Fight back against cybersecurity threats with managed firewalls

Network security threats are incessant and constantly evolving. Cyber-criminals continue to innovate, deceive and ultimately breach organizations with targeted attacks, advanced persistent threats and multi-stage malware. In fact, one recent survey found that in 2015, the number of cyber-security incidents rose by 38% and the theft of intellectual property increased by 56%. While it's still too soon to tell what 2016 will bring, it's surely on the path to become another record-breaking year.

As number of potential threats continues to soar, your network security equipment needs to keep pace. Often, the path a security threat takes into the network is through a misconfigured firewall. A firewall is not a "set and forget" type of device – you need to regularly apply updates to the firewall to ensure that the latest threats can be blocked. You also need to be able to understand the users, applications, data and devices on your network in order to establish appropriate security policies.

It may seem like the deck is stacked against you, but rest assured, there is hope. With a managed firewall service, certified network engineers remotely monitor your firewall and manage ongoing maintenance tasks such as firmware updates and configuration changes. Your managed service provider can also provide unified threat management (UTM) and email security services to ensure that all paths into and out of your network are protected. All of this not only saves you time, but also leads to improved network health and productivity.

If these network security services are hosted (in other words, not provided with on-site hardware), you'll gain the added benefit of keeping unwanted traffic as far away from your business as possible. Any threats or attacks will be blocked before they ever reach your corporate network. Even better, you won't waste the Internet bandwidth that these unwelcome invaders would otherwise consume.

DSCI is your ally in the fight against security threats and attacks. With their ITx for Managed Firewalls service, you'll be confident that your network security equipment remains secure and performs at the highest levels. DSCI's team of experts will provide proper management of Fortinet managed firewalls, including 24x7 device monitoring, configuration backup, firmware updates, and administration of UTM services.

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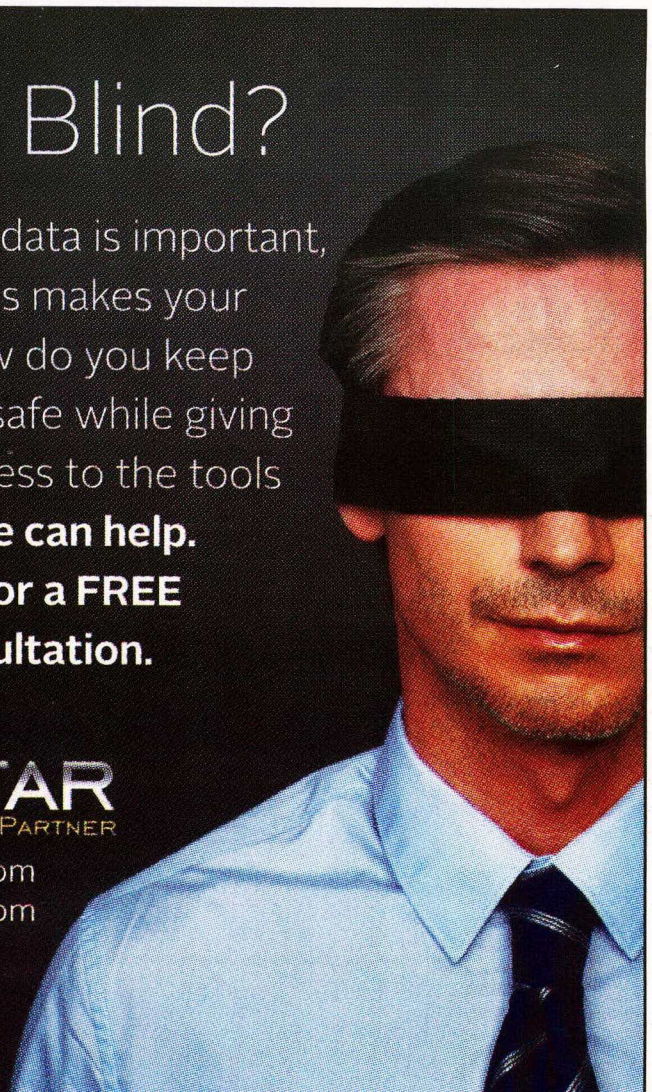

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