Information Security in Contracts and Cyber-Liability Insurance



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The Vendor Threat

"At least 56% of respondents experienced a third party data breach in 2017, a 7% increase from 2016"



2017 Data Risk in the Third Party Ecosystem Study from Ponemon Institute





Vendors as Threat Vectors

- Increasing vendor reliance for critical operations
 - Payroll, IT outsourcing, etc.
- · Vendors are not "external"
 - · Critical access to company infrastructure
 - · Movement of data and confidential information
 - · Real-time integrations with vendors
- · Vendor's vendors





Vendor Risks

- · Financial risks
- Location risk
- Business continuity and time to recovery risks
- Operational risks (quality, cost, performance, capacity)





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Contract Goals

• Risk Identification



• Mitigation



• Transfer





Diligence - Areas of Concern

- Base Controls
- Application Controls
- Cloud Security
- Infrastructure Controls
- Physical Security
- Backup & Recovery
- Electronic Transfer

- Privacy Management
- Physical Transfer
- Decommissioning & Destruction
- Physical "Paper" Management
- External Party Management



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Confidentiality

- What is Confidential Information?
- What are obligations?
- How long do obligations last?

• What are subpoena procedures?





Key Contractual Concerns

- Vendor Business and Location
- Data Access and Segregation
- Personnel Issues
- Audit
- Data Security

- Breach Response
- Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity
- Data Sharing
- Insurance
- Laws and Regulations
- Privacy



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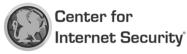
Risk Identification and Assessment / Information Security Standard





















Customer Privacy Concerns

- Identify nature and categories of data
- · Limit use and processing of data
- · Limits on transfer of data
- Adherence to data protection laws
- Model contracts
- Flow-down provisions
- Termination





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Data Breach Response and Notification

- Notification requirements
- Notice requirements
- · Who pays?





Downstream Obligations (e.g. subcontractors)

- Disclosure of subcontractors
- Adhere to vendor obligations
- Vendor indemnification
- Personnel management





Termination and Data Destruction

- Transition
- Certify destruction
- Compliance concerns





Warranties, Representation, and Indemnity

Warranties:

- Enacted, and maintains an info. sec. program
- · Confidentiality obligations
- Software and/or services are free of security defects



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Limitations:

- 3x the contract value
- Liquidated damages



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Indemnification:

- Data breaches
 - E.g.: Third party damages
- Breach of confidentiality obligations
- Breach of warranties

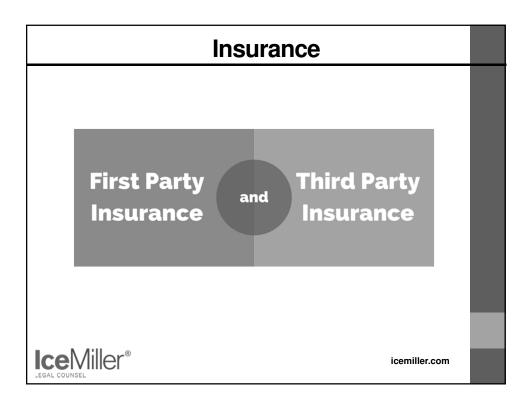


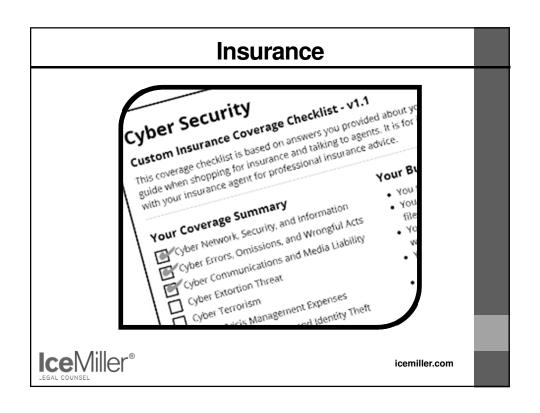
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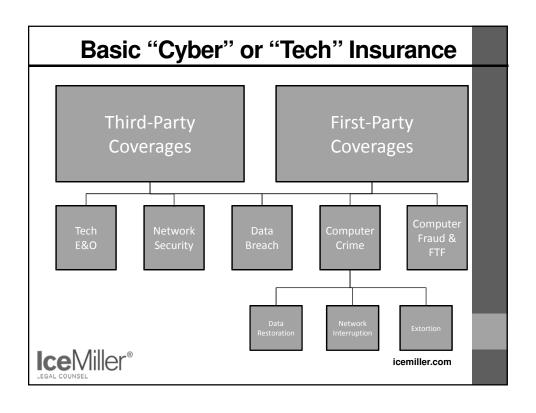
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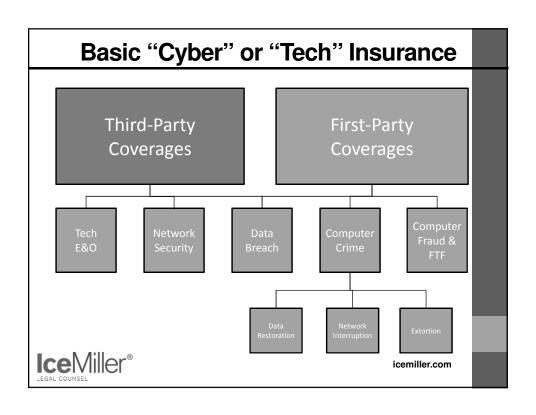


