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# Data Privacy + Cybersecurity Insider

Leveraging Knowledge to Manage Your Data Risks



#### **CYBERSECURITY**

#### FBI Warns of Retaliatory Cyber-Attack from Iran

The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) is warning of a heightened likelihood of Iranian cyber-attacks following the escalation of tension between the U.S. and Iran. This follows the warning last week by the Department of Homeland Security (DHS). The FBI and DHS issued a bulletin to law enforcement groups warning of potential physical and cyber-attacks on the U.S. <u>Read more</u>

#### **DATA PRIVACY**

## Knowledge is Power: California Attorney General Issues Advisory on CCPA

California Attorney General Xavier Becerra said last week that "knowledge is power, and in today's world knowledge is derived from data. When it comes to your own data, you should be in control..." These words came in an <a href="Advisory">Advisory</a> highlighting California consumers' rights under the California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA). The Advisory outlined several areas highlighting consumer rights under the CCPA, which went into effect on January 1, 2020, including a description of the new data broker <a href="registry">registry</a> law. We've written extensively on the <a href="CCPA">CCPA</a> this past year and what it means for California consumers and businesses. <a href="Read more">Read more</a>

#### **ENFORCEMENT + LITIGATION**

Help with Yelp: Posting Personal Information in Response to a Negative Review Can Land You in Hot Water

Virtually every company that provides goods or services to the public will, at some point, have a negative review posted online by a dissatisfied consumer. While such reviews are understandably upsetting, a company should not respond in kind with negative comments about the reviewer and certainly should not reveal personal or sensitive information about them. *Read more* 

#### **DRONES**

GAO Says FAA Could Leverage Drone Test Site Data for More Effective Integration

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Insider Blog R+C website Twitter Facebook LinkedIn The U.S. Government Accountability Office (GAO) wrote in a report published last week that the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) has facilitated approximately 15,000 drone research flights since 2015, but that the FAA could make better use of the data it collects from these drone test flights. <u>Read more</u>

#### PRIVACY TIP #222

#### **The Dating App Privacy Secret**

According to several news stories this week, the most popular dating apps are precisely tracking users and disclosing highly personal and sensitive user information to third parties, and there are allegations that this tracking and sharing violates privacy laws. This week's privacy tip delves into the details. *Read more* 

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