

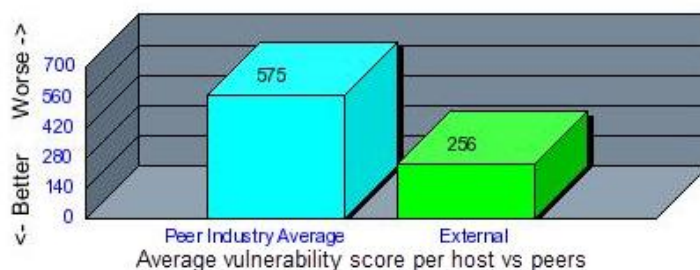
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To Whom It May Concern:

On August 24, 2011, Pivot Point Security conducted a security assessment for Afilias to provide assurances that the information technology resources integral to delivering services to their clients was secured in a manner consistent with its security objectives and mitigates information technology risks to an acceptable level

These services included a vulnerability assessment and penetration test of Afilias's public facing systems. The intent of the assessment was to assess the security posture of these systems. We determined that Afilias's external systems were secured at a level consistent with industry best practice and above that of peer organizations that we have tested.



**Afilias's External Network Relative to Peer Industry**

The scope of the test included the following subnets and hosts:

- 149.17.192.0/24, 69.46.107.0/24

Pivot Point Security has been architected to provide maximum levels of independent and objective information security expertise to our varied client base. The team responsible for conducting security assessments of this nature is led by a Certified Information Security Auditor/IRCA ISO 27001 Auditor and includes personnel appropriately qualified to render this opinion (e.g., Certified Information System Security Professionals, Microsoft Certified System Engineers, Certified Ethical Hackers, etc.)

If there are any questions regarding this attestation, please feel free to contact me at 609.581.4600 x300.

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