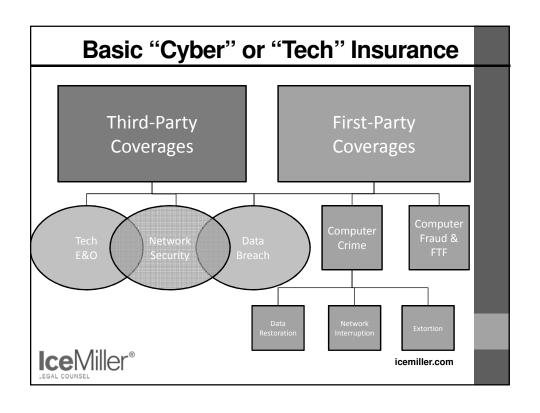


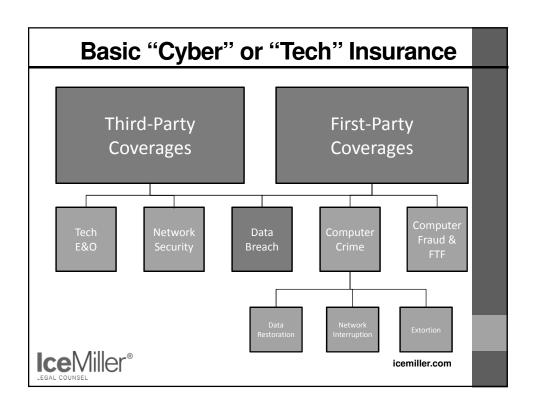


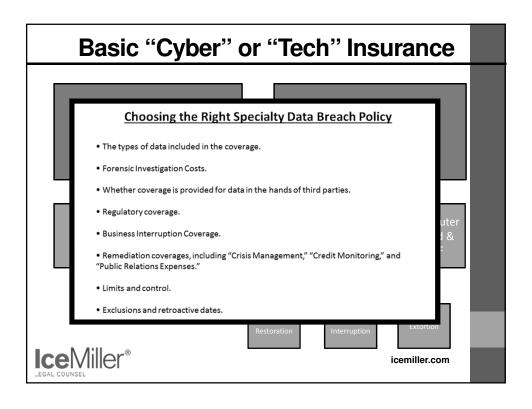


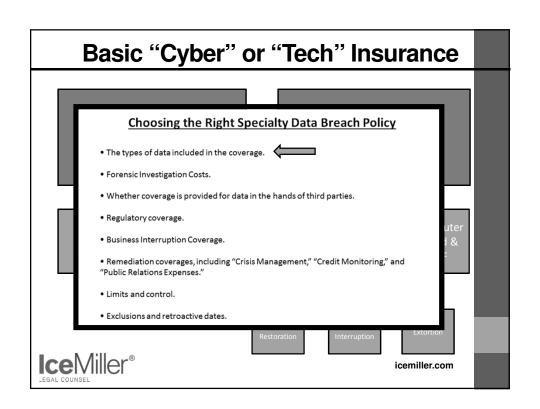


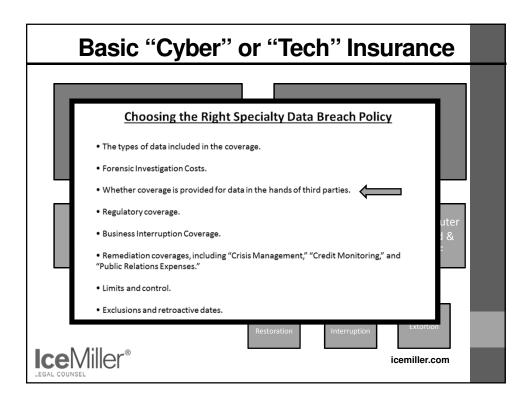


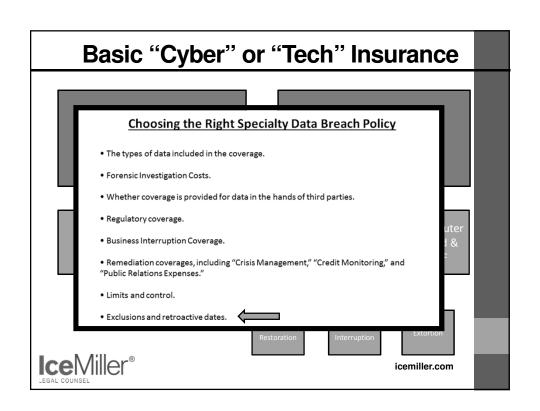


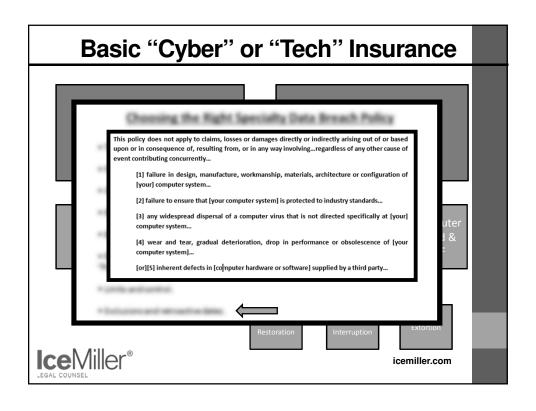


