

Exam Questions 712-50

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NEW QUESTION 1

- (Topic 1)

When managing an Information Security Program, which of the following is of MOST importance in order to influence the culture of an organization?

- A. An independent Governance, Risk and Compliance organization
- B. Alignment of security goals with business goals
- C. Compliance with local privacy regulations
- D. Support from Legal and HR teams

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 2

- (Topic 1)

When dealing with a risk management process, asset classification is important because it will impact the overall:

- A. Threat identification
- B. Risk monitoring
- C. Risk treatment
- D. Risk tolerance

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 3

- (Topic 1)

Information security policies should be reviewed:

- A. by stakeholders at least annually
- B. by the CISO when new systems are brought online
- C. by the Incident Response team after an audit
- D. by internal audit semiannually

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 4

- (Topic 1)

Payment Card Industry (PCI) compliance requirements are based on what criteria?

- A. The types of cardholder data retained
- B. The duration card holder data is retained
- C. The size of the organization processing credit card data
- D. The number of transactions performed per year by an organization

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 5

- (Topic 1)

What role should the CISO play in properly scoping a PCI environment?

- A. Validate the business units' suggestions as to what should be included in the scoping process
- B. Work with a Qualified Security Assessor (QSA) to determine the scope of the PCI environment
- C. Ensure internal scope validation is completed and that an assessment has been done to discover all credit card data
- D. Complete the self-assessment questionnaire and work with an Approved Scanning Vendor (ASV) to determine scope

Answer: :C

NEW QUESTION 6

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following is considered the MOST effective tool against social engineering?

- A. Anti-phishing tools
- B. Anti-malware tools
- C. Effective Security Vulnerability Management Program
- D. Effective Security awareness program

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 7

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following most commonly falls within the scope of an information security governance steering committee?

- A. Approving access to critical financial systems
- B. Developing content for security awareness programs
- C. Interviewing candidates for information security specialist positions
- D. Vetting information security policies

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 8

- (Topic 1)

A method to transfer risk is to:

- A. Implement redundancy
- B. move operations to another region
- C. purchase breach insurance
- D. Alignment with business operations

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 9

- (Topic 1)

What is the BEST way to achieve on-going compliance monitoring in an organization?

- A. Only check compliance right before the auditors are scheduled to arrive onsite.
- B. Outsource compliance to a 3rd party vendor and let them manage the program.
- C. Have Compliance and Information Security partner to correct issues as they arise.
- D. Have Compliance direct Information Security to fix issues after the auditors report.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 10

- (Topic 1)

Risk appetite directly affects what part of a vulnerability management program?

- A. Staff
- B. Scope
- C. Schedule
- D. Scan tools

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 10

- (Topic 1)

Why is it vitally important that senior management endorse a security policy?

- A. So that they will accept ownership for security within the organization.
- B. So that employees will follow the policy directives.
- C. So that external bodies will recognize the organizations commitment to security.
- D. So that they can be held legally accountable.

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 11

- (Topic 1)

A company wants to fill a Chief Information Security Officer position in the organization. They need to define and implement a more holistic security program. Which of the following qualifications and experience would be MOST desirable to find in a candidate?

- A. Multiple certifications, strong technical capabilities and lengthy resume
- B. Industry certifications, technical knowledge and program management skills
- C. College degree, audit capabilities and complex project management
- D. Multiple references, strong background check and industry certifications

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 12

- (Topic 1)

An organization's Information Security Policy is of MOST importance because

- A. it communicates management's commitment to protecting information resources
- B. it is formally acknowledged by all employees and vendors
- C. it defines a process to meet compliance requirements
- D. it establishes a framework to protect confidential information

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 16

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following is MOST important when dealing with an Information Security Steering committee:

- A. Include a mix of members from different departments and staff levels.
- B. Ensure that security policies and procedures have been vetted and approved.

