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CYBERSECURITY

Connecticut Insurance Department Reminds Licensees to Comply with Data Security Law

On July 20, 2020, the Connecticut Insurance Department issued a <u>bulletin</u> to licensees reminding them that the Connecticut Insurance Data Security Law ("Act") becomes effective on October 1, 2020 and providing guidance on compliance. <u>Read more</u>

DATA PRIVACY

Massachusetts Ballot Question Poses Privacy Concerns

Ballot Question 1 in Massachusetts, if passed in November, would require car manufacturers that sell cars equipped with telematics systems (i.e., a method of monitoring a vehicle by combining a GPS system with on-board diagnostics to record – and map – exactly where a car is and how fast it's traveling, etc.) to install a standardized, open data platform beginning with model year 2022. Such a system would allow the cars' owners to access their telematics system data through a mobile app and give their consent for independent repair facilities to access those data and send commands to the system for repair, maintenance, and diagnostic testing. *Read more*

HIPAA

Size Doesn't Matter for OCR Enforcement Actions

Small health care organizations may think they are under the radar of the Office for Civil Rights (OCR), but a settlement the OCR agreed to last week should disabuse small health care providers of that notion. Read more

DRONES

DJI Responds to Recent Cybersecurity Report on App Vulnerabilities

This week, China-based DJI, the drone industry's leading manufacturer of drones, issued a public statement regarding the recent reports released by cybersecurity researchers (neither Synacktiv nor GRIMM) about the security of its drones' control app. <u>Read more</u>

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AUTONOMOUS VEHICLES

Robots for Package and Food Delivery Invade the Sidewalks

A robot for the food delivery market first debuted at George Mason University in January 2019 from Starship Technologies (Starship). Starship did minimal marketing for these new robots for package and food delivery, but students found them, found the app, and then started requesting package and food delivery. It took off from there. *Read more*

PRIVACY TIP #246

Spam, Spam, Spam: Be Extra Cautious

Researchers have confirmed that over 250,000 emails containing Emotet are being sent every day. This weeks privacy tip discusses the resurgence of the Emotet botnet, how to spot it and reduce the spread. *Read more*



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