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- A Romanian and a Dane were charged with using ATM skimmers and pinhole cameras to obtain the information of 6,000 customers and steal $3 million from ATMs in four States. – *Forbes* (See item **13**)

- A Chelsea man faces charges after he allegedly received a Valentine's Day teddy bear in the mail which was stuffed with $10,000 worth of crystal methamphetamine February 5. – *Associated Press* (See item **18**)

- The former owner of tomato processing company, SK Foods, was sentenced February 12 for his involvement in a price fixing ring which included $100,000 in bribes dispensed to manipulate the price and quality of tomatoes sold. – *Associated Press* (See item **19**)

- Researchers have discovered a new version of the Kelihos botnet with features such as fast-flux, resistance to sinkholing, measure to avoid detection. – *V3.co.uk* (See item **39**)

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Energy Sector

1. *February 12, Seattle Times* – (International) **Damaged Shell drilling rigs to be shipped to Asia – not Seattle – for repairs.** Shell Oil decided to send two Arctic drilling rigs that need extensive restoration to Asia instead of Seattle, leaving the decision on whether they will be able to start drilling the summer of 2013 off Alaska's North Slope undecided.
Source: http://seattletimes.com/html/localnews/2020338157_kullukasiaxml.html

2. *February 12, Fort Collins Coloradoan* – (Colorado) **Pressurized oil-water mix spewing from broken well east of Fort Collins.** February 12, an oil and gas well in Fort Collins continued to spew oil and water, following a mechanism failure. Authorities at the scene did not have an estimate for when the leak, which is contained by an earthen berm, would be plugged.
Source: http://www.coloradoan.com/article/20130212/NEWS01/302120015/Windsor-oil-well-still-leaking-large-amounts-fluid-after-24-hours

3. *February 11, Associated Press* – (National) **Drivers face tough commute in snowy northeast.** Close to 140,000 homes were still without power February 11 and schools remained closed in New England and New York after the northeast was hit with a blizzard that left nearly 3 feet of snow and claimed at least 15 lives in the U.S. and Canada.
Source: http://online.wsj.com/article/AP24ef89dfdcc34d42b5a78b9c55176fcc.html

4. *February 11, Associated Press* – (Texas) **U.S. company sued over oil discharge in Gulf.** ATP Oil & Gas Corp. is being sued by the U.S. Justice Department for allegedly violating the Clean Water Act by illegally discharging oil from a platform in the Gulf of Mexico in 2012.
Source: http://www.rdmag.com/news/2013/02/us-company-sued-over-oil-discharged-gulf

5. *February 11, Denver Business Journal* – (National) **2 Colorado men indicted in oil and gas fraud case.** Two men were indicated for running an allegedly fraudulent oil and gas business by soliciting investors nationwide to invest over $1 million in exploration and drilling of gas and oil wells.
Source: http://www.bizjournals.com/denver/news/2013/02/11/2-colorado-men-indicted-in-oil-and-gas.html?page=all

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Chemical Industry Sector

6. *February 11, Helena Independent Record* – (Montana) **Crash spills deicing chemical into Clarks Fork.** A driver lost control of his truck and crashed, causing two trailers of potassium chloride to spill into the Clarks Fork River near the Wyoming border. State officials have yet to determine the environmental impact.

Source: http://helenair.com/news/state-and-regional/crash-spills-deicing-chemical-into-clarks-fork/article_6373d7fe-79c9-50f3-b69a-d7580c6e72e7.html

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Nuclear Reactors, Materials, and Waste Sector

Nothing to report

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Critical Manufacturing Sector

7. *February 12, Carbondale Southern* – (Illinois) **Explosion sends Caterpillar plant worker to hospital.** One worker was injured and a building sustained more than $100,000 in damages after a fire and explosion at the Caterpillar plant in Carrier Mills. Source: http://thesouthern.com/news/local/communities/saline/carrier-mills/explosion-sends-caterpiller-plant-worker-to-hospital/article_a6c03cd2-74cc-11e2-a38c-0019bb2963f4.html

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Defense Industrial Base Sector

8. *February 11, ABC News* – (National) **DoD: Air Force wrong to blame F-22 pilot for**

Source: http://abcnews.go.com/Blotter/dod-air-force-wrong-blame-22-pilot-crash/story?id=18464578

9. *February 11, Virginian-Pilot* – (Virginia) **Construction worker hurt at Norfolk Naval Shipyard.** A construction worker was airlifted to a local hospital after being hit by a concrete bucket at the Norfolk Naval Shipyard. Investigators are blaming a crane failure for causing the accident. Source: http://hamptonroads.com/2013/02/construction-worker-hurt-norfolk-naval-shipyard

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Banking and Finance Sector

10. *February 12, Softpedia* – (International) **Hackers: Attacks on US banks will be resumed if all copies of film are not removed.** A hacktivist group that previously attacked U.S. banking Web sites threatened to resume attacks in a statement.

