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COPENHAGEN, DENMARK – CSIS Security Group A/S ("CSIS") and ICS Range ApS ("ICS Range") have signed a Strategic Partnership and announced the launch of a unique portfolio of OT Cybersecurity Services.

Founded in 2003, CSIS has built a solid reputation for innovation, deep technical capabilities, and an ability to address the most complex cyber challenges. The company supports some of the most recognized brands in multiple industries throughout Denmark, the rest of the Nordics, the UK, and the US. Its proprietary technology, scalable services, actionable threat intelligence, and a world-class team of security professionals are central to the company's unique positioning.

Founded in 2022, ICS Range was built by IT/OT security experts with a vision to teach, advise, and develop optimal security solutions within industrial operational technology (OT) environments. ICS Range's services have a practical, real-life approach to embrace the very special, delicate nature of OT networks and environments while improving offensive and defensive skills to help companies protect their critical environments against emerging cyber threats.

Ever since Stuxnet started to make headlines for the disruption it caused to the Iranian nuclear program, OT/ICS cybersecurity has been a growing concern to organizations worldwide.

Today, we can see a visible rise in demand for proactive and reactive cybersecurity services, which is being driven by an inherent understanding that threats and risks are growing, and that the damage caused by these threats is likely to be significant. Regulatory frameworks and compliance controls are requiring cybersecurity for OT to become an operating reality. Additionally, more and more organizations are taking a holistic view and centralizing accountability for cybersecurity across IT and OT domains.

As has been commonplace in IT for some years now, Chief Information Security Officers and leadership must now take a fundamental and essential 'assume breach' perspective on OT – taking a proactive approach will ensure that the maturity of cybersecurity practices in OT will evolve at a pace that will reduce the risk exposure to the ever-increasing threats posed to companies' critical infrastructures.

The partnership between CSIS and ICS Range signals a fundamental commitment from the two companies toward the OT market. Together, they are launching a portfolio of OT Cybersecurity Services, harnessing the combined capability of two world-class teams, including Asset Discovery, Security Assessment, Purple Teaming services, and an Emergency Incident Response Retainer for OT.

Daniel Shepherd, CEO of CSIS: "The need for best-in-class OT cybersecurity services is a clear message we get from the market and our customers. CSIS is already a well-established leader in the IT security space with extensive knowledge and experience in the fields of offensive security and emergency incident response. With ICS Range, whom we regard as a peer in terms of depth of technical expertise, track record, ways of working, and values, we extend our knowledge and expertise into the OT domain to further amplify the impact we have on our customers' security posture and resilience. As we look to next year, we are already planning on additional capabilities to enrich this first service offering."





Echoing these sentiments, ICS Range Co-founder Mikael Vingaard emphasized the shared values and synergies between CSIS and ICS Range, stating," We are delighted to be partnering with CSIS to combine the strength and knowledge of both of our companies. With a strong focus on IT security, CSIS has consistently delivered high-quality services to its diverse client base, earning a reputation for reliability and customer-centricity. In the future, ICS Range aims to enhance this capability by serving as a valuable supplement to the broader landscape of industrial security."

As an integrated services proposition across IT and OT domains, the CSIS and ICS Range partnership will benefit customers in numerous sectors, including critical infrastructure services providers, manufacturing, and defence.

About CSIS Security Group

Founded in 2003, CSIS is a leading provider of advanced cybersecurity capabilities focused on actionable and intelligence-driven detection and response services. CSIS is the preferred cybersecurity partner to notable organizations across various sectors, including Banking and Financial Services, Energy and Utilities, Manufacturing, Transportation and Logistics, as well as the Government and Public Sector. CSIS is a trusted adviser to law enforcement agencies (including the FBI, NCA, and Europol) and a sought-after expert contributor to public and closed-community conferences worldwide.

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About ICS Range

Founded in 2022, ICS Range was built by IT/OT security experts with a vision to teach, advise, and develop optimal security solutions within industrial operational technology (OT) environments.

Besides industrial security consultancy, the product flagship is the unique OT/ICS security training platform built to educate a range of professionals who work with industrial (OT) systems, ranging from basic introductory-level training to expert-level education.

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