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- M&T Bank Corporation agreed May 13 to pay the Federal government \$64 million to settle charges after a former underwriter at M&T filed a whistleblower lawsuit against the bank in 2013 alleging she witnessed fraud in the bank's Federal Housing Administration underwriting practices. – *Rochester Democrat and Chronicle* (See item [6](#))
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Energy Sector

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Chemical Industry Sector

1. *May 15, KOTV 6 Tulsa* – (Oklahoma) **Tulsa Solvay plant evacuated after chemical reaction.** Several employees at the Cytec Solvay Plant in Tulsa, Oklahoma, were evacuated and sent to area hospitals May 15 due to a chemical reaction in the facility that caused smoke to fill the air. Operations resumed after the plant was ventilated. Source: <http://www.newson6.com/story/31976461/tulsa-solvay-plant-evacuated-after-chemical-reaction>

Nuclear Reactors, Materials, and Waste Sector

2. *May 16, Daily News of Newburyport* – (New Hampshire) **Nuclear plant cited for slow response to concrete problem.** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission issued a low safety level violation to NextEra Energy’s Seabrook Nuclear Power Plant May 15 following an inspection at the New Hampshire facility which revealed that initial and prompt operability determinations were not conducted by employees when additional information was identified in relation to the effects of alkali-silica reactions on safety-related concrete structures. The plant remains open and fully operational. Source: http://www.newburyportnews.com/news/local_news/n-plant-cited-for-reaction-to-concrete-problem/article_9a760104-f305-56f4-a447-afa6d9e7cdf4.html
3. *May 15, Lacey Patch* – (New Jersey) **NRC: Oyster Creek emergency diesel generator cooling system failed during test due to aging hose.** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission reported May 15 that its March 31 inspection at the Oyster Creek Nuclear Generating Station in Lacey Township revealed several low-level violations including a licensee-identified violation and a “White” violation which disclosed that the plant did not appropriately provide procedures or instructions for maintenance on the emergency diesel generator cooling water system. Source: <http://patch.com/new-jersey/lacey/nrc-oyster-creek-emergency-diesel-generator-cooling-system-failed-during-test-due-aging-hose>

Critical Manufacturing Sector

4. *May 14, KSTU 13 Salt Lake City* – (Utah) **Sprinkler system contains structure fire at Clearfield business, officials say.** Approximately 500 employees were evacuated from the Utility Trailer in Clearfield, Utah, May 14 following a fire that destroyed 1 trailer, damaged 2 others, and caused an estimated \$50,000 in damages. Officials stated the trailer manufacturer’s sprinkler system prevented the blaze from expanding to the entire building. Source: <http://fox13now.com/2016/05/14/sprinkler-system-contains-structure-fire-at-clearfield-business-officials-say/>

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Defense Industrial Base Sector

Nothing to report

Financial Services Sector

5. *May 13, SecurityWeek* – (International) **Upgraded Android banking trojan targets users in 200 countries.** Security researchers from Doctor Web reported that an Android banking trojan dubbed Android.SmsSpy.88. origin, initially discovered in 2014, was updated with new ransomware capabilities including a credit card information stealing capability that targets around 100 banking applications by using WebView to display a phishing window on top of the legitimate banking app, and by utilizing a fake Google Play payment phishing page to intercept and send short message service (SMS) and multimedia messaging service (MMS) messages, send unstructured supplementary service data (USSD) requests, and transmit all saved messages to the server, among other malicious actions. Security researchers stated the trojan has infected over 40,000 devices in over 200 countries.
Source: <http://www.securityweek.com/upgraded-android-banking-trojan-targets-users-200-countries>
6. *May 13, Rochester Democrat and Chronicle* – (National) **M&T Bank settles federal fraud case for \$64 million.** M&T Bank Corporation agreed May 13 to pay the Federal government \$64 million to settle charges after a former underwriter at M&T filed a whistleblower lawsuit against the bank in 2013 alleging she witnessed fraud in the bank's Federal Housing Administration underwriting practices, prompting a Federal investigation which revealed that the bank awarded housing loans that did not meet Federal requirements.
Source: <http://www.democratandchronicle.com/story/money/business/2016/05/13/mt-bank-settles-federal-fraud-case-64-million/84330828/>
7. *May 13, U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission* – (National) **SEC charges two attorneys with defrauding escrow clients.** The U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission announced May 13 fraud charges against two attorneys acting as escrow agents after the duo allegedly made undisclosed risky investments and stole \$13.8 million they obtained in escrow amounts from small business owners by making misrepresentations to clients about a purported loan company, Atlantic Rim Funding, siphoning clients' investment funds to pay themselves and others, and gambling on risky securities derivatives. Officials stated the pair concealed their illicit actions by claiming the money used for the securities trades was their own and did not belong to clients.
Source: <https://www.sec.gov/news/pressrelease/2016-87.html>

