Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard") includes requirements for critical protective measures:
  - security management
  - policies and procedures
  - network architecture
  - software design
- Goal: to helps organizations proactively <u>protect customer account</u> <u>data</u>
- Developed by American Express, Discover Financial Services, JCB, MasterCard Worldwide and Visa International

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PCI Data Security Standard		
Build and Maintain a Secure Network	Install and maintain a firewall confirmation to protect data     Do not use vendor-supplied defaults for system passwords and other security parameters	
Protect Cardholder Data	Protect stored data     Encrypt transmission of cardholder data and sensitive information across public networks	
Maintain a Vulnerability Management Program	<ul><li>5. Use and regularly update anti-virus software</li><li>6. Develop and maintain secure applications</li></ul>	
Implement Strong Access Control Measures	<ul><li>7. Restrict access to data by business need-to-know</li><li>8. Assign a unique ID to each person with computer access</li><li>9. Restrict physical access to cardholder data</li></ul>	
Regularly Monitor and Test Networks	<ul><li>10. Track and monitor all access to network resources and cardholder data</li><li>11. Regularly test security systems and processes</li></ul>	
Maintain an Information Security Policy	12. Maintain a policy that addresses information security	



## Key to PCI: Watch How & What You Store



- Customer NPI data should be encrypted in a database
- Do not store sensitive authentication data subsequent to authorization (not even if it's encrypted)
  - Do not store the full contents of any track from the magnetic stripe (on the back of the card)
  - Do not store the card validation code (3- or 4- digit value printed on the front or back of a payment card)
  - Do not store the PIN verification value (PVV)
- Acquirers can be fined between \$5,000 and \$25,000 a month for each their merchants that have not validated PCI compliance



#### The Internet's open network

- Many companies have a transactional website
- Businesses collect and store customer private data
  - More data often collected than needed
  - Data often Stored for too long
- Business servers (websites) are very porous and need constant care (hardening & patching). 4 out of 5 fail scan test
- IRP is suspect (often find out about an incident after a long period of time)
- Bad buys rely on the prevalence of human error
  - Unchanged default settings
  - No applied patches
  - Customer private records (paper) improperly disposed (dumpster)
  - Poor Passwords





## What can be done?

- Increase awareness of risk. Talk to your IT Sec folks, let them know about your insurance and claim notice conditions
- Gain an appreciation of the many challenges they face to manage the risks. ex. what type(s) of customer data is being collected, stored, protected...and where does all this data reside?
- Assess & Test your own staff and operations.... try to understand your orgs strengths & weaknesses.
   Document due care
- Back to basics: Implement at least 'baseline' safeguard controls
- Vigilance: Update & monitor your measures





## Strategies for Risk Managers

#### **Loss Prevention Approach**

#### **Proactively Assess Controls Surrounding:**

- People: dedicated info sec personnel; Background checked; Proper security budget and vigilant about their job!
- **Processes:** enterprise ISO17799, GLBA/ FFIEC ready; policies enforced daily; employee education/ training; change management processes, etc.
- **Technology:** managed firewall with IDS/IPS, hardened & patched servers, strong passwords, event logging, anti-virus software, data is encrypted in transmission & storage, port scanning, daily backup, redundancy/ hot-site..



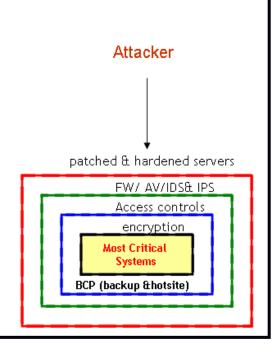


## Key Concept – Layered Safeguards

#### **Threat Mitigation**

#### Defense in Depth....Layered Security

- •Border routers, firewalls, effective firewall rules, proxy servers, patched servers, strong password policies, IDS systems and effective security policy procedures can all be circumvented individually
- •All components jointly working together is the key
- •Understand security as <u>layers</u> or fences around a guarded property







## Assessment Scope

#### **Example Physical controls**

- Prohibit external portable storage devices
- Lock down USG Keys
- Configure PCs and Laptops so they only accept encrypted external hard drives
- Eliminate file sharing programs
- All discarded hard drives must be degaussed and destroyed in chipper
- Color code and label waste bins, office paper must be placed in locked bins
- Shredding must be done on site and supervised including shredding vendors
- Clean desk policy

