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About the PCI Security Standards Council:

The [PCI Security Standards Council](#) (PCI SSC) leads a global, cross-industry effort to increase payment security by providing industry-driven, flexible and effective data security standards and programs that help businesses detect, mitigate and prevent cyberattacks and breaches.

Description of the Board of Advisor Role:

The Board of Advisors represents PCI SSC Participating Organizations worldwide to ensure global industry involvement in the development of PCI Security Standards and programs.

Pierre Chassigneux from European Card Payment Association (ECPA) is one of 29 board members to join the PCI Security Standards Council in its efforts to secure payment data globally. As strategic partners, board members bring industry, geographical and technical insight to PCI SSC plans and projects.

PCI SSC General Manager Stephen W. Orfei said:

“The Board of Advisors provides industry expertise and perspectives that influence and shape the development of PCI Security Standards and programs. We look forward to working with European Card Payment Association) in our efforts to help organizations secure payment data globally.

PCI SSC International Director Jeremy King indicated:

“We need voices from across vertical industry sectors, countries and regions to help ensure we are providing the best standards and the best protection against today’s modern cybercriminal. We’re pleased to have European Card Payment Association on the PCI SSC Board of Advisors to provide critical insights and help us build on the great efforts that are already being done to increase payment security globally.”

ECPA Chairman Vitor Bento confirmed that :

“In our role as the Strategic European Regional Member of PCI SSC, and through our presence on the PCI SSC Board of Advisors, ECPA will continue to support global initiatives for security standards by sharing the experience, recommendations and requirements of European stakeholders in the payment value chain and an active participation in PCI SSC working groups “

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