- C. Review all past audit and compliance reports.
- D. Be briefed about new trends and products at each meeting by a vendor.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 17

- (Topic 1)

When an organization claims it is secure because it is PCI-DSS certified, what is a good first question to ask towards assessing the effectiveness of their security program?

- A. How many credit card records are stored?
- B. How many servers do you have?
- C. What is the scope of the certification?
- D. What is the value of the assets at risk?

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 20

- (Topic 1)

What is the MAIN reason for conflicts between Information Technology and Information Security programs?

- A. Technology governance defines technology policies and standards while security governance does not.
- B. Security governance defines technology best practices and Information Technology governance does not.
- C. Technology Governance is focused on process risks whereas Security Governance is focused on business risk.
- D. The effective implementation of security controls can be viewed as an inhibitor to rapid Information Technology implementations.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 24

- (Topic 1)

The single most important consideration to make when developing your security program, policies, and processes is:

- A. Budgeting for unforeseen data compromises
- B. Streamlining for efficiency
- C. Alignment with the business
- D. Establishing your authority as the Security Executive

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 26

- (Topic 1)

The Information Security Management program MUST protect:

- A. all organizational assets
- B. critical business processes and /or revenue streams
- C. intellectual property released into the public domain
- D. against distributed denial of service attacks

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 31

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following represents the HIGHEST negative impact resulting from an ineffective security governance program?

- A. Reduction of budget
- B. Decreased security awareness
- C. Improper use of information resources
- D. Fines for regulatory non-compliance

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 34

- (Topic 1)

When creating a vulnerability scan schedule, who is the MOST critical person to communicate with in order to ensure impact of the scan is minimized?

- A. The asset owner
- B. The asset manager
- C. The data custodian
- D. The project manager

Answer: :A

NEW QUESTION 36

- (Topic 2)

Your IT auditor is reviewing significant events from the previous year and has identified some procedural oversights. Which of the following would be the MOST

concerning?

- A. Lack of notification to the public of disclosure of confidential information.
- B. Lack of periodic examination of access rights
- C. Failure to notify police of an attempted intrusion
- D. Lack of reporting of a successful denial of service attack on the network.

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 38

- (Topic 2)

You have implemented the new controls. What is the next step?

- A. Document the process for the stakeholders
- B. Monitor the effectiveness of the controls
- C. Update the audit findings report
- D. Perform a risk assessment

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 39

- (Topic 2)

IT control objectives are useful to IT auditors as they provide the basis for understanding the:

- A. Desired results or purpose of implementing specific control procedures.
- B. The audit control checklist.
- C. Techniques for securing information.
- D. Security policy

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 43

- (Topic 2)

When measuring the effectiveness of an Information Security Management System which one of the following would be MOST LIKELY used as a metric framework?

- A. ISO 27001
- B. PRINCE2
- C. ISO 27004
- D. ITILv3

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 47

- (Topic 2)

Assigning the role and responsibility of Information Assurance to a dedicated and independent security group is an example of:

- A. Detective Controls
- B. Proactive Controls
- C. Preemptive Controls
- D. Organizational Controls

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 52

- (Topic 2)

The executive board has requested that the CISO of an organization define and Key Performance Indicators (KPI) to measure the effectiveness of the security awareness program provided to call center employees. Which of the following can be used as a KPI?

- A. Number of callers who report security issues.
- B. Number of callers who report a lack of customer service from the call center
- C. Number of successful social engineering attempts on the call center
- D. Number of callers who abandon the call before speaking with a representative

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 55

- (Topic 2)

When you develop your audit remediation plan what is the MOST important criteria?

- A. To remediate half of the findings before the next audit.
- B. To remediate all of the findings before the next audit.
- C. To validate that the cost of the remediation is less than the risk of the finding.
- D. To validate the remediation process with the auditor.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 59

- (Topic 2)

An audit was conducted and many critical applications were found to have no disaster recovery plans in place. You conduct a Business Impact Analysis (BIA) to determine impact to the company for each application. What should be the NEXT step?

