



GDPR

After over three years of discussion at many levels, the new EU data protection framework has finally been agreed. It takes the form of a Regulation – the General Data Protection Regulation. The GDPR will replace the current Directive and will be directly applicable in all Member States without the need for implementing national legislation.

It will not come into force immediately (this is likely to be in the first half of 2018).

However, as it contains some onerous obligations, it will have an immediate impact.

In addition, fines for a breach can be up to €20m or up to 4% of annual worldwide turnover, whichever is the greater.

So how can Italik help your organisation to prepare for the GDPR?

There are four key areas where Italik can assist which are described in more detail here.

Security Risk Assessment

Italik's high level security assessment uses specialist security consultants and identifies areas for action.

- Assess existing policies
- Independent security audit
- Offer advice, guidance and training

Network Security

To ensure that the perimeter of your company network is protected from intrusion threats, Italik can provide a full range of network security options:

- Enterprise class next-generation firewalls
- Secure remote-access solutions
- Secure routing and switching solutions
- Architected secure network designs

Encryption

To ensure that any removable media is securely encrypted, Italik can help with:

- Managing the use of removable media
- Policy-based data encryption
- Port management solutions
- Monitoring and reporting

User Education

It is essential to ensure that your users are aware of your policies and that they are implemented. Italik can support you with:

- Security policy creation and review
- Online training
- Onsite training

For further information on how Italik can help with any of these, please contact us.