Source: http://news.softpedia.com/news/Hackers-Attacks-on-US-Banks-Will-Be-Resumed-If-All-Copies-of-Film-Are-Not-Removed-328769.shtml

11. *February 12, Softpedia* – (International) **Cybercriminals use ZeuS trojan against customers of Japanese bank.** Symantec discovered a ZeuS trojan variant being used to target customers of five major Japanese banks.
Source: http://news.softpedia.com/news/Cybercriminals-Use-ZeuS-Trojan-Against-Japanese-Bank-Customers-328731.shtml

12. *February 11, WBTV 3 Charlotte* – (National) **Hedge fund manager convicted of $40 million Ponzi scheme.** An Ohio man was convicted of running a Ponzi scheme through the Black Diamond hedge fund, defrauding investors of more than $40 million.
Source: http://www.wbtv.com/story/21114560/hedge-fund-manager-convicted-of-40-million-ponzi-scheme

13. *February 11, Forbes* – (International) **Crooks secretly filmed customers' ATM transactions to steal $3M from bank accounts: NY AG.** A Romanian and a Dane were charged with using ATM skimmers and pinhole cameras to obtain the information of 6,000 customers and steal $3 million from ATMs in four States.
Source: http://www.forbes.com/sites/halahtouryalai/2013/02/11/crooks-secretly-filmed-customers-atm-transactions-to-steal-3m-from-bank-accounts-ny-ag/

14. *February 11, Roseville Patch* – (California) **'Bad Hatter Bandit' robs another bank.** The suspect known as the "Bad Hatter Bandit" robbed a Chase Bank branch in Antelope February 7, his fourth suspected robbery.
Source: http://roseville-ca.patch.com/articles/bad-hatter-bandit-strikes-again

15. *February 11, Chicago Tribune* – (Illinois) **FBI: 'Bully Bandit' hits Chase branch in Berwyn.** The suspect dubbed the "Bully Bandit" robbed a Chase bank branch in Berwyn, his seventh suspected robbery.
Source: http://articles.chicagotribune.com/2013-02-11/news/chi-fbi-chase-bank-branch-robbed-in-berwyn-20130211_1_bank-robberies-berwyn-joan-hyde

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Transportation Sector

16. *February 11, Long Island Newsday* – (New York) **Wind, fog create airport delays.** Windy conditions and low clouds caused flight delays at LaGuardia and Kennedy airports, respectively, while delays and cancellations also affected MacArthur Airport.
Source: http://www.newsday.com/long-island/wind-fog-create-airport-delays-1.4620179

17. *February 11, WMBF32 Myrtle Beach* – (South Carolina) **School bus driver charged after two-vehicle accident in Florence.** Five people were injured after a school bus

was involved in an accident with two cars. The bus driver was charged with driving too fast during wet conditions.
Source: http://www.wmbfnews.com/story/21110508/school-bus-driver-charged-for-two-vehicle-accident-in-florence

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Postal and Shipping Sector

18. *February 12, Associated Press* – (Massachusetts) **$10K in crystal meth stuffed in teddy bear.** A Chelsea man faces charges after he allegedly received a Valentine's Day teddy bear in the mail which was stuffed with $10,000 worth of crystal methamphetamine February 5. The drugs were discovered through the use of a drug sniffing dog, and a postal inspector delivered the package to the home, along with a search warrant after he signed for the package.
Source: http://www.wwlp.com/dpp/news/massachusetts/10k-in-crystal-meth-stuffed-in-teddy-bear

Agriculture and Food Sector

19. *February 12, Associated Press* – (California) **Exec. to be sentenced in tomato price-fixing scam.** The former owner of tomato processing company, SK Foods, was sentenced February 12 for his involvement in a price fixing ring which included $100,000 in bribes dispensed to manipulate the price and quality of tomatoes sold. Ten former employees and customers have come forward and plead guilty in the scam.
Source: http://www.manufacturing.net/news/2013/02/exec-to-be-sentenced-in-tomato-price-fixing-scam

20. *February 11, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (New York) **DZH Import & Export Inc. issues an alert on undeclared sulfites in Mountains Dried Mushroom.** DZH Import & Export Inc. recalled their dried mushroom product because it contains undeclared sulfites, which could trigger an allergic reaction to those with sulfite sensitivity.
Source: http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm339341.htm