- A. Determine the annual loss expectancy (ALE)
- B. Create a crisis management plan
- C. Create technology recovery plans
- D. Build a secondary hot site

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 64

- (Topic 2)

When working in the Payment Card Industry (PCI), how often should security logs be review to comply with the standards?

- A. Daily
- B. Hourly
- C. Weekly
- D. Monthly

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 69

- (Topic 2)

Which of the following BEST describes an international standard framework that is based on the security model Information Technology—Code of Practice for Information Security Management?

- A. International Organization for Standardization 27001
- B. National Institute of Standards and Technology Special Publication SP 800-12
- C. Request For Comment 2196
- D. National Institute of Standards and Technology Special Publication SP 800-26

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 74

- (Topic 2)

With respect to the audit management process, management response serves what function?

- A. placing underperforming units on notice for failing to meet standards
- B. determining whether or not resources will be allocated to remediate a finding
- C. adding controls to ensure that proper oversight is achieved by management
- D. revealing the “root cause” of the process failure and mitigating for all internal and external units

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 76

- (Topic 2)

Creating good security metrics is essential for a CISO. What would be the BEST sources for creating security metrics for baseline defenses coverage?

- A. Servers, routers, switches, modem
- B. Firewall, exchange, web server, intrusion detection system (IDS)
- C. Firewall, anti-virus console, IDS, syslog
- D. IDS, syslog, router, switches

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 80

- (Topic 2)

A new CISO just started with a company and on the CISO's desk is the last complete Information Security Management audit report. The audit report is over two years old. After reading it, what should be the CISO's FIRST priority?

- A. Have internal audit conduct another audit to see what has changed.
- B. Contract with an external audit company to conduct an unbiased audit
- C. Review the recommendations and follow up to see if audit implemented the changes
- D. Meet with audit team to determine a timeline for corrections

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 81

- (Topic 2)

The risk found after a control has been fully implemented is called:

- A. Residual Risk
- B. Total Risk
- C. Post implementation risk
- D. Transferred risk

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 82

- (Topic 2)

Step-by-step procedures to regain normalcy in the event of a major earthquake is PRIMARILY covered by which of the following plans?

- A. Incident response plan
- B. Business Continuity plan
- C. Disaster recovery plan
- D. Damage control plan

Answer: :C

NEW QUESTION 87

- (Topic 2)

Which of the following best represents a calculation for Annual Loss Expectancy (ALE)?

- A. Single loss expectancy multiplied by the annual rate of occurrence
- B. Total loss expectancy multiplied by the total loss frequency
- C. Value of the asset multiplied by the loss expectancy
- D. Replacement cost multiplied by the single loss expectancy

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 91

- (Topic 2)

Which of the following is the MOST effective way to measure the effectiveness of security controls on a perimeter network?

- A. Perform a vulnerability scan of the network
- B. External penetration testing by a qualified third party
- C. Internal Firewall ruleset reviews
- D. Implement network intrusion prevention systems

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 96

- (Topic 2)

Which of the following activities must be completed BEFORE you can calculate risk?

- A. Determining the likelihood that vulnerable systems will be attacked by specific threats
- B. Calculating the risks to which assets are exposed in their current setting
- C. Assigning a value to each information asset
- D. Assessing the relative risk facing the organization's information assets

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 98

- (Topic 2)

Which of the following is the MOST important reason to measure the effectiveness of an Information Security Management System (ISMS)?

- A. Meet regulatory compliance requirements
- B. Better understand the threats and vulnerabilities affecting the environment
- C. Better understand strengths and weaknesses of the program
- D. Meet legal requirements

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 100

- (Topic 2)

An organization has implemented a change management process for all changes to the IT production environment. This change management process follows best practices and is expected to help stabilize the availability and integrity of the organization's IT environment. Which of the following can be used to measure the effectiveness of this newly implemented process:

- A. Number of change orders rejected
- B. Number and length of planned outages
- C. Number of unplanned outages
- D. Number of change orders processed

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 104

- (Topic 2)

The remediation of a specific audit finding is deemed too expensive and will not be implemented. Which of the following is a TRUE statement?

