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Chief Information Officers Council to Withdraw From the Chief Information Security Officer's Exchange

Washington, D.C. – The Chief Information Officer's Council (CIOC) announced today that it is formally withdrawing its membership from the Chief Information Security Officer's (CISO) Exchange. Karen S. Evans, Administrator for E-Government and Information Technology at the Office of Management and Budget and the Director of the CIOC, accepted the council's recommendation to withdraw from the exchange. The CIOC's Best Practices Committee will now be tasked with addressing the challenge of improving cyber security scorecard grades.

"While we firmly support the CISO Exchange's objective of improving the Federal Government's security posture and improving cyber security scorecard grades, we believe the most appropriate context for doing so is through the CIOC's Best Practices Committee," said Evans.

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