CIPR Webinar: Cybersecurity and the Value of Information Sharing

Thursday, March 8, 2018
11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. Eastern

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The CIPR is collaborating with The Financial Services Information Sharing and Analysis Center (FS-ISAC) on this webinar to provide policymakers with a non-advocative, nonpartisan educational program. FS-ISAC facilitates the sharing of information, including threat information, best practices, and regulatory issues, among thousands of institutions globally.

Cybersecurity is now a regular topic of boardroom conversation and has emerged as a top concern for financial institutions, regulators, and others in government. As technologies proliferate, numerous security solutions have emerged. Although many of these solutions cost millions of dollars to deploy, there’s one that has become an essential and inexpensive tool to mitigate some of these risks: a strong, trusted, and effective information-sharing community. Information sharing remains one of the most effective ways to stay ahead of cybercrime. This webinar will begin with introductory remarks by Director Raymond Farmer of the South Carolina Department of Insurance, followed by a presentation from FS-ISAC on the cyber threat landscape, recent insurer cyber-attacks and the mission of FS-ISAC.

11:30  Introduction: Overview of the Program
      — Eric Nordman, Director of Regulatory Services and CIPR
          National Association of Insurance Commissioners

11:40  Cyber threats against insurance companies and FS-ISAC’s role in sharing information
      — Rick Lacafta, Director of Insurance Services
          Financial Services Information Sharing and Analysis Center

12:30  Q&A Closing Remarks