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From: N4L Security 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz>
Sent: Thursday, 23 November 2023 12:01 pm
To: MoE Cyber Security
Subject: SOI-1227 - Concerning Emails sent to NZ Schools

Hi MoE Cyber Security,

The N4L SOC team are on alert following media reports of concerning emails sent to schools.

<https://www.newshub.co.nz/home/new-zealand/2023/11/police-investigating-concerning-emails-sent-to-schools-hospitals.html>

<https://www.stuff.co.nz/national/crime/301013927/live-bomb-threats-at-school-hospitals-in-wellington-christchurch-auckland>

At this stage we have no information beyond what is in the media articles, but will update if and when this changes.

Regards,

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From: Tanya Harvey
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 11:06 am
To: Liza Brown; DL Tamaki Herenga Tangata North West Executive
Cc: Leisa Maddix; Bree Foley
Subject: RE: 50 x Bomb Events in Tamaki Makaurau

We won't put that in the report - Cindy will do list of schools and cite from Network 4 Learning team

Ngā mihi

Tanya Harvey | Director of Education Tāmaki Makaurau – North & West Te Mahau | Te Tai Raro

DDI +6496329493 | Mobile 9(2)(a)

-----Original Message-----

From: Liza Brown <Liza.Brown@education.govt.nz>
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 10:57 am
To: DL Tamaki Herenga Tangata North West Executive <DLTamakiHerengaTangataNorthWestExecutive@education.govt.nz>
Cc: Leisa Maddix <Leisa.Maddix@education.govt.nz>; Bree Foley <Bree.Foley@education.govt.nz>
Subject: FW: 50 x Bomb Events in Tamaki Makaurau

Kia ora

Just got this from the police. For the next Sit Report

Liza

-----Original Message-----

From: 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 10:50 am
To: Liza Brown <Liza.Brown@education.govt.nz>
Subject: 50 x Bomb Events in Tamaki Makaurau

[You don't often get email from 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz. Learn why this is important at <https://aka.ms/LearnAboutSenderIdentification>]

Morena Liza,

As discussed please find that attach list of the events that relate to the schools that have called in with the bomb threat today.

Any issues let me know.

Nga mihi

9(2)(a)

Inspector 9(2)(a)

Duty Operations Manager
Nga Karere O Te Raki
Northern Emergency Communications Centre Piki Ki Te Ao, Level 2
482 Great South Road, Otahuhu, Auckland

M 9(2)(a)
E 9(2)(a)@police.govt.nz

-----Original Message-----

From: 9(2)(a)@police.govt.nz 9(2)(a)@police.govt.nz>
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 10:44 AM
To: 9(2)(a)@police.govt.nz>
Subject: Scan from YSoft SafeQ

Scan for the user 9(2)(a) (skc089) from the device P0195848

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From: N4L Security <security@n4l.co.nz>
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 11:07 am
To: MoE Cyber Security; Leisa Maddix; Tanya Harvey; Liza Brown
Cc: 9(2)(a); 9(2)(a) (N4L)
Subject: Re: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats delivered to Schools

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6(c)

On Fri, 24 Nov 2023 at 10:05, N4L Security 9(2)(a) <@n4l.co.nz> wrote:

Attached is the list of emails sent to schools from the email address 6(c) this morning. There are 48 emails sent to 39 unique schools.

The domain 6(c) has been set up to quarantine on email protection. 6(c)

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From: Anuja Singh
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 11:29 am
To: Cindy Mercado
Subject: FW: Screen Shot of Threat to Woodhill School
Attachments: Screenshot 2023-11-24 at 9.13.42 AM.png; Screenshot 2023-11-24 at 9.13.51 AM.png

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Completed

May be or not useful – sharing if needed.

Thanks

AS

Anuja Singh | Manager, Integrated Services (N&W)
Te Mahau | Te Tai Raro
DDI +6496329408 | Mobile 9(2)(a)

From: Dawn Fenn <principal@woodhill.school.nz>
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 9:19 am
To: Anuja Singh <Anuja.Singh@education.govt.nz>
Subject: Fwd: Screen Shot of Threat to Woodhill School

Kia ora

Please see attached screen shots of the threat that came through to Woodhill School this morning.

