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Securus Consulting Group, LLC Becomes STOP. THINK. CONNECT. Partner

Jan 12, 2015 — **Securus Consulting Group, LLC** today announced that it has signed on as a partner of STOP. THINK. CONNECT., the global cybersecurity awareness campaign, to help all digital citizens stay safer and more secure online.

The campaign's three easy, actionable steps: STOP. THINK. CONNECT. are easy to understand and apply. STOP. THINK. CONNECT. also advises all Internet users to take security measures, understand the consequences of their behavior and actions and enjoy the benefits of the Internet. Here are some additional tips and advice:

- **Keep a Clean Machine:** Keep all critical software—security software, Web browsers and operating systems—up to date.
- **Protect Your Personal Information:** Secure your accounts by making passwords long, strong and unique.
- **Own Your Online Presence:** Set security and privacy settings to your comfort level of sharing.
- **When in Doubt, Throw it Out:** If an email, social network post or text message looks suspicious, even if you know the source, delete it.
- **Be a Good Online Citizen:** Post only about others what you would have them post about you.

Securus Consulting Group, LLC is joining STOP. THINK. CONNECT.'s partner program to help promote messages about the importance of online safety.

At Securus Consulting Group our mission is to provide the people, processes and technologies that enable our clients to implement governance, reduce risk and simplify compliance so that their non-public data and employee online safety is continually protected and their awareness around cybersecurity issues is heightened. We also understand that to effectively raise the level of end user cyber safety awareness in the workplace it is equally imperative to re-enforce online security best practices to all online users and frequently. The Stop. Think. Connect.'s partner program will be instrumental in this effort and will provide valuable online safety information to our clients and the online users in the communities we serve.

The campaign's Partner Program aims to address the worldwide problems of online security and cybercrime by harmonizing messaging across the globe. STOP. THINK. CONNECT. partners gain exclusive access to content, templates and other resources to make it easy for them to co-brand with the campaign.

STOP. THINK. CONNECT. was created by an unprecedented coalition of private companies, non-profits and government organizations with leadership provided by the [National Cyber Security Alliance \(NCSA\)](#) and the [Anti-Phishing Working Group \(APWG\)](#).

The campaign was launched in October of 2010 by the STOP. THINK. CONNECT. Messaging Convention in partnership with the U.S. government, including the White House.

NCSA, in partnership with the APWG, continue to lead the campaign. The Department of Homeland Security leads the federal engagement in the campaign.

The campaign's messages were created by the STOP. THINK. CONNECT. Messaging Convention – a public-private partnership established in 2009 to develop the awareness effort. Information about founding STC Messaging Convention members is available at: <http://stopthinkconnect.org/about-us/founders/>.

Anyone interested in getting involved with STOP. THINK. CONNECT. is encouraged to visit: <http://stopthinkconnect.org/get-involved>.

About STOP. THINK. CONNECT.

The campaign launched in 2010 and was developed by the STOP. THINK. CONNECT. Messaging Convention, a public-private partnership established in 2009 and led by The Anti-Phishing Working Group (APWG) and National Cyber Security Alliance (NCSA) to develop and support a national cybersecurity awareness campaign. The Department of Homeland Security provides the Federal Government's leadership for the campaign. Industry, government, non-profits and education institutions participate in STOP. THINK. CONNECT. Learn how to get involved at the STOP. THINK. CONNECT. Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/STOPTHINKCONNECT>, on Twitter at [@STOPTHINKCONNECT](#), and the campaign website at <http://stopthinkconnect.org/>.

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Securus Consulting Group is headquartered in San Diego, California and serves the information security and regulatory compliance needs of organizations in the healthcare, legal, retail, and finance sectors across the United States. Our team of professionals have a wealth of experience between them across all aspects of cybersecurity and we are dedicated to attracting, developing, and retaining a competent, creative, and highly motivated workforce who always put the needs of our clients first. Securus Consulting Group offers a menu of services and products including audits of internal controls, vulnerability scans, delivery of training, and development of policies, procedures and plans to assist in maintaining compliance. Learn more about Securus Consulting Group and the services we provide at <http://www.securusgrc.com/>