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REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT

To the Management of Microsoft Public Key Infrastructure ("PKI") Services (formerly known as "PRSS PKI"):

We have examined Microsoft PKI Services' management [assertion](#) that for its Certification Authority ("CA") operations in the United States of America and the European Union, throughout the period January 1, 2019 to April 30, 2019 for the CAs enumerated in [Appendix A](#), Microsoft PKI Services has:

- disclosed its business, key lifecycle management, certificate lifecycle management, and CA environmental control practices in the applicable versions of its Microsoft PKI Services Certificate Policy and Certification Practice Statement enumerated in [Appendix B](#)
- maintained effective controls to provide reasonable assurance that:
 - Microsoft PKI Services' Certification Practice Statement is consistent with its Certificate Policy; and
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- maintained effective controls to provide reasonable assurance that:
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- maintained effective controls to provide reasonable assurance that:
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 - CA systems development, maintenance, and operations are properly authorized and performed to maintain CA systems integrity

based on the [WebTrust Principles and Criteria for Certification Authorities v2.1](#). Microsoft PKI Services' management is responsible for its assertion. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on management's assertion, based on our examination.



The relative effectiveness and significance of specific controls at Microsoft PKI Services and their effect on assessments of control risk for subscribers and relying parties are dependent on their interaction with the controls and other factors present at individual subscriber and relying party locations. Our examination did not extend to controls at individual subscriber and relying party locations and we have not evaluated the effectiveness of such controls.

Microsoft PKI Services does not escrow CA keys, does not provide subscriber key lifecycle management services, and does not provide certificate suspension services. Accordingly, our examination did not extend to controls that would address those criteria.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require that we plan and perform the examination to obtain reasonable assurance about whether management's assertion is fairly stated, in all material respects. An examination involves performing procedures to obtain evidence about management's assertion. The nature, timing, and extent of the procedures selected depend on our judgment, including an assessment of the risks of material misstatement of management's assertion, whether due to fraud or error. We believe that the evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Because of the nature and inherent limitations of controls, Microsoft PKI Services' ability to meet the aforementioned criteria may be affected. For example, controls may not prevent, or detect and correct, error, fraud, unauthorized access to systems and information, or failure to comply with internal and external policies or requirements. Also, the projection of any conclusions based on our findings to future periods is subject to the risk that changes may alter the validity of such conclusions.

In our opinion, management's assertion, as referred to above, is fairly stated in all material respects.

This report does not include any representation as to the quality of the services of Microsoft PKI Services beyond those covered by the [WebTrust Principles and Criteria for Certification Authorities v2.1](#) for CAs enumerated in [Appendix A](#), nor the suitability of any of the services of Microsoft PKI Services for any customer's intended purpose.

Microsoft PKI Services' use of the WebTrust for Certification Authorities Seal constitutes a symbolic representation of the contents of this report and it is not intended, nor should it be construed, to update this report or provide any additional assurance.

BDO USA, LLP

Certified Public Accountants
July 25, 2019



APPENDIX A - IN-SCOPE CAs

Root CAs	Serial Number	Issue Date	Expiration Date	SHA256 Thumbprint
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**APPENDIX B - CERTIFICATION PRACTICE STATEMENT AND CERTIFICATE POLICY
VERSIONS IN-SCOPE**

Policy Name	Policy Version	Policy Date
Microsoft PKI Services Certificate Policy	Version 3.1.1	July 10, 2018
Microsoft PKI Services Certification Practice Statement	Version 3.1.2	October 12, 2018

MICROSOFT PUBLIC KEY INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES' MANAGEMENT ASSERTION

Microsoft Public Key Infrastructure (“PKI”) Services operates the Certification Authority (“CA”) services for the CAs enumerated in [Appendix A](#), and provides the following CA services:

- Subscriber registration
- Certificate renewal
- Certificate rekey
- Certificate issuance
- Certificate distribution
- Certificate revocation
- Certificate validation
- Subordinate CA certification

The management of Microsoft PKI Services is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective controls over its CA operations, including its CA business practices disclosure on its [repository](#), CA business practices management, CA environmental controls, CA key lifecycle management controls, certificate lifecycle management controls, and subordinate CA certificate lifecycle management controls. These controls contain monitoring mechanisms, and actions are taken to correct deficiencies identified.

There are inherent limitations in any controls, including the possibility of human error, and the circumvention or overriding of controls. Accordingly, controls placed into operation can only provide reasonable assurance with respect to Microsoft PKI Services’ CA operations. Furthermore, because of changes in conditions, the effectiveness of controls may vary over time.

Microsoft PKI Services management has assessed its disclosures of its certificate practices and controls over its CA services. Based on that assessment, in Microsoft PKI Services management’s opinion, in providing its CA services in the United States of America and the European Union, throughout the period January 1, 2019 to April 30, 2019, Microsoft PKI Services has:

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based on the [WebTrust Principles and Criteria for Certification Authorities v2.1](#), including the following:

CA Business Practices Disclosure

- Certification Practice Statement (CPS)
- Certificate Policy (CP)

CA Business Practices Management

- Certificate Policy Management
- Certification Practice Statement Management
- CP and CPS Consistency

CA Environmental Controls

- Security Management
- Asset Classification and Management
- Personnel Security
- Physical & Environmental Security
- Operations Management
- System Access Management
- System Development and Maintenance
- Business Continuity Management
- Monitoring and Compliance
- Audit Logging

CA Key Lifecycle Management Controls

- CA Key Generation
- CA Key Storage, Backup, and Recovery
- CA Public Key Distribution
- CA Key Usage
- CA Key Archival
- CA Key Destruction
- CA Key Compromise
- CA Cryptographic Hardware Lifecycle Management
- CA Key Transportation
- CA Key Migration

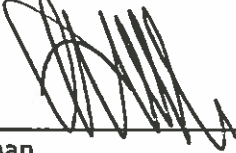
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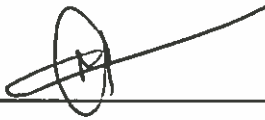
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- Subordinate CA Certificate Lifecycle Management

Microsoft PKI Services did not escrow CA keys, does not provide any subscriber key lifecycle management services, and does not provide certificate suspension services. Accordingly, our assertion did not extend to controls that would address those criteria.



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