- A. The asset is more expensive than the remediation

- B. The audit finding is incorrect
- C. The asset being protected is less valuable than the remediation costs
- D. The remediation costs are irrelevant; it must be implemented regardless of cost.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 109

- (Topic 2)

The patching and monitoring of systems on a consistent schedule is required by?

- A. Local privacy laws
- B. Industry best practices
- C. Risk Management frameworks
- D. Audit best practices

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 114

- (Topic 3)

When gathering security requirements for an automated business process improvement program, which of the following is MOST important?

- A. Type of data contained in the process/system
- B. Type of connection/protocol used to transfer the data
- C. Type of encryption required for the data once it is at rest
- D. Type of computer the data is processed on

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 117

- (Topic 3)

Your incident response plan should include which of the following?

- A. Procedures for litigation
- B. Procedures for reclamation
- C. Procedures for classification
- D. Procedures for charge-back

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 122

- (Topic 3)

A department within your company has proposed a third party vendor solution to address an urgent, critical business need. As the CISO you have been asked to accelerate screening of their security control claims. Which of the following vendor provided documents is BEST to make your decision:

- A. Vendor's client list of reputable organizations currently using their solution
- B. Vendor provided attestation of the detailed security controls from a reputable accounting firm
- C. Vendor provided reference from an existing reputable client detailing their implementation
- D. Vendor provided internal risk assessment and security control documentation

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 125

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following methodologies references the recommended industry standard that Information security project managers should follow?

- A. The Security Systems Development Life Cycle
- B. The Security Project And Management Methodology
- C. Project Management System Methodology
- D. Project Management Body of Knowledge

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 129

- (Topic 3)

The ultimate goal of an IT security projects is:

- A. Increase stock value
- B. Complete security
- C. Support business requirements
- D. Implement information security policies

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 130

- (Topic 3)

When entering into a third party vendor agreement for security services, at what point in the process is it BEST to understand and validate the security posture and compliance level of the vendor?

- A. At the time the security services are being performed and the vendor needs access to the network
- B. Once the agreement has been signed and the security vendor states that they will need access to the network
- C. Once the vendor is on premise and before they perform security services
- D. Prior to signing the agreement and before any security services are being performed

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 132

- (Topic 3)

In order for a CISO to have true situational awareness there is a need to deploy technology that can give a real-time view of security events across the enterprise. Which tool selection represents the BEST choice to achieve situational awareness?

- A. Vmware, router, switch, firewall, syslog, vulnerability management system (VMS)
- B. Intrusion Detection System (IDS), firewall, switch, syslog
- C. Security Incident Event Management (SIEM), IDS, router, syslog
- D. SIEM, IDS, firewall, VMS

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 134

- (Topic 3)

Information Security is often considered an excessive, after-the-fact cost when a project or initiative is completed. What can be done to ensure that security is addressed cost effectively?

- A. User awareness training for all employees
- B. Installation of new firewalls and intrusion detection systems
- C. Launch an internal awareness campaign
- D. Integrate security requirements into project inception

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 138

- (Topic 3)

The organization does not have the time to remediate the vulnerability; however it is critical to release the application. Which of the following needs to be further evaluated to help mitigate the risks?

- A. Provide developer security training
- B. Deploy Intrusion Detection Systems
- C. Provide security testing tools
- D. Implement Compensating Controls

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 143

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following functions implements and oversees the use of controls to reduce risk when creating an information security program?

- A. Risk Assessment
- B. Incident Response
- C. Risk Management
- D. Network Security administration

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 144

- (Topic 3)

How often should the SSAE16 report of your vendors be reviewed?