21. *February 8, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (National) **Nestle prepared foods company announces voluntary recall of Lean Cuisine Culinary Collection Mushroom Mezzaluna Ravioli.** Nestle Prepared Foods Company recalled two production codes of their "Lean Cuisine Culinary Collection Mushroom Mezzaluna Ravioli," with expiration dates of December 2013, due to the possibility of the products containing glass fragments.
Source: http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm339140.htm

Water Sector

22. *February 12, Augusta Chronicle* – (Georgia) **Heavy rains overwhelmed wastewater plant, caused spill.** Heavy rains led to spillage at Augusta's largest wastewater treatment plant as 3.3. million gallons of diluted sewage ran into Butler Creek. Flow rates in excess of 65 million gallons per day were seen at the height of the rainfall, more than double the normal flow rate.
     Source: http://chronicle.augusta.com/news/metro/2013-02-11/heavy-rains-overwhelmed-wastewater-plant-caused-spill?v=1360616571

23. *February 12, Fall River Herald News* – (Massachusetts) **After the blizzard, area beset by flooding.** A broken water main forced the closure of streets in Fall River, and crews also dealt with damage to an emergency services vehicle and building, damage to the roof of a school, and mounting costs for road clearing equipment use in the aftermath of a blizzard.
     Source: http://www.heraldnews.com/news/x1959340171/After-the-blizzard-area-beset-by-flooding?zc_p=0

24. *February 12, Carlisle Sentinel* – (Pennsylvania) **Municipal authority ask Boiling Springs residents to boil water after water main break.** Authorities were able to restore water to most, but not all, residents after a 10-inch water main broke and spilled millions of gallons of water in Boiling Springs, prompting a boil order.
     Source: http://cumberlink.com/news/local/municipal-authority-works-on-major-water-main-break-in-boiling/article_364cc166-7515-11e2-9ea9-001a4bcf887a.html

25. *February 11, Sampson Independent* – (North Carolina) **Stewart Avenue water line break called on of largest in city's history.** At least 300,000 gallons of water from a water main break led to a road closure in Clinton as crews worked for most of February 11 to remove the ankle-deep spill.
     Source: http://www.clintonnc.com/view/full_story/21685848/article-Stewart-Avenue-water-line-break-called-one-of-largest-in-city%E2%80%99s-history

26. *February 11, Oak Ridge Oak Ridger* – (Tennessee) **Crews respond to sulfur dioxide leak in Oliver Springs.** A sulfur dioxide leak at the Oliver Springs Waste Water Treatment Plant saw emergency management personnel from two counties spend about an hour to respond to an air-monitoring alarm. A line to a 150-pound cylinder was the source of the leak but posed no danger to nearby residents or the plant's staff.
     Source: http://www.oakridger.com/article/20130211/NEWS/130219968?refresh=true

27. *February 11, Associated Press* – (Tennessee) **Sullivan County residents have contaminated wells.** A recent report conducted by the city of Bristol found that five of seven wells in the community were contaminated with fecal coliform and E. Coli bacteria from failing septic systems and have led to a number of health problems for residents.
     Source: http://www.sfgate.com/news/science/article/Sullivan-County-residents-have-contaminated-wells-4268439.php

28. *February 11, San Francisco Chronicle* – (California) **San Mateo Creek: Water leak kills fish.** A break in a 60-inch diameter pipe led to 1,000 gallons of chlorinated drinking water per minute to leak into San Mateo Creek for 8 hours before being partially fixed; reducing the leak to 200 gallons a minute. The spill led to the death of an unknown number of fish due to chlorine poisoning.
Source: http://www.sfgate.com/science/article/San-Mateo-Creek-Water-leak-kills-fish-4270235.php

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Public Health and Healthcare Sector

29. *February 11, Associated Press*; *WWJ-TV 62 Detroit* – (Michigan) **Another Mich. meningitis death linked to tainted steroids.** A man in Michigan died from health complications related to a meningitis outbreak from tainted steroid injections. This brings the total number of deaths to 16 stemming from steroids that originated from a pharmaceutical company in Massachusetts.
Source: http://detroit.cbslocal.com/2013/02/11/another-michigan-meningitis-death-linked-to-tainted-steroids-from-mass-pharmaceutical/

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Government Facilities Sector

30. *February 12, Orangeburg Times and Democrat* – (South Carolina) **Bomb threat results in school evacuation: Police looking into leads.** Students and staff were evacuated and dismissed from Dover Elementary February 11 after the school received a hoax bomb threat.
Source: http://thetandd.com/news/local/crime-and-courts/bomb-threat-results-in-school-evacuation-police-looking-into-leads/article_9a688a5c-74a9-11e2-bb57-0019bb2963f4.html

