## Exhibit I.Q.2

### NYSIF VENDOR SECURITY SURVEY

# REQUIREMENTS

The vendor security survey (Exhibit I.Q.2) is to be submitted as part of the bid or proposal package. Bidders are required to answer all of the questions in order to be considered for an award of a contract with the New York State Insurance Fund (NYSIF).

The completed Vendor Security Survey will be reviewed and evaluated by NYSIF personnel on a pass/fail basis. The minimum required implementation levels are included in the survey and defined below. Bidders who do not meet the minimum required implementation levels will be disqualified.

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION

Within the "*RESPONSE*" column all questions must be answered by selecting the appropriate answer from the drop down list and defined as follows:

- 1. **Fully** (Implemented) = The control is in place, functioning effectively, and is optimized.
- 2. **Partially** (Implemented) = The control is in place, effectiveness may not be rated, and the control is not optimized.
- 3. **Non-Existent** = The control is not in place.

Within the "*EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS*" column, comments must be provided to support a bidder's 'selected "*RESPONSE*". Comments must clarify the controls implemented, describe mitigating factors, such as alternative controls or exposure limits, and specify the date when the control will be operational.

Within the "SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S)" column, supporting documentation is optional. Documentation should support a bidder's response, such as written policy, audits, screenshots, etc.

#### **Exhibit I.Q.2 VENDOR SECURITY SURVEY** VENDOR COMPANY INFORMATION VENDOR RESOURCE COMPLETING QUESTIONNAIRE NAME ASSIGNEE NAME WEBSITE ROLE OR TITLE ADDRESS PHONE + EXT CITY/STATE/ZIP EMAIL ADDRESS INVENTORY OF AUTHORIZED AND UNAUTHORIZED DEVICES RESPONSE **EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS** SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S) Actively manage (inventory, track, and correct) all hardware devices on the PLEASE RESPOND network so that only authorized devices are given access, and (Using Dropdown) unauthorized and unmanaged devices are found and prevented from gaining access. MINIMUM REQUIRED LEVEL = PARTIALLY INVENTORY OF AUTHORIZED AND UNAUTHORIZED SOFTWARE RESPONSE **EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS** SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S) Actively manage (inventory, track, and correct) all software on the network so that only authorized software is installed and can execute, and that PLEASE RESPOND unauthorized and unmanaged software is found and prevented from (Using Dropdown) installation or execution. MINIMUM REQUIRED LEVEL = PARTIALLY SECURE CONFIGURATIONS FOR HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S) RESPONSE **EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS** Establish, implement, and actively manage (track, report on, correct) the security configuration of laptops, servers, and workstations using a PLEASE RESPOND rigorous configuration management and change control process in order to (Using Dropdown) prevent attackers from exploiting vulnerable services and settings. MINIMUM REQUIRED LEVEL = PARTIALLY CONTINUOUS VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT AND REMEDIATION RESPONSE **EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS** SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S) Continuously acquire, assess, and take action on new information in order PLEASE RESPOND to identify vulnerabilities, remediate, and minimize the window of (Using Dropdown) opportunity for attackers. MINIMUM REQUIRED LEVEL = PARTIALLY CONTROLLED USE OF ADMINISTRATIVE PRIVILEGES RESPONSE **EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS** SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S) 5 The processes and tools used to track/control/prevent/correct the use, PLEASE RESPOND assignment, and configuration of administrative privileges on computers, (Using Dropdown) networks, and applications. MINIMUM REQUIRED LEVEL = PARTIALLY

6	MAINTENANCE, MONITORING, AND ANALYSIS OF AUDIT LOGS	RESPONSE	EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS	SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S)
	Collect, manage, and analyze audit logs of events that could help detect, understand, or recover from an attack.	PLEASE RESPOND (Using Dropdown)		.,
	MINIMUM REQUIRED LEVEL = PARTIALLY			
7	EMAIL AND WEB BROWSER PROTECTIONS	RESPONSE	EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS	SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S)
	Minimize the attack surface and the opportunities for attackers to manipulate human behavior though their interaction with web browsers and email systems.	PLEASE RESPOND (Using Dropdown)		
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8	MALWARE DEFENSES	RESPONSE	EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS	SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S)
	Control the installation, spread, and execution of malicious code at multiple points in the enterprise, while optimizing the use of automation to enable rapid updating of defense, data gathering, and corrective action.	PLEASE RESPOND (Using Dropdown)		
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9	LIMITATION AND CONTROL OF NETWORK PORTS	RESPONSE	EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS	SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S)
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12	BOUNDARY DEFENSE	RESPONSE	EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS	SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S)
	Detect/prevent/correct the flow of information transferring networks of different trust levels with a focus on security-damaging data.	PLEASE RESPOND (Using Dropdown)		
	MINIMUM REQUIRED LEVEL = PARTIALLY			
13	DATA PROTECTION	RESPONSE	EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS	SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S)
	The processes and tools used to prevent data exfiltration, mitigate the effects of exfiltrated data, and ensure the privacy and integrity of sensitive information.	PLEASE RESPOND (Using Dropdown)		
	MINIMUM REQUIRED LEVEL = PARTIALLY			
14	CONTROLLED ACCESS BASED ON THE NEED TO KNOW	RESPONSE	EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS	SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S)
	The processes and tools used to track/control/prevent/correct secure access to critical assets (e.g., information, resources, systems) according to the formal determination of which persons, computers, and applications have a need and right to access these critical assets based on an approved classification.	PLEASE RESPOND (Using Dropdown)		
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15	WIRELESS ACCESS CONTROL	RESPONSE	EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS	SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S)
	The processes and tools used to track/control/prevent/correct the security use of wireless local area networks (LANS), access points, and wireless client systems.	PLEASE RESPOND (Using Dropdown)		
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16	ACCOUNT MONITORING AND CONTROL	RESPONSE	EXPLANATION OF CONTROLS	SUBSTANTIATING DOCUMENT(S)
	Actively manage the life cycle of system and application accounts -their creation, use, dormancy, deletion - in order to minimize opportunities for attackers to leverage them.	PLEASE RESPOND (Using Dropdown)		
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