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5/14/2025 Update: May 2025 Cybersecurity Event

MONTGOMERY – The Office of Information Technology (OIT) continues to carry out mitigation activities in response to the cybersecurity event detected on Friday, May 9.

OIT is not in a position to release additional details at this time. We do, however, want to assure the public that numerous highly skilled technical resources are in place and actively engaged as OIT responds to this event.

As was shared on Tuesday, May 13, no major disruptions to State services have been traced to the event and there is no evidence of exfiltration of the personally identifiable information of Alabama citizens. Out of an abundance of caution, OIT has notified all executive-branch agencies to initiate a password reset for all of their employees.

Additionally, OIT has urged all Alabama state agencies to remain vigilant when replying to emails and/or clicking any links (emailed, on a webpage, or embedded in a document) that users are not absolutely sure is coming from a trusted source.

Please continue to monitor <u>https://oit.alabama.gov/cybereventMay2025/</u> for updates and additional information that will be made available to the public.

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