## STATE OF ARIZONA EXECUTIVE ORDER

## Executive Order 2018-03 Creation of the Arizona Cybersecurity Team

WHEREAS, the State of Arizona is committed to securing our information online and protecting our citizens;

WHEREAS, the State of Arizona needs a unified vision for tackling our cybersecurity needs;

WHEREAS, cyber-attacks are a serious and consistent threat to our state and we must take appropriate countermeasures;

WHEREAS, information sharing between public and private sector organizations is essential to defending our data online;

WHEREAS, the State of Arizona aims to be the most cyber-prepared state government in the nation;

WHEREAS, securing our critical infrastructure is vital to our well-being;

WHEREAS, many cybersecurity vendors and products exist and compete for State business;

WHEREAS, the state of Arizona is committed to providing opportunities to better prepare our future workforce for careers in cybersecurity, information technology, and other related fields;

WHEREAS, the time to act is now;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I,** Douglas A. Ducey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Arizona hereby establish the Arizona Cybersecurity Team and order as follows:

- 1. Membership of the Arizona Cybersecurity Team shall include the following members appointed by the Governor:
  - a. One representative from the Governor's Office;
  - b. One representative from the Secretary of State's Office;
  - c. One representative from the Attorney General's Office;
  - d. The Chief Information Officer (CIO) of the State of Arizona;
  - e. The Chief Information Security Officer (CISO) of the State of Arizona;
  - f. One representative from the Arizona Department of Public Safety;

- g. One representative from the Arizona Department of Homeland Security;
- h. One representative from the Arizona Department of Emergency and Military Affairs;
- i. One representative of the Arizona Commerce Authority;
- j. One representative from an Information Sharing and Analysis Organization;
- k. One representative from critical infrastructure (energy, telecommunications, or transportation);
- 1. One representative from the office of an Arizona member of Congress;
- m. Two representatives from the private sector;
- n. Two members from the Arizona legislature;
- o. Two representatives of federal law-enforcement agencies;
- p. Two representatives from local government (at least one rural);
- q. Two representatives from universities or colleges; and
- r. At the sole discretion of the Governor, additional members with relevant experience.
- 2. The members of the Arizona Cybersecurity Team shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor.
- 3. The Governor shall designate two Co-Chairs of the Cybersecurity Team from its membership.
- 4. The Cybersecurity Team shall:
  - a. Develop recommendations and continuously advise the Governor on cybersecurity issues;
  - b. Receive quarterly updates from the State CISO;
  - c. Advise on federal resources available to combat cybersecurity threats;
  - d. Ensure Arizona is a nationwide leader on cybersecurity;
  - e. Drive cybersecurity and IT related workforce development and education at the higher education level;
  - f. Enhance collaboration among government, private sector, law enforcement, nonprofit organizations, education, and the community at large to more effectively address cybersecurity issues statewide; and
  - g. Promote public awareness of threats online and how best to protect information.
- 5. The Arizona Cybersecurity Team shall be staffed by the Arizona Department of Administration.
- 6. State agency directors will be held accountable to protect data and implement risk management measures adopted by the Governor.
- 7. The Co-Chairs may form an executive committee or other sub-committees as necessary.
- 8. This Executive Order expires on December 31, 2019.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

GOVERNOR

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this First day of March in the Year Two Thousand and Eighteen and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Forty-Second.

ATTEST:

Michele Reagan

Secretary of State