



Press Release

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Prepaid card specialist EMerchants achieve PCI-DSS certification

EMerchants announced today that it has received certification of PCI-DSS – Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard – for its Card Management business from the PCI Security Standards Council. EMerchants is the nation’s leading independent provider of strategic, full-service prepaid solutions. The company is responsible for securing information for millions of card holders every year.

EMerchants is one of the first prepaid providers in Australia to achieve PCI Compliance Certification. The PCI DSS is a multifaceted security standard that includes requirements for security management, policies, procedures, network architecture, software design and other critical protective measures. This comprehensive standard is intended to help organizations proactively protect customer account data.

“Our clients trust us with their customers’ most precious data, their personal information,” said John Battley, Managing Director of EMerchants. “Keeping that data secure is the most important action we can take as the country’s leading independent prepaid provider. That’s why we’ve worked hard to achieve PCI Compliance, because without data security for our clients and their customers, nothing else matters.”