

PRESS RELEASE**CONSIP ACTIVATES NEW CYBERSECURITY SERVICES CONTRACT FOR THE PUBLIC SECTOR.**

- Consip announces that it has activated the "Remote Security Services" framework agreement for the implementation of the three-year plan for Information Technology in the Public Sector;
- HSPI S.p.A, a TXT Group company, together with Intellera Consulting, Capgemini Italia S.p.A. and TELECONSYS S.p.A., will provide the Public Sector, products and services aimed at identifying the security status of the information system, defining a Cybersecurity strategy and identifying security needs, worth 47 million Euros;
- The framework agreement related to Lotto 2, dedicated to "Compliance and Control" services finally awarded and effective from March 16, 2022, is active since May 27, 2022 and has a duration of 24 months.

Rome June 20, 2022 - **Consip** announced that it has activated a new contract for the provision of **Cybersecurity services** for the **Public Sector**. The framework agreement related to Lotto 2, dedicated to "**Compliance and Control**" services, named **HSPI, a TXT Group Company**, among the winning suppliers **alongside Intellera Consulting, Capgemini Italia S.p.A. and TELECONSYS S.p.A.** This important, new announcement confirms HSPI S.p.A and the entire TXT Group as one of the major players in the Italian digital transformation process.

With the aim of implementing the **three-year plan for Information Technology** in the **Public Sector** and the **digitization mission of the Recovery and Resilience Plan**, it is more and more important to make readily available products and services, in the field of cybersecurity, to the Italian Public Sector that enable it to counter the ever-increasing cyber threat to critical infrastructures and digital services.

The achievement of this goal is met with great pride by CEO of HSPI S.p.A, **Sebastiano Manno** and the entire TXT Group. HSPI, a TXT Group company, has been operating, with pre-eminent leadership, for more than 20 years in the Public Sector panorama, thanks to its distinctive and specialised technological skills in ICT.

"We are living a new technological revolution, in which the Recovery Plan's digital transformation mission is an important objective for the Country's innovation and infrastructure. HSPI, thanks in part to the participation of the TXT Group, which specialises in the implementation of digital solutions based on core competencies in key technological and business-critical processes, has the right skills and experience to support the Public Sector on this path. The peculiarity of being able to boast among the Group's excellences considerable verticality in areas such as Cybersecurity, continues to confirm the solidity of HSPI and the TXT Group as a whole, offering itself as an ideal partner to support and guide Public Administrations in the path towards digital innovation. A team capable of integrating distinctive skills will contribute decisively to the achievement of cybersecurity objectives," commented HSPI CEO Sebastiano Manno.

The services to be provided are: **Security Strategy** (definition of strategic choices inherent to the governance of information security); **Vulnerability Assessment** (definition of a process aimed at identifying and classifying risks and vulnerabilities in terms of information security); **Code Testing** (identification of software vulnerabilities in the early phase of the lifecycle); **Incident Analysis and Management Support**; **Penetration Testing** to exploit detected vulnerabilities in order to determine the degree of security of the information system; **Compliance or analysis of compliance of the information system** with norms, rules, standards or policies.

HSPI, **part of the TXT Group since 2020**, together with Intellera Consulting, Capgemini Italia S.p.A. and TELECONSUS S.p.A., is committed to providing services and products in the IT field with the goal of an increasingly digitized Country ready to face the growing cyber threats.

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HSPI S.p.A. and TXT Group company

HSPI S.p.A., part of the TXT Group, is a management consulting company that has been active for over 20 years and is able to support clients through the processes of change generated by Information & Communication Technology. HSPI uses an operating model capable of integrating distinctive management consulting skills and specialist ICT knowledge. In 2020, HSPI S.p.A became part of the TXT Group, a multinational IT Group, end-to-end provider of software solutions, consultancy and services to support the digital transformation of products and processes. With a portfolio of proprietary software and specialised vertical solutions, TXT operates in several markets, with a growing presence in the aerospace, defence, industrial, government and fintech sectors. TXT is headquartered in Milan and operates with subsidiaries in Italy, Germany, the UK, France, Switzerland and the US. The parent company TXT e-solutions S.p.A. has been listed on the Star Segment of the Italian Stock Exchange (TXT.MI) since July 2000.

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