

Security Update

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Important Security Alerts

- Phishing campaigns tied to IT outages:
 Threat actors <u>impersonating Crowdstrike</u> by offering remediation/recovery support.
- Cost and impact of ransomware attacks:
 Analysis of ransomware attacks on the energy sector, and how to minimize threat.
- Use of Al in malign influence activity: Statesponsored media company <u>using Al to create</u> <u>fake online personas</u> for disinformation campaigns.

Monitored Threats

- Exploitation of unpatched vulnerabilities
- Phishing and smishing attacks
- Distributed Denial of Service attacks
- Use of deepfake and Adaptive AI technology

Contact PJM

- To report unusual events, notify your normal PJM contacts.
- To report connectivity issues contact Member Relations.
- To report suspicious email, notify <u>SecurityAlertTm@pjm.com</u>.
- Share this info with your security team.



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