

Security Leaks Result In Spike In Demand For Secure Offshore Hosting

Secure Hosting has seen a spike in demand for their secure offshore cloud hosting as a direct result of recent security leaks in the U.S.

NASSAU, THE BAHAMAS, July 24, 2013 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Two recent whistleblowing induced events have been fortuitous for Secure Hosting, The Bahamas and Bermuda based offshore hosting services provider. The company has enjoyed a surge in business as a direct result of the



Offshore backup is surging as businesses become more concerned about where their data is being stored and who has access to it.

Offshore Leaks scandal in April and the more recent NSA PRISM scandal.

Both scandals have demonstrated the vulnerability of U.S.-based hosting facilities and have sparked worldwide concern over data privacy. The Offshore Leaks scandal alone exposed the



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account details of over 130,000 individuals, while PRISM brought to light the risks associated with using American based hosting services. Both events have raised the question of just how secure and private business data is with these services because with U.S. service providers, the government can request business information under the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act without the company in question ever knowing.

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operations using U.S.-controlled cloud services, such as Amazon, Microsoft Azure and Rackspace are now looking offshore for their data hosting needs," noted <u>Richard Douglas</u>, CTO of Secure Hosting (<u>www.securehost.com</u>).

The Bahamas and Bermuda have proven to be the ideal location for offshore cloud hosting and offshore backup due to their stringent privacy and data protection laws and high speed fiber

access to the American marketplace. As a result, Secure Hosting has seen a surge in business at their three data centers in the Caribbean.

About Secure Hosting: Since 2001, Secure Hosting www.securehost.com has been providing premium hosting solutions to businesses who are concerned about data seizure, privacy loss or business interruption. The company's three data centers in The Bahamas and Bermuda are monitored and protected 24/7 with the latest in network monitoring and security technologies including access cards, biometrics and 24/7 video recording.

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