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Security control changes

- Security controls 0323 and 1412 revised.

Security Control: 0323; Revision: 5; Updated: Feb-19; Applicability: O, P, S, TS; Priority: Must
Media is classified to the highest sensitivity or classification of information stored on the media.

Security Control: 1412; Revision: 2; Updated: Feb-19; Applicability: O, P, S, TS; Priority: Should
ACSC and vendor guidance is implemented to assist in hardening the configuration of Microsoft Office, web browsers and PDF viewers.

Security Control: 1470; Revision: 2; Updated: Feb-19; Applicability: O, P, S, TS; Priority: Must
Any unrequired functionality in Microsoft Office, web browsers and PDF viewers is disabled.

Content changes

Guidelines for media management

- Security control 0323 was revised to fix the missing 'of information' text within the security control.

Guidelines for system management

- Security controls 1412 and 1470 were revised to replace 'PDF reader' with 'PDF viewer' to ensure consistency of language within the document and with other publications such as the **Strategies to Mitigate Cyber Security Incidents** and the **Essential Eight Maturity Model**.

Guidelines for using cryptography

- References to TLS version 1.2 were updated to refer to TLS version 1.3 which was released in August 2018.

Security assessment aids

- The XML '</Decription>' tag was changed to '</Description>'.
- Security control 0323 was updated to reflect changes made to the **Guidelines for media management**.
- Security control 0421 was missing its identifier '0421'.