31. *February 12, Associated Press* – (New York) **S. Glens Falls school evacuated, closed by gas leak.** Monreau Elementary School was evacuated and will remain closed February 12 after an underground pipe led to a gas leak.
Source: http://www.the-leader.com/newsnow/x711918948/S-Glens-Falls-school-evacuated-closed-by-gas-leak

32. *February 12, Niagara Gazette* – (New York) **Chlorine cloud forces evacuation of Gaskill.** Gaskill Preparatory School was evacuated February 11 after an accidental chemical reaction caused a cloud of chlorine gas to rise from the basement. Students were sent home for the day as a hazmat crew worked to ventilate the building.
Source: http://niagara-gazette.com/local/x730442482/Chlorine-cloud-forces-evacuation-of-Gaskill

33. *February 11, KCBS 2 Los Angeles* – (California) **Parishioners jittery after threats shut down Arcadia school.** The Holy Angels School in Arcadia cancelled classes through February 13 as a precaution after the church's pastor claimed a family member was named in the manifesto of an ex-Los Angeles Police Department officer that is on the run after he allegedly killed three individuals..
Source: http://losangeles.cbslocal.com/2013/02/11/parishioners-jittery-after-dorner-threats-shut-down-arcadia-school/

35. *February 11, KDKA 2 Pittsburgh* – (Pennsylvania) **Mars Area High School closed after bomb threat.** Students and staff were evacuated and sent home from Mars Area High School after receiving a bomb threat February 11. Officials did not find any devices and conducted another search before classes resumed February 12.
Source: http://pittsburgh.cbslocal.com/2013/02/11/mars-area-high-school-closed-after-bomb-threat/

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Emergency Services Sector

36. *February 11, Associated Press* – (Montana) **TV station's emergency alert system hacked; viewers warned zombies 'rising from their graves.'** Two stations in Montana, KRTV 3 Great Falls and Billings CW, had their emergency alert system hacked February 11 as hoax messages about a zombie apocalypse played for viewers.
Source: http://www.washingtonpost.com/business/tv-stations-emergency-alert-system-hacked-viewers-warned-zombies-rising-from-their-graves/2013/02/11/76af3dfc-74ab-11e2-9889-60bfcbb02149_story.html

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Information Technology Sector

37. *February 12, Softpedia* – (International) **Business Wire possibly hacked, company resets users passwords.** All customers of Business Wire received a notice from the company requiring them to reset their passwords as part of what the company said were ongoing security measures.
Source: http://news.softpedia.com/news/Business-Wire-Possibly-Hacked-Company-Resets-User-Passwords-328814.shtml

38. *February 12, Help Net Security* – (International) **Microsoft releases 12 bulletins that address 57 vulnerabilities.** Microsoft's February 12 Patch Tuesday updates include 12 bulletins, 5 rated critical, addressing 57 vulnerabilities in various Microsoft products.
Source: http://www.net-security.org/secworld.php?id=14402

39. *February 11, V3.co.uk* – (International) **Kelihos botnet returns from the dead stronger than ever, researchers warn.** Researchers have discovered a new version of the Kelihos botnet with features such as fast-flux, resistance to sinkholing, measure to avoid detection.
Source: http://www.v3.co.uk/v3-uk/news/2242995/kelihos-botnet-returns-from-the-dead-stronger-than-ever-researchers-warn

40. *February 11, Help Net Security* – (International) **Dorkbot worm lurks on Skype and MSN Messenger again.** Fortinet researchers found the Dorkbot/Rodpicom worm spreading malware linked to a botnet via the Skype and MSN Messenger services.
Source: http://www.net-security.org/malware_news.php?id=2408

Internet Alert Dashboard

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Communications Sector

41. *February 12, KOLO 8 Reno* – (Nevada) **AT&T representative: Most cell phone issues fixed.** A software related issue at a central AT&T office in Reno led to a massive cell phone, land-line, and internet outage February 11. The incident also affected 9-1-1 calls, businesses, and debit card transactions.
Source: http://www.kolotv.com/home/headlines/Reports-of-Cell-Phone-Issues-Through-Region-190784631.html

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Commercial Facilities Sector

42. *February 10, Middletown Press* – (Connecticut) **8 roof collapses reported so far in Connecticut.** The weight of snow from a snowstorm led to collapsed roofs for at least 8 different businesses throughout Connecticut.
Source: http://middletownpress.com/articles/2013/02/12/news/doc511932670e5a5351619645.txt

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