

The Latest from the List – June 2023

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Here is the June installment of the monthly communication from the InCommon Certificate Service. Each month we will highlight a frequently asked question from the list (or share other important updates) along with its corresponding responses as well as added notes from our team when needed. Please let us know if there is a question that you would like to see addressed in a future installment of The Latest from the List. In the meantime, keep the great dialogue going on the list!

—Sara Jeanes, InCommon Certificate Service

UPCOMING EVENT — Webinar — Client Certificate Changes

Register now! To learn more about client certificate changes coming in August, join fellow subscribers for a community conversation via webinar on Tues., July 25 at 10 a.m. ET.







Tim Callan, Nick France, and Paul Caskey

Tim Callan and Nick France at Sectigo will speak to the InCommon Certificate Service subscriber community with Paul Caskey, Internet2, moderating the discussion. They will provide the updates you need to begin preparing for client certificate changes coming in August because of developments at the CA/Browser (CAB) Forum, the organization that coordinates common implementations for certificates across the web browsers. Register now.



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THIS MONTH'S Q&A

Question: What is the process to obtain a new code-signing cert using key attestation?

Answer: Sectigo has started enforcing a new requirement from the CA/Browser Forum that requires a physical hardware token for protection of private keys used for code-signing certificates.

This means that you will now need to purchase/supply appropriate hardware to obtain new code-signing certificates. This hardware must support what's referred to as "key attestation." Currently, only the Safenet Luna HSMs and Yubikey FIPS 5C USB tokens are supported. The Yubikeys are readily available and are inexpensive.

To order a new code-signing certificate, there are steps that you must complete outside of the Sectigo Certificate Manager. They are documented in the new code-signing quide.

If you run into trouble, please open a ticket with <u>Sectigo support</u>.

ICYMI — Instant Replay

Learn more about recent and forthcoming updates to the InCommon Certificate Service. Earlier this month, we hosted a community conversation for subscribers via webinar. Tim Callan and Nick France at Sectigo spoke to the InCommon Certificate Service subscriber community with Paul Caskey, Internet2, moderating the discussion. Topics included Browser changes - 90-day certificate renewals and Code Signing Changes - BYO token.

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