Ngā mihi,

Dawn Fenn
Principal
Woodhill School

Phone: 9(2)(a)

Out of

From: Tanya Harvey
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 12:10 pm
To: Cindy Mercado; Bree Foley
Subject: For 2pm sit report pls

Also, use the full name first and abbreviation in brackets

Ngā mihi

Tanya Harvey | Director of Education Tāmaki Makaurau – North & West
Te Mahau | Te Tai Raro
DDI +6496329493 | Mobile 9(2)(a)

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Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 11:07 am
To: MoE Cyber Security <Cyber.Security@education.govt.nz>; Leisa Maddix <Leisa.Maddix@education.govt.nz>; Tanya Harvey <Tanya.Harvey@education.govt.nz>; Liza Brown <Liza.Brown@education.govt.nz>
Cc: 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz; 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz
Subject: Re: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats delivered to Schools

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From: Tanya Harvey
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 1:24 pm
To: Cindy Mercado; Bree Foley
Subject: From N4L for sit report

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Tanya Harvey | Director of Education Tāmaki Makaurau – North & West
Te Mahau | Te Tai Raro

DDI +6496329493 | Mobile 9(2)(a)

From: N4L Security <security@n4l.co.nz>
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 1:17 pm
To: MoE Cyber Security <Cyber.Security@education.govt.nz>; Leisa Maddix <Leisa.Maddix@education.govt.nz>; Tanya Harvey <Tanya.Harvey@education.govt.nz>; Liza Brown <Liza.Brown@education.govt.nz>; Stuart Wakefield <Stuart.Wakefield@education.govt.nz>
Cc: 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz; 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz
Subject: Re: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats - N4L update 13:15 24/11

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Current status from N4L in preparation for MoE 2PM briefing.

N4L SOC has reviewed the email logs collected by the Email Protection service. There has been no change since our previous update. The current status is;

- 48 emails were delivered to schools from the email address 6(c)
- these were delivered to 39 unique schools,
- no emails have been blocked from this domain,
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At this point N4L is continuously monitoring the situation and will continue to receive alerts across the weekend. We plan to begin an early shift on Monday morning at 6:00AM to check for any new threats that may be delivered prior to the school day. Should we detect any emails a copy will be sent to northcomms@police.govt.nz.

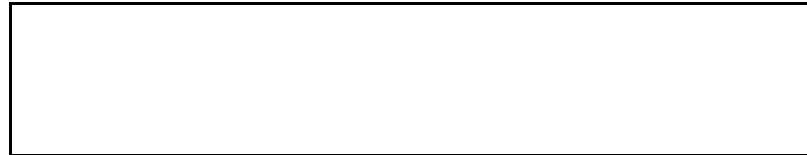
[QUESTION] - Can MoE please advise what notifications should be sent should N4L detect email threats over the weekend or on Monday morning?

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From: N4L Security 9(2)(a)@n4l.co.nz>
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 2:43 pm
To: MoE Cyber Security; Leisa Maddix; Tanya Harvey
Subject: Re: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats delivered to Schools

Hi All,

Apologies, there is a little bit of confusion with the email sent to 6(c).

The domain 6(c) is linked to 6(c) for the purposes of Email Protection. However, for this particular user, they actually work for 6(c). The schools appear to have an arrangement where this domain is shared between them.

Regards,

9(2)(a)

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From: N4L Security 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz>
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 4:53 pm
To: MoE Cyber Security
Subject: Re: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats - N4L update 13:15 24/11

Will do Mike.

We'll notify if there are any actual threats as close to the time as possible. Otherwise I'll send an initial "all clear" at 08:30 if we haven't seen anything at that stage.

Thanks,

9(2)(a)

On Fri, 24 Nov 2023 at 16:48, MoE Cyber Security <Cyber.Security@education.govt.nz> wrote:

9(2)(a)





Can you please send the update on Monday morning to Stuart and copy in the Cyber.Security@education.govt.nz mailbox

Thanks

Mike

Mike O'Connor | Enterprise Architect - Security
Te Pou Hanganga, Matihiko | Infrastructure & Digital
DDI +6444638163 | Mobile 9(2)(a)

This week only

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
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 = In the office  = Working from home

From: N4L Security 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz>
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 1:17 pm
To: MoE Cyber Security <Cyber.Security@education.govt.nz>; Leisa Maddix <Leisa.Maddix@education.govt.nz>; Tanya Harvey <Tanya.Harvey@education.govt.nz>; Liza Brown <Liza.Brown@education.govt.nz>; Stuart Wakefield <Stuart.Wakefield@education.govt.nz>

Cc: 9(2)(a) [redacted] @n4l.co.nz>; 9(2)(a) [redacted] @n4l.co.nz>

Subject: Re: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats - N4L update 13:15 24/11

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6(c) [redacted]

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From: Liza Brown
Sent: Friday, 24 November 2023 6:53 pm
To: N4L Security; MoE Cyber Security; Leisa Maddix; Tanya Harvey; Stuart Wakefield
Cc: 9(2)(a)
Subject: Re: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats - N4L update 13:15 24/11

