AIS SECURITY SEAL VENDORS AND GUIDELINES

Introduction

The companies listed below have been identified as potential sources of tamperresistant security seals. This list is provided as a reference. It is neither intended to be all-inclusive nor is it considered as a list of endorsed products.

- WELDON, WILLIAMS & LICK P.O. Box 168 Fort Smith, AR 72902 (800) 242-4995 (501) 783-4113
- MODERN DATA INDUSTRIES P.O. Box 26159 San Diego, CA 92196 (858) 566-9300
- 4. TAPE & LABEL CONVERTERS 8231 Allport Avenue Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670 (888)285-2462 (CA only) (562) 945-3486

- GM NAMEPLATE, INC. 2095 O'toole Ave San Jose, CA 95131 (408) 435-1666
- 6. SETON NAME PLATE COMPANY P.O. Box 819 Branford, CT 06405 (203) 488-8059
- LYNN PEAVEY COMPANY 14865 W. 105th Street Lenexa, KS 66215 (800) 255-6499
- OPSEC ADVANTAGE, INC. 1809 Olde Homestead Lane Lancaster, PA 17601 (717) 293-4110 Ext. 221
- 9. AVERY DENNISON 685 Howard St. Buffalo NY 14240 (800) 542-8379
- AVERY DENNISON
 8500 Leesburg Pike, Suite 7600
 Vienna, VA 22182
 (703) 288-0324
- DESIGNER DECAL, INC. East 1120 First Avenue Spokane, WA 99202 (800) 622-6333 (509) 535-0267

Guidelines

The ISSM (Information System Security Manager) must ensure that the following sealrelated guidelines are implemented and identified in their System Security Plan (SSP).

- 1. Must be placed on the access points of each device.
 - Over seams
 - Over Screws
- 2. Must be consecutively numbered or individually identifiable.
- 3. Should bear a unique identification.
- 4. Must be safeguarded before use.
- 5. Must be accounted for and logged in when used.
- 6. Must serve its purpose.
 - Test acquired seals. If once applied can they be pealed off and reapplied without showing evidence? If so, find other seals.
 - Seals will deteriorate over a period of time. Fragibility will vary depending on the surface it's applied on. For example, on metal it may last five years, on plastic only a few months.

Procedures

Prior to the IS being upgraded, every seal must be inspected for tampering. If tampering is suspected, the ISSM must be notified so that a thorough inspection of the equipment can be conducted prior to classified processing. This must be part of the User's Upgrading action and documented in the Upgrading Action Log/record.

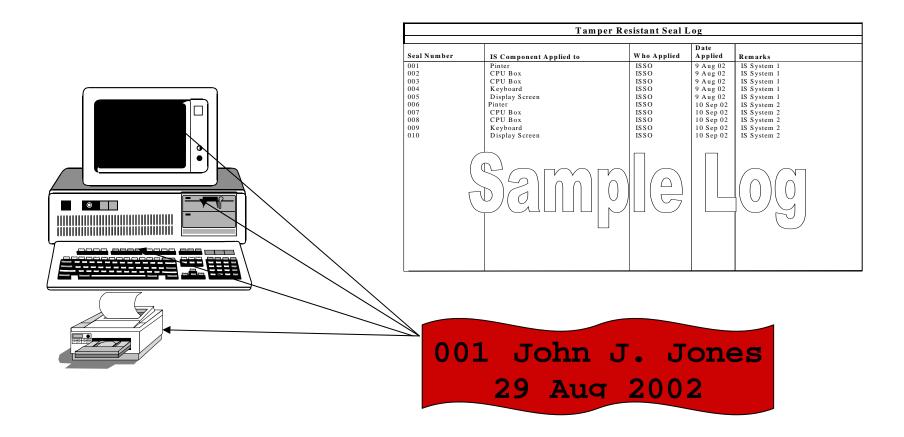
Remember that seals are to assist in detecting unauthorized tampering of the accredited components of the information system (IS) while in an unclassified state.

Seals, if used as a minimum level of unauthorized detection of unclassified components of the IS, all components must have seals applied.

- NSA Type One Devices do not require seals with the exception of the Secure Terminal Equipment (STE)
- You do not need to place a seal on a mouse.

SEALS ARE NOT AUTHORIZED TO PROTECT CLASSIFIED DEVICES.

Seal Placement, Markings, Security Audit Log/Record



Place seal(s) over one or more seams and/or screws. Seal is applied where it must be violated to enter a component of the IS

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