

CASE STUDY

BRETON SERVICES COMPTABLES INC.

THE CHALLENGE

Breton Services Comptables Inc., an accounting firm known for its professional bookkeeping, financial statements, and tax reporting services for both corporations and individuals, was faced with a severe cybersecurity breach on May 3, 2023. The incident not only threatened the confidentiality and integrity of their client's financial data but also exposed vulnerabilities in their IT infrastructure, managed by an external IT firm. With an urgent need for a robust security response, the firm was in search of a trusted and effective cybersecurity provider.

THE SOLUTION

The team at Breton Services Comptables Inc. was introduced to GoSecure through three separate, trustworthy referrals. Recognizing the criticality of the situation, GoSecure was brought on board to provide emergency cybersecurity solutions. GoSecure Emergency Incident Response Services have helped Breton Services Comptables Inc. to negotiate compensation for damages with the IT company previously responsible for IT security.

WHY GOSECURE?

Choosing GoSecure was a decision driven by trust and reputation, as trusted partners referred the accounting firm to GoSecure. GoSecure's reputation for quick and efficient emergency response to cyber threats stood out among other options. The incident response was handled by GoSecure's team, who helped reduce dwell time and mitigated impact.

FROM CHAOS TO PEACE: HOW GOSECURE SAFEGUARDED BRETON SERVICES COMPTABLES INC.

When Breton Services Comptables Inc. suffered a cybersecurity attack, the company jumped into action. As an accounting firm that prides itself on reliable bookkeeping and tax services, dealing with such an attack was uncharted territory. The breach on May 3, 2023, put their clients' sensitive financial data at risk and showed serious gaps in their cybersecurity protection, which until then had been managed by and entrusted to an outsourced IT service.

With an immediate need to secure their data and systems, the firm realized their current security measures were not up to the task. They needed a solid and lasting cybersecurity solution and fast. Their search for a trustworthy cybersecurity partner led them to GoSecure. Based on strong recommendations from three different sources they trusted, they decided to go ahead with GoSecure. They needed a solution that wasn't just about short-term fixes but one that would be reliable for the long run.

Breton Services Comptables Inc. placed their confidence in GoSecure. Specifics about the solutions provided are confidential, but the results speak volumes about GoSecure's effectiveness. GoSecure's involvement not only addressed the immediate threat but also equipped Breton Services Comptables Inc. to negotiate with their IT providers, ensuring accountability for the security oversight.

The firm's experience led to valuable business connections within the cybersecurity sector and underscored the importance of being prepared. They now emphasize the necessity of proactive security measures, a strong legal and PR strategy, and reliable data backups.

In response to the breach, Breton Services Comptables Inc. immediately informed their clients who were potentially affected. This approach allowed them to provide specific details about what happened, what was at risk, and the steps being taken to resolve the issue.

Breton Services Comptables Inc.'s advice to others is clear—don't wait for a breach to strengthen your cybersecurity. Their proactive steps post-incident with GoSecure have underscored the importance of preventive action in cybersecurity management.

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Industry: Accounting

Company size: SMB

GoSecure Solutions:

- Emergency Incident Response

"Ensuring that you have a competent legal team, effective public relations support, and robust cybersecurity insurance in place is absolutely critical for any modern organization. Moreover, we must take greater responsibility for our 'offsite' backups—making certain they are not only regularly executed but also remain uninfected and are readily available for use when needed. This is not just about being cautious; it's about being smart and prepared in today's digital landscape."

- Lyne Breton, President, Breton Services Comptables Inc.

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