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Cyber in the News

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[Federal Trade Commission Can Police Cybersecurity Failures](#)

The 3rd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Philadelphia ruled Monday that the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) has the authority to regulate corporate cybersecurity practices. The FTC is seeking to hold New Jersey-based hotel company Wyndham Worldwide Corporation accountable for three data breaches that took place in 2008 and 2009 that resulted in the loss of over 619,000 customers' credit card data and other sensitive information. The failure to properly secure the data led to over $10.6 million in fraudulent charges. FTC Chairwoman Edith Ramirez praised the decision stating, "It is not only appropriate, but critical, that the FTC has the ability to take action on behalf of consumers when companies fail to take reasonable steps to secure sensitive consumer information."

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[State-Level Cyber Security Efforts: The Garden State Model](#)

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[Cyber Extortion - A Troubling Trend](#)

Cyber extortion is a disturbing trend that's rapidly evolving within the cyber threat landscape. We take a closer look at what it is and delve into the motives behind recent cyber extortion cases.

Latest Cyber Alerts

[Multiple Vulnerabilities in Apple QuickTime Could Allow Remote Code Execution](#)

[For more cyber alerts check the NJCCIC website.](#)

Tip of the Week

"Verify Links Before Clicking"

With a mouse, hover over the link. The full URL of the link's destination displays in the lower corner of your browser. You can also use a tool like http://longurl.org/ to scan shortlinks on Twitter and Facebook to ensure

No state has emerged as **"the"** model for cyber security policy and information sharing; nor is any likely to - given the varying needs, resources, and strategic priorities of the many states. Rather, as Justice Brandeis suggested, we've seen in cyber security a classic example of the complexities of federalism and the "laboratories of democracy." That said, the Garden State has shown thoughtfulness and innovation in its recent policy and organizational choices related to cyber security. In recent years, a number of states and localities have been innovating on cyber security policy and information sharing, but few have done as much or as quickly as New Jersey has.

they go to the expected site. Some URL shorteners give you the option of previewing the true destination. For example, if you have a bit.ly URL, simply add a "+" to the end of the URL to see the true destination, like this: http://bit.ly/10hVtvV+

NJCCIC Announcements

On September 16 and 17, the New Jersey Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness (OHSP) and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) are collaborating to present a cybersecurity workshop for local businesses and government. Seats are limited to 200 and are filling up quickly. Make your reservation to attend this event through the link provided below.

[Managing Cyber Risk for Local Gov't and Small Businesses](#)

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