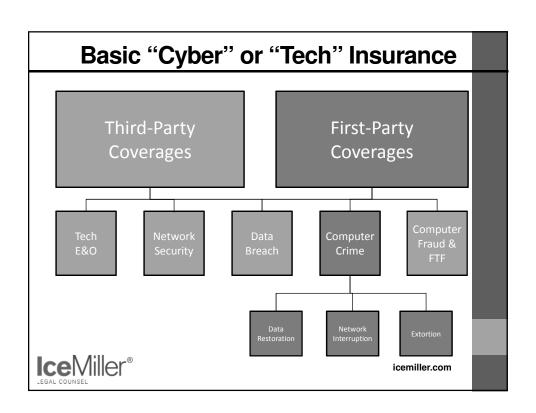


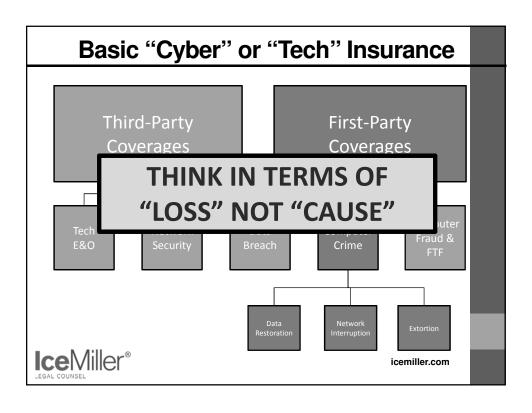


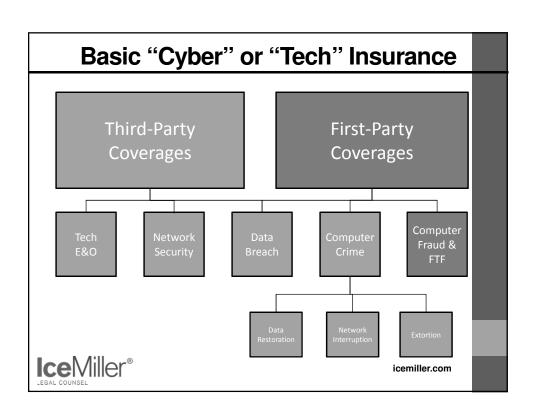


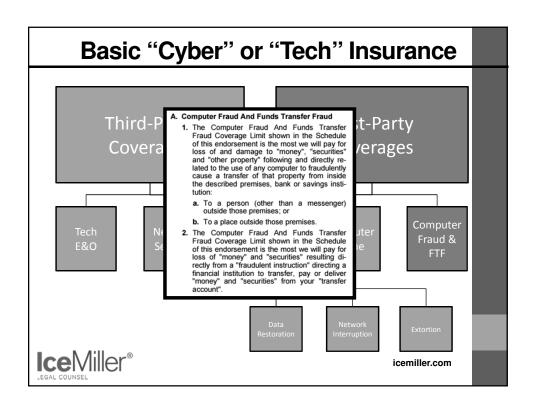


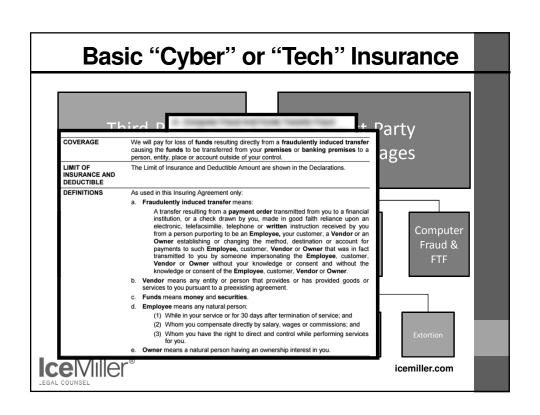


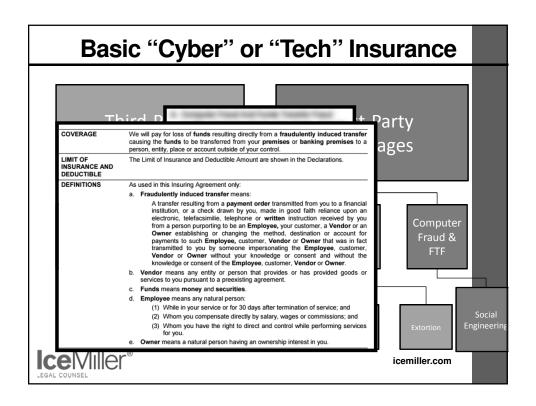














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