

# NIS<sub>2</sub>

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## NIS2 - Network and Information Security Directive

#### Overview

The NIS2 Directive (Directive (EU) 2022/2555) is a European regulation aimed at strengthening cybersecurity across the EU. It broadens the scope of the original NIS Directive by including more sectors and introducing stricter requirements for cybersecurity management and incident response.

Scent Emotions, with its ISO 27001 certification and adherence to the National Security Scheme (ENS), is actively aligning its operations to fully comply with NIS2.

#### Key Areas of Implementation at Scent Emotions

### 1. Scope and Applicability

An internal assessment is underway to determine if Scent Emotions qualifies as an *important entity* under NIS2. This depends on our role in strategic supply chains and company size.

### 2. Cyber Risk Management Enhancements

- Reinforcement of cybersecurity policies in the **supply chain**.
- Establishment of advanced data encryption and network segmentation.
- Regular vulnerability scanning and business continuity planning.

## 3. Incident Notification Protocols

- Immediate notification of significant cyber incidents within **24 hours**.
- Detailed incident reports within **72 hours** and final analysis within **one month**.

#### 4. Executive Responsibility

- Top management holds direct accountability for compliance.
- Ongoing training and awareness programs are planned for leadership.

### 5. Audits and Controls

- Regular internal and external cybersecurity audits will be conducted.
- Introduction of penetration tests and incident response simulations.

# 6. Third-Party Risk Management

- Suppliers and strategic partners are being evaluated through a **Cybersecurity Compliance Questionnaire**.
  - New contractual clauses will include cybersecurity requirements.

# 7. Cooperation with Authorities

- Coordination with CSIRTs and national cybersecurity bodies like INCIBE and CCN-CERT.
  - Participation in EU-wide cybersecurity exercises.

## **Strategic Advantage**

Thanks to the existing ISO 27001 and ENS certifications, Scent Emotions is already well-positioned for compliance. The company is enhancing its systems to meet additional NIS2 obligations while safeguarding its technological infrastructure and the integrity of its digital operations.