- A. Quarterly
- B. Semi-annually
- C. Annually
- D. Bi-annually

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 147

- (Topic 3)

As the CISO for your company you are accountable for the protection of information resources commensurate with:

- A. Customer demand
- B. Cost and time to replace
- C. Insurability tables
- D. Risk of exposure

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 148

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following represents the BEST method for obtaining business unit acceptance of security controls within an organization?

- A. Allow the business units to decide which controls apply to their systems, such as the encryption of sensitive data
- B. Create separate controls for the business units based on the types of business and functions they perform
- C. Ensure business units are involved in the creation of controls and defining conditions under which they must be applied
- D. Provide the business units with control mandates and schedules of audits for compliance validation

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 149

- (Topic 4)

The process of identifying and classifying assets is typically included in the

- A. Threat analysis process
- B. Asset configuration management process
- C. Business Impact Analysis
- D. Disaster Recovery plan

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 150

- (Topic 4)

Which wireless encryption technology makes use of temporal keys?

- A. Wireless Application Protocol (WAP)
- B. Wifi Protected Access version 2 (WPA2)
- C. Wireless Equivalence Protocol (WEP)
- D. Extensible Authentication Protocol (EAP)

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 152

- (Topic 4)

Your incident handling manager detects a virus attack in the network of your company. You develop a signature based on the characteristics of the detected virus. Which of the following phases in the incident handling process will utilize the signature to resolve this incident?

- A. Containment
- B. Recovery
- C. Identification
- D. Eradication

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 154

- (Topic 4)

The general ledger setup function in an enterprise resource package allows for setting accounting periods. Access to this function has been permitted to users in finance, the shipping department, and production scheduling. What is the most likely reason for such broad access?

- A. The need to change accounting periods on a regular basis.
- B. The requirement to post entries for a closed accounting period.
- C. The need to create and modify the chart of accounts and its allocations.
- D. The lack of policies and procedures for the proper segregation of duties.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 156

- (Topic 4)

In terms of supporting a forensic investigation, it is now imperative that managers, first- responders, etc., accomplish the following actions to the computer under investigation:

- A. Secure the area and shut-down the computer until investigators arrive
- B. Secure the area and attempt to maintain power until investigators arrive
- C. Immediately place hard drive and other components in an anti-static bag
- D. Secure the area.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 159

- (Topic 4)

One of your executives needs to send an important and confidential email. You want to ensure that the message cannot be read by anyone but the recipient. Which of the following keys should be used to encrypt the message?

- A. Your public key
- B. The recipient's private key
- C. The recipient's public key
- D. Certificate authority key

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 160

- (Topic 4)

Security related breaches are assessed and contained through which of the following?

- A. The IT support team.
- B. A forensic analysis.
- C. Incident response
- D. Physical security team.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 165

- (Topic 4)

Which of the following is a symmetric encryption algorithm?

- A. 3DES
- B. MD5
- C. ECC
- D. RSA

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 170

- (Topic 4)

What is the term describing the act of inspecting all real-time Internet traffic (i.e., packets) traversing a major Internet backbone without introducing any apparent latency?

- A. Traffic Analysis
- B. Deep-Packet inspection
- C. Packet sampling
- D. Heuristic analysis

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 171

- (Topic 4)

Which of the following statements about Encapsulating Security Payload (ESP) is true?

- A. It is an IPSec protocol.
- B. It is a text-based communication protocol.
- C. It uses TCP port 22 as the default port and operates at the application layer.
- D. It uses UDP port 22

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 176

- (Topic 5)

Scenario: An organization has recently appointed a CISO. This is a new role in the organization and it signals the increasing need to address security consistently at the enterprise level. This new CISO, while confident with skills and experience, is constantly on the defensive and is unable to advance the IT security centric agenda.

Which of the following is the reason the CISO has not been able to advance the security agenda in this organization?

