## Technical Panel of the Nebraska Information Technology Commission

#### **Technical Standards and Guidelines**

## **Proposal 33**

## **30-Day Comment Period**

#### Notes:

- 1. The following proposal is under review by the Technical Panel of the Nebraska Information Technology Commission. The proposal modifies the technical standards and guidelines posted at: <a href="https://nitc.nebraska.gov/standards/index.html">https://nitc.nebraska.gov/standards/index.html</a>.
- 2. The panel is seeking comments on this proposal from any interested person or entity.
- 3. Comments should be sent to: ocio.nitc@nebraska.gov.
- 4. The comment period for this proposal ends on March 22, 2024.
- 5. Contact information: ocio.nitc@nebraska.gov or 402-471-7984.

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A PROPOSAL relating to the waiver policy; to amend section 1-103; and to repeal the original section.

1	Section 1. Section 1-103 is amended to read:
2	1-103. Waiver policy.
3	(1) Purpose. There may be circumstances that justify noncompliance with a standard issued
4	by the commission. This policy authorizes the Technical Panel, upon a determination of good
5	cause shown, to issue waivers relating to the commission's technical standards.
6	(2) Request. An agency may request a waiver by submitting the following information to the
7	Technical Panel:
8	(a) The specific section(s) at issue;
9	(b) A description of the problem and justification for the waiver; and
10	(c) A description of the agency's preferred solution.
11	Requests may be submitted by email to: ocio.nitc@nebraska.gov.
12	(3) Temporary Waiver. The state information security officer may grant a temporary waiver,
13	subject to further review as provided in this section.
14	(3)(4) Review. The Technical Panel will consider the request at their next regularly
15	scheduled meeting. The panel may ask for additional information from the submitting agency
16	and may postpone their decision for one meeting. After reviewing the request, and any
17	comments received, the panel may approve the request, approve the request with conditions, or
18	deny the request.

- 1 (4)(5) Appeal. A denial or an approval with conditions by the Technical Panel may be
- 2 appealed to the commission.
- 3 Sec. 2. Original section 1-103 is repealed.
- 4 Sec. 3. This proposal takes effect when approved by the commission.