

Brincat Anna at Parlament-MT

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Ghaziza Anna,

Nittama li tinsab tajba.

Jiena ninsab informat illi b'mod tekniku hemm possibbiltajiet li wiehed jaccedi l-mailboxes fuq l-internet minghajr htiega ta' password fis-segwenti cirkostanzi:

Mailboxes can be accessed WITHOUT the users password if

1. The user has a certificate assigned he can log on with the certificate WITHOUT knowing the password.
2. If the user has a delegate assigned that delegate can simply open the Inbox WITHOUT knowing the password.
3. If the mailboxes permissions are not correct someone can just open the Inbox WITHOUT knowing the password.
4. Administrators can open the Mailbox without having the password.
5. There could be a shadow box configured and a different user opens the shadow box.
6. Interception of email via SMTP Sink at the network perimeter.
7. Sniffing the mail when coming at the network provider or in the intranet.
8. Hacking into the network in general to gain access as explained above.

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