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#### **QUESTION 1533**

What should be the FIRST step when developing an asset management program?

- A. Create a configuration management database
- B. Encrypt assets containing sensitive data.
- C. Classify assets according to risk.
- D. Create an asset inventory.

**Answer: D**

#### **QUESTION 1534**

In the development of an information security strategy, recovery time objectives (RTOs) will serve as indicators of:

- A. senior management support.
- B. risk tolerances.
- C. maturity levels.
- D. open vulnerabilities.

**Answer: B**

#### **QUESTION 1535**

Who within an organization is accountable for ensuring incident notification and escalation processes are in place?

- A. Data owner
- B. Senior management
- C. Information security manager
- D. Security operations center management

**Answer: B**

#### **QUESTION 1536**

Which of the following should be the PRIMARY basis for a severity hierarchy for information security incident classification?

- A. Root cause analysis results
- B. Adverse effects on the business
- C. Availability of resources
- D. Legal and regulatory requirements

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**Answer: A**

**QUESTION 1537**

Which of the following is the GREATEST risk associated with the installation of an intrusion prevention system (IPS)?

- A. Staff may not be able to access the Internet.
- B. Critical business processes may be blocked.
- C. Data links can no longer be encrypted end-to-end.
- D. IPS logfiles may become too large to process.

**Answer: B**

**QUESTION 1538**

When outsourcing sensitive data to a cloud service provider, which of the following should be the information security manager's MOST important.....

- A. Data stored at the cloud service provider is not co-hosted.
- B. The cloud service provider contract includes right to audit.
- C. Access authorization includes biometric security verification.
- D. Roles and responsibilities have been defined for the service provider.

**Answer: B**

**QUESTION 1539**

Which of the following is MOST important for the alignment of an information security program with the information security strategy?

- A. Input from senior management
- B. Adoption of an industry recognized framework
- C. Benchmarking against industry peers
- D. Identification of business-specific risk factors

**Answer: A**

**QUESTION 1540**

Which of the following should be the GREATEST concern when considering launching a counterattack in response to a network attack?

- A. Incident impact escalation
- B. Digital evidence contamination
- C. Denial of service attacks on the external source
- D. Legal ramifications

**Answer: D**

**QUESTION 1541**

What is the BEST approach for the information security manager to reduce the impact on a security program due to turnover within the security staff?

- A. Recruit certified staff.
- B. Revise the information security program.
- C. Ensure everyone is trained in their roles.
- D. Document security procedures.

**Answer: D**

**QUESTION 1542**

An internal security audit has reported that authentication controls are not operating effectively. Which of the following is MOST important to c management?

- A. The impact of the control weakness on the risk profile of the organization
- B. The results of a business impact analysis (BIA)
- C. A business case for implementing stronger authentication controls
- D. An analysis of the impact of this type of control weakness on other organizations

**Answer: A**

**QUESTION 1543**

Which of the following is MOST important for an information security manager to present to senior management on a regular basis?

- A. Details of reported vulnerabilities
- B. Changes to the organization's threat environment
- C. False positives found on the intrusion prevention system
- D. Security controls in place to prevent the threats

**Answer: B**

**QUESTION 1544**

A business impact analysis (BIA) should be periodically executed PRIMARILY to:

- A. analyze the importance of assets.
- B. check compliance with regulations.
- C. verify the effectiveness of controls
- D. validate vulnerabilities on environmental changes.

**Answer: C**

**QUESTION 1545**

Which of the following is the MOST important consideration when updating procedures for managing security devices?

- A. Updates based o the organization's security framework
- B. Updates based on changes in risk, technology, and process
- C. Review and approval of procedures by management
- D. Notification to management of the procedural changes

**Answer: A**

**QUESTION 1546**

Which of the following is the PRIMARY reason to include message templates for communications with external parties in an incident response plan?

- A. To ensure that messages to external parties are complete and accurate
- B. To communicate efficiently and consistently
- C. To eliminate reliance on a communications specialist
- D. To automate communication with external parties without delay

**Answer: B**

**QUESTION 1547**

Which of the following is the MOST effective way to help ensure information security programs are aligned with business objectives?

- A. Implement information security awareness campaigns for business units.
- B. Include business unit representation in the information security steering committee.
- C. Develop information security policies based on laws and regulations.
- D. Establish and monitor information security performance metrics for the business.

**Answer: B**

**QUESTION 1548**

Which of the following is MOST important when developing a security strategy?

- A. Management direction on security
- B. A well-defined security organization
- C. Sufficient resource allocation by management
- D. A risk-aware security culture

**Answer: A**