Thanks for the update

From: N4L Security 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz>
Sent: Friday, November 24, 2023 1:17:22 PM
To: MoE Cyber Security <Cyber.Security@education.govt.nz>; Leisa Maddix <Leisa.Maddix@education.govt.nz>; Tanya Harvey <Tanya.Harvey@education.govt.nz>; Liza Brown <Liza.Brown@education.govt.nz>; Stuart Wakefield <Stuart.Wakefield@education.govt.nz>
Cc: 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz>; 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz>
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From: Tanya Harvey
Sent: Monday, 27 November 2023 8:46 am
To: N4L Security; MoE Cyber Security; Leisa Maddix; Liza Brown; Stuart Wakefield
Cc: 9(2)(a); 9(2)(a) (N4L); n4l - 9(2)(a)
Subject: RE: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats - N4L update 08:30 27/11

Mōrena tātou
Thanks for the update

Ngā mihi

Tanya Harvey | Director of Education Tāmaki Makaurau – North & West
Te Mahau | Te Tai Raro
DDI +6496329493 | Mobile 9(2)(a)

From: N4L Security <security@n4l.co.nz>
Sent: Monday, 27 November 2023 8:40 am
To: MoE Cyber Security <Cyber.Security@education.govt.nz>; Leisa Maddix <Leisa.Maddix@education.govt.nz>; Tanya Harvey <Tanya.Harvey@education.govt.nz>; Liza Brown <Liza.Brown@education.govt.nz>; Stuart Wakefield <Stuart.Wakefield@education.govt.nz>
Cc: 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz; 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz; n4l - 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz
Subject: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats - N4L update 08:30 27/11

-- STATUS UPDATE --

As of 08:30 this morning (27/11/23), no new threatening emails have been seen by the N4L SOC since Friday 25/11/23.

Specifically,
- No new emails have been received from the 6(c)

Scanning for any new emails has been automated and will be monitored throughout the day.

Regards,

9(2)(a)

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From: Leisa Maddix
Sent: Monday, 27 November 2023 4:49 pm
To: N4L Security; MoE Cyber Security; Tanya Harvey; Liza Brown; Stuart Wakefield
Cc: 9(2)(a); 9(2)(a) (N4L); n4l - 9(2)(a); 9(2)(a)
Subject: RE: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats - N4L update 16:45 27/11

Thanks so much – appreciated.

Leisa

Leisa Maddix | Director - Office of the Hautū
Te Mahau | Te Tai Raro
DDI +6496329422 | Mobile 9(2)(a)

From: N4L Security 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz>
Sent: Monday, 27 November 2023 4:47 pm
To: MoE Cyber Security <Cyber.Security@education.govt.nz>; Leisa Maddix <Leisa.Maddix@education.govt.nz>; Tanya Harvey <Tanya.Harvey@education.govt.nz>; Liza Brown <Liza.Brown@education.govt.nz>; Stuart Wakefield <Stuart.Wakefield@education.govt.nz>
Cc: 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz>; 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz>; n4l - 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz>; 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz>
Subject: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats - N4L update 16:45 27/11

-- STATUS UPDATE --

As of 16:45 this afternoon (27/11/23), no new threatening emails have been seen by the N4L SOC.

A final status update will be sent tomorrow (28/11/23) at 08:30, unless otherwise requested and assuming no further threat emails are observed.

Regards,

9(2)(a)

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From: Tanya Harvey
Sent: Tuesday, 28 November 2023 8:48 am
To: N4L Security; MoE Cyber Security; Leisa Maddix; Liza Brown; Stuart Wakefield
Cc: 9(2)(a); 9(2)(a) (N4L); n4l - 9(2)(a); 9(2)(a)
Subject: RE: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats - N4L update 08:30 28/11/23

Thanks Team

Ngā mihi

Tanya Harvey | Director of Education Tāmaki Makaurau – North & West
Te Mahau | Te Tai Raro
DDI +6496329493 | Mobile 9(2)(a)

From: N4L Security <security@n4l.co.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 28 November 2023 8:38 am
To: MoE Cyber Security <Cyber.Security@education.govt.nz>; Leisa Maddix <Leisa.Maddix@education.govt.nz>; Tanya Harvey <Tanya.Harvey@education.govt.nz>; Liza Brown <Liza.Brown@education.govt.nz>; Stuart Wakefield <Stuart.Wakefield@education.govt.nz>
Cc: 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz; 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz; n4l - 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz; 9(2)(a) @n4l.co.nz
Subject: [TLP:AMBER] SOI-1227 - Email Threats - N4L update 08:30 28/11/23

-- FINAL STATUS UPDATE --

As of 08:30 this morning (28/11/23), no new threatening emails have been seen by the N4L SOC.

This will be the final status update, unless otherwise requested and assuming no further threat emails are observed.

Regards,

9(2)(a)
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

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