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Expected Deadline for Governments to commence enforcement of NIS2 Compliance



NIS2 Compliance Advisory

NIS – NIS2

In response to escalating cyber threats, the EU Commission has advanced from the NIS to the NIS2 Directive, aiming to:

- Strengthening security requirements
- Addressing supply chain security
- Streamlining reporting obligations
- Introducing more stringent supervisory measures
- Implementing stricter enforcement requirements
- Harmonising sanctions across the EU.

Key Changes

A key aspect of NIS2 for organisations is the specified reinforcement of noncompliance fines, for example:

- Important Entities (IE) face fines of at least 7 million euros or 1.4% of the total annual worldwide turnover from the previous financial year—whichever is higher.
- Essential Entities (EE) incur fines of at least 10 million euros or 2% of the total annual worldwide turnover from the previous financial year, whichever is higher.

Why Ekco?

Ekco is one of Europe's leading managed cloud service providers. We make it easier for you to innovate, scale, manage, troubleshoot and secure. With a network of over 300 dedicated security specialists, we have the skills and experience to support your entire cyber security lifecycle.



Trusted Advisor



We can Manage all your Governance, Risk and Compliance Requirements. Ekco has the largest certified cyber security consultancy team in Ireland. We Pride ourselves in being your Trusted Cyber Security Advisors.



Extended Expertise

Ekco's Advisory team have extensive experience supporting our customers meet their regulatory standards. We have the knowledge and practical experience of all Cyber Frameworks (ISO27001, NIST, IEC 62443 etc).



Peace of Mind

Ekco's consultants build influence and evangelise cultural change in risk management. We have a successful record in advising and assisting customer on NISD /NIS2 compliance.



Fast Track Compliance

Ekco's advisory team know the finer detail in NIS2 and can have developed Ekco NIS2 accelerators to fast-track compliance. Let Ekco do the heavy lifting to fast track your compliance.

Ekco NIS2 Compliance Accelerators



NIS2 Impact Analysis: Roadmap to Compliance

Ekco can help you determine if you are impacted by NIS2 and define the criteria required for compliance.

With a proven and trusted methodology and process (see below) we can put you on the correct path towards a more robust security posture and ensure your organisation is correctly aligned to NIS2.

NIS2 Compliance Strategies and Roadmaps

Plan and Budget, Be aware of the compliance timelines



Team Training

Training in Cyber Risk Management Techniques



NIS2 Executive Briefings

Drive awareness on requirements and penalties to customer's executive leadership



Integrated Risk Management Framework (ISO-NIS2)

Provide an organisation specific control framework.



Control Implementation

Review and embed the Top Ten NIS2 Mandated Cyber Risk Management Measures into your organisation.



Implementation Services

Provide continuous Risk Management Training



Ongoing Compliance Assessment

Review and continuously improve your Cyber Security Posture



Managed Compliance Service

Maintain NIS2 compliance with an end-to-end management solution



Compliance Tasks

Bespoke plans to get your organisation compliant. Provide regular reporting to ensure you're always audit-ready

Ekco's Roadmap to Compliance: NIS2 Top 10

Policies & Governance

ISO27001 Policy Development

Authentication

Network /System Risk Assessment, Network System Hardening

HR Security

Cyber Risk Assessment (HR operations Risk Assessment)

Cryptography & Encryption

Network /System Risk Assessment, Network System Hardening

Incident Handling

Incident Response Service / Crisis Simulations

Supply Chain Security

Supply Chain Governance

Cyber Testing & Audit

Ethical Hacking as a Service, Pen Testing, Red Teaming

Cyber Hygiene

Cyber Risk Assessment – Security Awareness Training, ISO27001 Implementation

Crisis Management & Business Continuity

Cyber Resilience Business Continuity Service

Network Security

Network /System Risk Assessment, Network System Hardening