Baseline Nonbank Cybersecurity Exam Program – Release Notes

Released Date: 10/24/2024

Exam Program Version: Version 1.1

Release Details: Updates include rewording questions, adjusting their order, and modifying citations related to the FTC Safeguards Rule.

Exam Program Updates:

AUDIT

• No changes.

DEVELOPMENT & ACQUISITION

- 2/D&A-01: Change citation to 314.3(a)
- 4/D&A-06: Add citation 314.4(c)(2)

MANAGEMENT

- 6/MGMT-02:
 - O Wording updated to: Does management have a program to ensure all information security personnel, including key personnel, are kept up to date with respect to changing information security threats and countermeasures?
 - o Added FTC citations 314.4(e)(3) and 314.4(e)(4)
- 19/MGMT-33: Change citation to 314.4(e)(1)

SUPPORT & DELIVERY

- 23/S&D-4: Change citation to 314.4(c)(1)
- 25/S&D-17: Previously question S&D-94. Moved to align with other questions.
- 26/S&D-21: Change citation to 314.4(c)
- 27/S&D-22: Change citation to 314.4(c)
- 28/S&D-25: Change citation to 314.4(c)
- 29/S&D-26: Change citation to 314.4(c)

Released Date: 06/30/2023

Exam Program Version: Version 1.1

Release Details: A typo was corrected, and two updates were made to FTC Safeguard Rule citations.

Exam Program Updates:

AUDIT

No changes.

DEVELOPMENT & ACQUISITION

• No changes

MANAGEMENT

No changes

SUPPORT & DELIVERY

- 29/S&D-34: MODIFIED QUESTION. Replaced "or" with "for". The updated question states: What is the institution's process for applying security patches **for** organizational assets?
- 31/S&D-36: CITATION CHANGE. Removed incorrect citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(2). No citation applicable.
- 53/S&D-95: CITATION CHANGE. Removed incorrect citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(8). No citation applicable.

Released Date: 03/21/2023

Exam Program Version: Version 1.1

Release Details: CSBS released an update to the Baseline Nonbank Cybersecurity Exam Program. This update, Version 1.1, contains changes to FTC Safeguards Rule citation references, as well as a few reorganized and consolidated questions.

Exam Program Updates:

GENERAL

• Changes to question numbering were necessary due to movement and modification of questions noted below.

AUDIT

No changes.

DEVELOPMENT & ACQUISITION

• 3/D&A-05: CITATION CHANGE. Replaced incorrect citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(4) with 16 CFR 314.4(c)(7).

MANAGEMENT

- 6/MGMT-03: QUESTION MOVEMENT. Was previously Question 7/MGMT-04.
- 10/MGMT-07: MODIFIED QUESTION. Modified question to address that "Qualified Individual" may be employed by the entity, an affiliate, or a service provider. This more closely matches FTC Safeguards Rule language.
- 12/MGMT-10: QUESTION MOVEMENT/MODIFIED QUESTION. Was previously Question 6/MGMT-02. Modified question to address monitoring of all user activities. Removed specific references to employees and vendors.
- 15/MGMT-20: CITATION CHANGE. Removed incorrect citation of 16 CFR 314.4(i). No citation applicable.
- **18/MGMT-32:** CITATION CHANGE. Replaced incorrect citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(8) with 16 CFR 314.4(d).

SUPPORT & DELIVERY

- 29/S&D-34: CITATION CHANGE. Replaced incorrect citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(8) with 16 CFR 314.4(c)(2).
- 30/S&D-35: CITATION CHANGE. Replaced incorrect citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(8) with 16 CFR 314.4(c)(2).
- 31/S&D-36: CITATION CHANGE. Replaced incorrect citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(8) with 16 CFR 314.4(c)(2).
- 35/S&D-49: CITATION CHANGE/MODIFIED QUESTION. Added citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(1). Modified question to place emphasis on MFA requirements contained in FTC Safeguards Rule.
- 36/S&D-54: CITATION CHANGE. Replaced incorrect citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(8) with 16 CFR 314.4(c)(1).
- 38/S&D-56: CITATION CHANGE. Added citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(2).
- 39/S&D-68: CITATION CHANGE. Added citation of 16 CFR 314.3(b).
- 41/S&D-71: CITATION CHANGE/MODIFIED QUESTION. Added citation of 16 CFR 314.4(d)(1). Replaced "at least annually" with "regularly" to more closely mirror language in FTC Safeguards Rule.
- 42/S&D-72: CITATION CHANGE. Added citation of 16 CFR 314.4(d)(1).
- 43/S&D-75: CITATION CHANGE/QUESTION MOVEMENT/MODIFIED QUESTION. Added citation of 16 CFR 314.4(g). Combined Questions 43/S&D-75 and 44/S&D-76 from Version 1.0. Modified question to address development, tracking, and regular review of identified testing gaps in a single question.
- 44/S&D-76: CITATION CHANGE. Added citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(2).

- 45/S&D-77: CITATION CHANGE. Added citations of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(2) and 16 CFR 314.4(d)(1).
- 51/S&D-93: CITATION CHANGE/MODIFIED QUESTION. Added citations of 16 CFR 314.4(d)(1) and 16 CFR 314.4(h)(7). Modified question to address incident response plan testing and review considerations after a cyber incident, as well as annual testing.
- 53/S&D-95: CITATION CHANGE. Replaced incorrect citation of 16 CFR 314.4(c)(6) with 16 CFR 314.4(c)(8).