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# FP IAB receives coveted IT certificate

ISO certification ISO/IEC 27001 confirms customer data security

FP IAB Internet Access GmbH, specialist for the outsourcing of incoming and outgoing mail processing, has received ISO/IEC 27001 certification. The certificate confirms the continuous security of customer data and is essential for orders from the critical infrastructure sector.

**Berlin, 12<sup>th</sup> March 2020 –** With the coveted ISO/IEC 27001 certification for both incoming and outgoing mail processing, FP IAB has achieved another unique selling point.

"We are very proud to be the only service provider in our field that can offer the complete certification of all processes in accordance with ISO 27001", says Michael Steinberg, CEO of FP IAB.

Institutions and companies that perform important tasks for the general public, such as energy service providers, must prove that their information structure can withstand not only cyber attacks but even plane crashes. "Without this certificate, an estimated 2000 such systemically important organisations would not be allowed to commence operations in Germany. Sectors such as transport, banking and finance, healthcare and digital infrastructures are affected," continues Michael Steinberg.

Due to the risks, both operators of critical infrastructures and their service providers are obliged to comply with standards under the IT Security Act: Anyone who wishes to work for these organisations must be able to reliably prove that their data infrastructure is also secure.

And the international standard ISO/IEC 27001 confirms compliance with the requirements for the production, introduction, operation, monitoring, maintenance and improvement of a documented information security management system.

With this coveted rating, FP IAB guarantees the comprehensive protection of company data and customer information at all times.



"The certificate assures our customers the highest possible protection of their data," says Olaf Stern, IT security expert at FP IAB.

The service portfolio of the Francotyp-Postalia subsidiary includes complete document management solutions. With its communication hybrid technology, FP IAB produces both the tried and tested postal communication, but also serves the latest communication channels such as messenger, mail and SMS. For data incoming processing, the various communication channels, from the physical letter to SMS, are used to generate data for further use or archiving using the latest AI-based technologies.

FP IAB is in good company: located on the "Adlershof Vista Campus Technologiepark Europa" in Berlin, its experts work next door to other leading figures in the field of security technology.

In order to meet its own quality requirements, the FP IAB can provide evidence of further certifications: For example, the company also has certificates for quality management according to ISO 9001:2015 and for environmental management according to ISO 14001:2015

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