

September, 2016 - Business E-Mail Compromise (BEC)

Victims of a Business E-Mail Compromises (BEC) range from small businesses to large corporations. It is largely unknown how victims are selected; however, the subjects monitor and study their selected victims using social engineering techniques prior to initiating the BEC scam. The Federal Bureau of Investigation published a Public Service Announcement that presents five main scenarios that present how a business can be compromised through the BEC scam. In addition, they provide suggestions for protection and best practices, what to do if you are a victim, and how to file a complaint with the new Internet Crime Complaint Center (IC3). To read the full Public Service Announcement by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, click below:

<https://www.ic3.gov/media/2016/160614.aspx>