Transportation Systems Sector

8. *May 15, KVIA 7 El Paso* – (New Mexico) **Head-on collision between Hatch and Deming kills 2 women.** New Mexico Highway 26 between Deming and Hatch was

- closed for more than 8 hours May 14 following a head-on collision that killed 2 people and sent another to an area hospital with injuries. The crash remains under investigation.
Source: <http://www.kvia.com/news/serious-crash-shuts-down-nm-highway-26-between-hatch-and-deming/39548946>
9. *May 15, Boise Weekly* – (Idaho) **One dead on U.S. 95 after motorcycle collides with car.** Both lanes of U.S. Highway 95 near Payette, Idaho, were closed for nearly 3 hours May 14 after a motorcycle traveling southbound crossed the center line and struck a northbound vehicle, killing 1 person.
Source: <http://www.boiseweekly.com/boise/one-dead-on-us-95-after-motorcycle-collides-with-car/Content?oid=3792340>
 10. *May 15, KNBC 4 Los Angeles; Southern California City News Service* – (California) **1 dead after plane goes down in Angeles National Forest.** One person died after a Cessna 182 plane traveling from San Diego to Santa Monica lost contact during flight and crashed near Mount Wilson in the Angeles National Forest May 15. Search and rescue teams found the aircraft in the Brown Mountain area above Altadena after searching for more than 7 hours.
Source: <http://www.nbclosangeles.com/news/local/Plane-Down-at-Angeles-National-Forest-379578551.html>
 11. *May 14, KNSD 39 San Diego* – (California) **Tanker truck overturns near Interstate 8, spills fuel.** The southbound lanes of Moreno Boulevard in San Diego were closed for 13 hours May 13 – May 14, while the northbound lanes remained closed for at least 24 hours after a semi-truck carrying fuel overturned, spilling an unknown amount of diesel onto the roadway. HAZMAT crews were working to clean up the spill and the cause of the crash remains under investigation.
Source: <http://www.nbcsandiego.com/news/local/Fuel-Truck-Overturns-Near-Interstate-8-HAZMAT-Responding-SDPD-379473051.html>
 12. *May 14, Associated Press* – (Texas) **8 people dead, about 40 hurt in south Texas bus crash, officials say.** U.S. Highway 83 near Laredo was closed for several hours May 14 after an OGA Charters bus traveling from the Rio Grande Valley to an Eagle Pass casino overturned, killing 8 people and leaving 40 others injured.
Source: <http://www.latimes.com/nation/nationnow/la-na-texas-bus-crash-20160514-snap-story.html>
 13. *May 14, KTVI 2 St. Louis* – (Missouri) **1 killed, 5 injured in accident on Highway N in Franklin County.** A portion of Highway N in Franklin County was closed for several hours May 14 after a vehicle traveling northbound lost control, overturned, and slammed into a tree. One person was killed and five others were transported to area hospitals with injuries.
Source: <http://fox2now.com/2016/05/14/1-killed-5-injured-in-accident-on-highway-n-in-franklin-county/>

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Food and Agriculture Sector

14. *May 16, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (Pennsylvania) **A precautionary recall of three cases of The Farmers Market Chopped Asian Salad Kit is announced due to possible exposure to allergens.** Fresh Express and Giant Eagle Inc., issued a recall May 13 for three cases of its The Farmers Market Chopped Asian Salad Kit products sold in 6.25-ounce packages due to mislabeling and undeclared soy, almond, and wheat allergens after it was discovered that incorrect labels had been applied to select salad kits. No illnesses have been reported and the products were distributed to a Giant Eagle store in Coraopolis, Pennsylvania.
Source: <http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm501084.htm>
15. *May 14, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (Indiana; Texas) **Montero Farms recalls Orange Habanero Peppers because of possible health risk.** Montero Farms issued a recall May 13 for 154 boxes of its Orange Habanero Peppers products due to a potential Salmonella contamination following routine Federal testing. No illnesses have been reported and the products were shipped to Indiana and Texas.
Source: <http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm501052.htm>

