

Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/444 of 13 March 2015  
on the security rules for protecting EU classified information

CHAPTER 1

**BASIC PRINCIPLES AND MINIMUM STANDARDS**

*Article 6*

**Security risk management**

- 1 Security measures for protecting EUCI throughout its life-cycle shall be commensurate in particular with its security classification, the form and the volume of the information or material, the location and construction of facilities housing EUCI and the locally assessed threat of malicious and/or criminal activities, including espionage, sabotage and terrorism.
- 2 Contingency plans shall take account of the need to protect EUCI during emergency situations in order to prevent unauthorised access, disclosure or loss of integrity or availability.
- 3 Preventive and recovery measures to minimise the impact of major failures or incidents on the handling and storage of EUCI shall be included in all services' business continuity plans.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/444, Article 6.