- A. Lack of identification of technology stake holders
- B. Lack of business continuity process
- C. Lack of influence with leaders outside IT
- D. Lack of a security awareness program

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 179

- (Topic 5)

Scenario: An organization has made a decision to address Information Security formally and consistently by adopting established best practices and industry standards. The organization is a small retail merchant but it is expected to grow to a global customer base of many millions of customers in just a few years.

Which of the following would be the FIRST step when addressing Information Security formally and consistently in this organization?

- A. Contract a third party to perform a security risk assessment
- B. Define formal roles and responsibilities for Internal audit functions
- C. Define formal roles and responsibilities for Information Security
- D. Create an executive security steering committee

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 180

- (Topic 5)

Scenario: Your organization employs single sign-on (user name and password only) as a convenience to your employees to access organizational systems and data. Permission to individual systems and databases is vetted and approved through supervisors and data owners to ensure that only approved personnel can use particular applications or retrieve information. All employees have access to their own human resource information, including the ability to change their bank routing and account information and other personal details through the Employee Self-Service application. All employees have access to the organizational VPN. The organization wants a more permanent solution to the threat to user credential compromise through phishing. What technical solution would BEST address this issue?

- A. Professional user education on phishing conducted by a reputable vendor
- B. Multi-factor authentication employing hard tokens
- C. Forcing password changes every 90 days
- D. Decreasing the number of employees with administrator privileges

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 183

- (Topic 5)

You are just hired as the new CISO and are being briefed on all the Information Security projects that your section has on going. You discover that most projects are behind schedule and over budget.

Using the best business practices for project management you determine that the project correctly aligns with the company goals and the scope of the project is correct. What is the NEXT step?

- A. Review time schedules
- B. Verify budget
- C. Verify resources
- D. Verify constraints

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 187

- (Topic 5)

When creating contractual agreements and procurement processes why should security requirements be included?

- A. To make sure they are added on after the process is completed
- B. To make sure the costs of security is included and understood
- C. To make sure the security process aligns with the vendor's security process
- D. To make sure the patching process is included with the costs

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 190

- (Topic 5)

SCENARIO: A Chief Information Security Officer (CISO) recently had a third party conduct an audit of the security program. Internal policies and international standards were used as audit baselines. The audit report was presented to the CISO and a variety of high, medium and low rated gaps were identified.

The CISO has validated audit findings, determined if compensating controls exist, and started initial remediation planning. Which of the following is the MOST logical next step?

- A. Validate the effectiveness of current controls
- B. Create detailed remediation funding and staffing plans
- C. Report the audit findings and remediation status to business stake holders
- D. Review security procedures to determine if they need modified according to findings

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 193

- (Topic 5)

Scenario: You are the CISO and are required to brief the C-level executive team on your information security audit for the year. During your review of the audit findings you discover that many of the controls that were put in place the previous year to correct some of the findings are not performing as needed. You have thirty days until the briefing.

To formulate a remediation plan for the non-performing controls what other document do you need to review before adjusting the controls?

- A. Business Impact Analysis
- B. Business Continuity plan
- C. Security roadmap
- D. Annual report to shareholders

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 196

- (Topic 5)

The rate of change in technology increases the importance of:

- A. Outsourcing the IT functions.
- B. Understanding user requirements.

- C. Hiring personnel with leading edge skills.
- D. Implementing and enforcing good processes.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 201

- (Topic 5)

John is the project manager for a large project in his organization. A new change request has been proposed that will affect several areas of the project. One area of the project change impact is on work that a vendor has already completed. The vendor is refusing to make the changes as they've already completed the project work they were contracted to do. What can John do in this instance?

- A. Refer the vendor to the Service Level Agreement (SLA) and insist that they make the changes.
- B. Review the Request for Proposal (RFP) for guidance.
- C. Withhold the vendor's payments until the issue is resolved.
- D. Refer to the contract agreement for direction.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 204

- (Topic 5)

Scenario: As you begin to develop the program for your organization, you assess the corporate culture and determine that there is a pervasive opinion that the security program only slows things down and limits the performance of the "real workers."

