

Southwest Minnesota State University

Information Technology Services Internal Procedure

**Information Security Guidelines & Standards**

*II. PCI-DSS Standards and Guidelines*

II.1 Standard Pertaining to Transmitting PCI Data via Messaging Technologies

Pursuant to MnSCU System Guideline 5.23.1.10 (Payment Card Industry - Technical Requirements) <http://www.mnscu.edu/board/procedure/523p1g10.html>, all users of University network services shall refrain from sending PCI data (i.e., credit card primary account numbers) over end user messaging technologies. These technologies include, but are not limited to, e-mail, instant messaging, and chat tools.

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