#### **Example Electronic Controls**

- All PCs, laptops, mainframes must be encrypted
- Robust passwords that have 30 day expiration
- Password protection on all portable email devices

#### **Administrative**

- No client data on laptops
- No external instant messaging
- Establish strict policy on email usage
- Remote access policy
- No message boards access on Internet
- No downloads permitted
- No personal software
- Only company installed virus protection & FW





## Summary – Why Assess?

- Purpose: Showcase Risk Mgmt Strengths
  - Reaffirm & document due care and a prudent information security program
  - Good faith effort towards compliance
  - Lessons learned from past loss/ incidents
- Illuminate Red Flags (weak security controls to improve upon)
  - No firewall
  - Mis-configuration: Key Server in-front of FW
  - No DR Test (many)
  - No DB/Storage Encryption (most)
  - Opening in the Corp Network perimeter (many)
  - IDS really of no help
  - Poor Passwords
  - No background checks
  - No Dedicated Security Personnel/ Role

- **Proactive Risk Mitigation Efforts** 
  - Assess & Test
  - Inventory of Assets; Data, Systems, applications
  - Effective Privacy Policy
  - Employee training
  - Quarterly Pen testing (know the hacker's view)
  - Encrypt & Detect
  - Review of you ASP's & Partners own safeguards



# 1st Steps

#### Data loss Event

- Forensics
- Public Relations
- Notifications
- Litigation Hold
- Reconcile Event to company policies.





- All data at risk
- Expensive customers
- Proactive is best
- Expensive defending a loss
- Now or Later







# If Security and Privacy Procedures Fail Cyber Insurance Can Help!





# Network and Privacy Insurance Background of 'Cyber Insurance'

- Exclusion on Traditional Insurance
   Products (reinsurance implemented virus exclusion in 2001)
- First and Third Party Exposures
- Stand Alone Network Security Policy
- Network and Privacy Endorsements





## Network and Privacy Insurance Gaps in Traditional Insurance Coverages

#### General Liability:

- Impaired access liability
- Product disparagement
- Customer injury suits
- Wrongful or offensive web content
- Channel attack liability
- Banner advertising
- Copyright or trademark infringement
- Domain name (trademark) disputes
- Misuse of meta tag language
- Misuse of framing or linking

#### Property:

- No direct physical loss to tangible property
- Misappropriation of a record
  - Bl and EE
- Professional Liability:
  - Strict definition of Professional Services
  - Services for a customer and a fee
  - Personal, Advertising and Bodily Injury exclusions





## Network and Privacy Insurance Overview of Insurance Coverages

- Third Party
  - Privacy Liability
  - Network Security Liability
  - Internet Media Liability
- First Party
  - Crisis Management and Notification Expenses
  - Cyber Extortion
  - Digital Asset Loss
  - Business Interruption Loss





# Network and Privacy Insurance Privacy Coverage under Network Security

- Privacy coverage was subject to a network security event
  - Unauthorized access by a hacker
  - Unauthorized use of a computer system by a rogue employee
- •What about enterprise breaches of privacy?
  - Stolen/lost laptop
  - Media
  - Administrative errors
  - Human errors
- Privacy coverage NOW includes failure to properly handle, manage store, destroy or otherwise control
  - Personal information in any format
  - Third party corporate information in format





## Network and Privacy Insurance Overview of Privacy Liability Coverages

- Identity Theft Response Fund
  - Notification Expense Fund
    - Covers expenses to notify customers whose sensitive personal information has been breached.
  - Crisis Management Expense Fund
    - Covers expenses to obtain legal, public relations or crisis management services to restore the company's reputation.



## Network Security Liability

 Covers any liability of the organization arising out of the failure of network security, including unauthorized access or unauthorized use of corporate systems, a denial of service attack, or transmission of malicious code.





## Network and Privacy Insurance Privacy and Network Liability Market

- Limits of up to \$20 million available single carrier
- Excess capacity available
- Premiums vary according to:
  - Company revenues
  - Industry group
  - Limits, sub-limits, retentions, terms & conditions
  - Information management practices in place
  - Standalone or packaged coverage (1st & 3rd)











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