Water and Wastewater Systems Sector

16. *May 16, Corpus Christi Caller-Times* – (Texas) **Boil water advisory continues into Monday afternoon.** The director of the City of Corpus Christi Communications office reported that a boil water advisory will continue through May 16 after nitrogen-rich runoff from rain seeped into the city's water system, impacting chlorine disinfectant used for tap water May 15. Crews took samples for testing and continued to flush the water.
Source: <http://www.caller.com/news/local/boil-water-advisory-continues-into-monday-afternoon-32e4ae7-7bbb-524e-e053-0100007fe991-379583781.html>
17. *May 13, WWNY 7 Carthage* – (New York) **Kelsey Creek contamination will be cleaned up.** The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation announced May 13 that a \$1.5 million cleanup project will remove soils and sediments along the bank of Kelsey Creek at the North Watertown Cemetery, restore the area to preserve the flood storage capacity of the affected portion of the creek, and restore vegetative communities and land used within the cemetery. The project is expected to take 6 months and is the result of more than 10 years of testing and State cleanup following the deposit of contaminants from the former New York Air Brake Corporation site.
Source: <http://www.wny7.com/news/local/Kelsey-Creek-Contamination-Will-Be-Cleaned-Up--379433631.html>

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Healthcare and Public Health Sector

Nothing to report

Government Facilities Sector

18. *May 16, WDAF 4 Kansas City* – (Kansas) **Linwood Elementary School closed Monday due to water main break.** A water main break May 15 prompted the closure of Linwood Elementary School in Kansas May 16 while crews worked to repair the break and restore water service.
Source: <http://fox4kc.com/2016/05/16/linwood-elementary-school-closed-monday-due-to-water-main-break/>
19. *May 16, Washington Post* – (National) **GSA says cyber ‘mistake’ was ‘no breach’; others investigate.** The U.S. Government Services Administration’s (GSA) inspector general’s office issued a management alert stating that over 100 GSA Google Drives were reportedly accessible by users inside and outside of GSA for a 5-month period, potentially exposing sensitive content such as contractor proprietary information and personal identifiable information due to a mistake in the configuration of Slack, an online chat tool used by the GSA office known as 18F. An investigation is ongoing after 18F officials reported May 13 that they discovered and remediated the issue.
Source: <https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/powerpost/wp/2016/05/16/gsa-says-cyber-mistake-was-no-breach-others-investigate/>
20. *May 15, WJLA 7 Washington, D.C.* – (Washington, D.C.) **Washington Monument to remain closed on Monday morning.** The U.S. National Park Service for the National Mall and Memorial Parks announced that the Washington Monument in Washington, D.C. will be closed May 16 while crews worked on an elevator power supply issue that forced the Monument’s closure May 15.
Source: <http://wjla.com/news/local/washington-monument-to-remain-closed-on-monday-morning>

Emergency Services Sector

Nothing to report

Information Technology Sector

21. *May 16, SecurityWeek* – (International) **Data leaked from hacker forum Nulled.io.** Risk Based Security reported that the popular forum, Nulled.io was compromised after hackers leaked a 1.3Gb archive containing more than 536,000 user account information including usernames, email addresses, hashed passwords, application program interface (API) credentials for payment gateways, authentication logs, and Internet Protocol (IP) addresses, among other data. Researchers are unsure how the Nulled.io database was compromised and the forum was taken offline due to the attack.
Source: <http://www.securityweek.com/data-leaked-hacker-forum-nulledio>

