Promotion of DNSSEC deployment for governmental organizations in Sweden

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National Post and Telecom Agency in brief

- Monitors the electronic communications
- Approximately 250 employees
- Turnover: € 67 million for 2006
- Financial model:
 - By direct charges, approximately € 25 million/y
 - Appropriations from the national budget for security measures + services for people with disability, approximately € 42 million/y











Objectives

PTS has four overall objectives:

- Consumer interests in focus
- Efficient competition
- Efficient utilisation of resources
- Secure communications











Secure communications

- Everyone shall have access to secure communications
- Privacy protection shall be high
- Sweden shall have a robust infrastructure for communications services and an attractive exchange of information in IT security issues











Threatening picture

Cable disruption by excavators

Electrical power supply

Physical attacks

Accidents/mistakes

Crime Terrorism Sabotage Logical attacks

Insider

New technology

Profit interest

Public economy











Assignment from the Government

- Strategy to improve Internet security in Sweden,
- Delivery July 30, 2006, approved by Government in Dec -06

The strategy in English may be downloaded from: http://www.pts.se/Archive/Documents/EN/Strategy_Internet_security_2006_12_July_2006.pdf

An action plan is included:
 One of the 23 actions in the plan is: DNSSEC promotion











DNS for organizations in the public sectorsome work to be done

Observations

Inaccuracy:

Too few nameservers	5
■No TCP	55
Wrong glue	2
cname as ns	1
incorrect delegation	19
Just one operator	120
•No EDNS	21
Recursion activated	84











Used software:

•NSD	4
TinyDNS	3
PowerDNS	2
MyDNS	5
ISC BIND 4	2
ISC BIND 8	16
ISC BIND 9	218 (out of which 50 with 9.2.2-P3)
Windows DNS NT	2
Windows DNS 2000	19
Windows DNS 2003	2











So – what have we done so far...

- •Test of deployment and use of DNSSEC during 2006 see documentation http://www.pts.se/Archive/Documents /SE/sakerhet_domannamnssystem_2006_36_okt.pdf
- Presentation of the tests at a local big Internet event in Stockholm Oct. -06
- Seminar together with the .se registry on DNSSEC for end-user deployment in Stockholm in Feb. -07
- •We have met all the major operators in Sweden to try to convince them to deploy DNSSEC in resolvers











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- Plan to do stocktaking of the DNS in public sector as a basis for DNSSEC deployment
- •To serve as a good example, PTS intends to be the first public organization in Sweden to sign its zone (pts.se)
- As a stimulating step PTS offer 100 h expert support to the first DNS-operator deploying DNSSEC in name servers (authoritative and/or resolvers)

Now, we are waiting for our nameserver operator to sign our zone – they are just working out how to do …











Thanks!









