

FAQs:

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Risk management, Information Security (Part-IS)

Question:

Is risk transfer an option under Part-IS?

Answer:

Risk transfer is commonly associated with shifting the financial or operational consequences of a risk being shifted to a third party through insurance. In this sense, risk transfer is not a possible risk treatment option under Part-IS, since transferring responsibility to a third party (particularly an insurance company) does not imply active control of safety consequences, which is the objective of risk management in Part-IS.

Risk transfer is possible in other safety regulations, for example in the Air Operations domain. However, this is not to be confused with the risk treatment options under Part-IS, where the organisation has to take action to address identified security risks with an impact on safety.

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