22. *May 16, Softpedia* – (International) **New Simple attack on Squid proxies leverages malicious flash ads.** Squid released versions 4.0.10 and 3.5.18 addressing a vulnerability in its products after a graduate from Tsinghua University discovered a vulnerability dubbed Squison in Squid 3.5.12 to 3.5.17 and all 4.x versions up to 4.0.9 that could allow hackers to poison a Squid proxy server's cache with malicious content by using simple attacks including a malicious Flash ad or through a Web site controlled by an attacker.
Source: <http://news.softpedia.com/news/new-simple-attack-on-squid-proxies-leverages-malicious-flash-ads-504103.shtml>
23. *May 16, IDG News Service* – (International) **Researchers crack new version of CryptXXX ransomware.** Researchers from Kaspersky Lab created a new tool titled, RannohDecryptor that will help victims decrypt files and recover lost information affected by the CryptXXX 2.0 malware. Researchers advised users to install software program updates to mitigate ransomware attacks.
Source: <http://www.networkworld.com/article/3070477/researchers-crack-new-version-of-cryptxxx-ransomware.html>
24. *May 15, Softpedia* – (International) **Silk Road 3.0 pops up on the Dark Web, once again.** A Reddit online thread reported that a new Silk Road marketplace dubbed, Silk Road 3.0, was active after its predecessor site was shut down following an FBI raid that arrested the Web site's users, moderators, and administrator. The marketplace was seen actively compiling stolen data, exploits, botnets, drugs, and weapons, among other illegal items, for attackers to purchase.
Source: <http://news.softpedia.com/news/silk-road-3-0-pops-up-on-the-dark-web-once-again-504089.shtml>
25. *May 13, Softpedia* – (International) **Five-year-old SAP vulnerability affects over 500 companies, not 36.** The U.S. Computer Emergency Response Team (US-CERT) issued a public alert to all U.S. companies after ERPScan discovered at least 533 companies were affected by an SAP vulnerability largely due to the companies' failure in installing a SAP security patch issued in 2010. The vulnerability can allow attackers to gain complete control of SAP business platforms via a bug in Invoker Servlet, a component in SAP's Java platforms.
Source: <http://news.softpedia.com/news/five-year-old-sap-vulnerability-affects-over-500-companies-not-36-504043.shtml>
26. *May 13, SecurityWeek* – (International) **Meteocontrol patches flaws in Photovoltaic Data logger.** Meteocontrol released an update for all versions of its WEB'log Basic 100, Light, Pro, and Pro unlimited products used in the energy, water, critical manufacturing, and commercial facilities sectors after a security researcher discovered that the products were plagued by critical authentication flaws, information exposure flaws, and a cross-site request forgery (CSRF) flaw that could allow attackers to perform actions on behalf of the user without authentication and access an administrator password in clear text.
Source: <http://www.securityweek.com/meteocontrol-patches-flaws-photovoltaic-data>

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Internet Alert Dashboard

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Information on IT information sharing and analysis can be found at the IT ISAC (Information Sharing and Analysis Center) Web site: <http://www.it-isac.org>

Communications Sector

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Commercial Facilities Sector

27. *May 16, Fort Wayne Journal Gazette* – (Indiana) **39 escape south-side apartment kitchen fire.** The Fort Wayne Fire Department reported May 16 that about 39 residents from a south-side apartment complex were evacuated May 15 due to a kitchen fire that began in a first-floor apartment unit. No injuries were reported.
Source: <http://www.journalgazette.net/news/local/police-fire/39-escape-south-side-apartment-kitchen-fire-13076582>
28. *May 15, WIFR 23 Freeport* – (Wisconsin) **20 displaced in Janesville apartment fire.** A May 15 fire displaced 20 residents and caused \$1 million in damages to a 16-unit apartment complex in Janesville, Wisconsin, after the blaze began when smoking material was improperly disposed. One person was treated for smoke inhalation and the incident was contained.
Source: <http://www.wifr.com/content/news/20-Displaced-in-Janesville-Apartment-Fire-379584471.html>
29. *May 15, WFTV 9 Orlando* – (Florida) **Fiery head-on bus crash injures 12 at Disney World.** The Florida Highway Patrol reported May 15 that 12 people were injured May 14 following a head-on collision at Walt Disney World near its Animal Kingdom Lodge when a vehicle traveling southbound in the northbound lanes of Sherberth Road collided with an oncoming charter bus.
Source: <http://www.wftv.com/news/local/fiery-head-on-bus-crash-injures-12-at-disney-world/283152830>
30. *May 13, WZZM 13 Grand Rapids* – (Michigan) **Faith United Reformed Church fire under investigation.** Officials are investigating a May 13 fire that destroyed at least half of the Faith United Reformed Church in Ottawa County, Michigan. No injuries were reported and the fire was contained.
Source: <http://www.wzzm13.com/news/local/lakeshore/reports-fire-at-faith-united-reformed-church-in-west-olive/189735487>

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Dams Sector

31. *May 15, KXAN 36 Austin* – (Texas) **LCRA partially opens Buchanan and Tom Miller dams.** Heavy rainfall May 14 in Austin, Texas, prompted the Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA) to partially open up one floodgate of the Buchanan and Tom Miller dams for several days May 15 to alleviate raised water levels. Officials expect water levels at Lake Buchanan to be elevated the week of May 16.
Source: <http://kxan.com/2016/05/15/lcra-partially-opens-buchanan-and-tom-miller-dams/>

32. *May 13, Associated Press* – (Michigan) **Water drained from popular fishing site for dam repair.** The Michigan Department of Natural Resources reported May 13 that the Big Creek Impoundment in Crawford County was being drained as part of a dam repair project after a routine inspection revealed issues with the dam's outlet pipe. Officials reported that the repair and refilling should be completed by mid-July.
Source: <http://www.detroitnews.com/story/news/local/michigan/2016/05/13/fishing-site-drained-dam-fix/84349966/>



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