Which group of people should be consulted when developing your security program?

- A. Peers
- B. End Users
- C. Executive Management
- D. All of the above

Answer: :D

NEW QUESTION 209

- (Topic 5)

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Using the best business practices for project management you determine that the project correct aligns with the company goals. What needs to be verified FIRST?

- A. Scope of the project
- B. Training of the personnel on the project
- C. Timeline of the project milestones
- D. Vendor for the project

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 214

- (Topic 5)

Scenario: Most industries require compliance with multiple government regulations and/or industry standards to meet data protection and privacy mandates.

What is one proven method to account for common elements found within separate regulations and/or standards?

- A. Hire a GRC expert
- B. Use the Find function of your word processor
- C. Design your program to meet the strictest government standards
- D. Develop a crosswalk

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 217

- (Topic 5)

Access Control lists (ACLs), Firewalls, and Intrusion Prevention Systems are examples of

- A. Network based security preventative controls
- B. Software segmentation controls
- C. Network based security detective controls
- D. User segmentation controls

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 221

- (Topic 5)

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Which of the following is the FIRST action the CISO will perform after receiving the audit report?

- A. Inform peer executives of the audit results
- B. Validate gaps and accept or dispute the audit findings
- C. Create remediation plans to address program gaps

D. Determine if security policies and procedures are adequate

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 226

- (Topic 5)

When analyzing and forecasting a capital expense budget what are not included?

- A. Network connectivity costs
- B. New datacenter to operate from
- C. Upgrade of mainframe
- D. Purchase of new mobile devices to improve operations

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 227

- (Topic 5)

SCENARIO: A CISO has several two-factor authentication systems under review and selects the one that is most sufficient and least costly. The implementation project planning is completed and the teams are ready to implement the solution. The CISO then discovers that the product it is not as scalable as originally thought and will not fit the organization's needs. What is the MOST logical course of action the CISO should take?

- A. Review the original solution set to determine if another system would fit the organization's risk appetite and budget regulatory compliance requirements
- B. Continue with the implementation and submit change requests to the vendor in order to ensure required functionality will be provided when needed
- C. Continue with the project until the scalability issue is validated by others, such as an auditor or third party assessor
- D. Cancel the project if the business need was based on internal requirements versus regulatory compliance requirements

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 232

- (Topic 5)

Scenario: Your organization employs single sign-on (user name and password only) as a convenience to your employees to access organizational systems and data. Permission to individual systems and databases is vetted and approved through supervisors and data owners to ensure that only approved personnel can use particular applications or retrieve information. All employees have access to their own human resource information, including the ability to change their bank routing and account information and other personal details through the Employee Self-Service application. All employees have access to the organizational VPN. Once supervisors and data owners have approved requests, information system administrators will implement

- A. Technical control(s)
- B. Management control(s)
- C. Policy control(s)
- D. Operational control(s)

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 233

- (Topic 5)

What are the primary reasons for the development of a business case for a security project?

- A. To estimate risk and negate liability to the company
- B. To understand the attack vectors and attack sources
- C. To communicate risk and forecast resource needs
- D. To forecast usage and cost per software licensing

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 238

- (Topic 5)

Scenario: Your program is developed around minimizing risk to information by focusing on people, technology, and operations. You have decided to deal with risk to information from people first. How can you minimize risk to your most sensitive information before granting access?

- A. Conduct background checks on individuals before hiring them
- B. Develop an Information Security Awareness program
- C. Monitor employee browsing and surfing habits
- D. Set your firewall permissions aggressively and monitor logs regularly.

Answer: :A

NEW QUESTION 239

- (Topic 5)

Which of the following is MOST useful when developing a business case for security initiatives?

- A. Budget forecasts
- B. Request for proposals
- C. Cost/benefit analysis
- D. Vendor management

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 243

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