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- The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ agreed to a \$250 million settlement over charges that it processed \$100 billion in illicit transactions to countries under U.S. sanctions. – *Washington Post* (See item [4](#))
- The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention announced that confirmed cases in a Townsend Farms frozen berry Hepatitis A outbreak totaled 113 cases in 7 States. – *Food Safety News* (See item [15](#))
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Energy Sector

1. *June 20, U.S. Department of Labor* – (North Dakota) **Heller Casing in Williston, ND, cited after worker fatally crushed on oil rig; US Labor Department's OSHA finds 2 violations during investigation.** The U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration cited Heller Casing for two serious safety violations after a worker was killed while installing a casing pipe on an oil rig in McKenzie County.

Source:

http://www.osha.gov/pls/oshaweb/owadisp.show_document?p_table=NEWS_RELEASES&p_id=24237

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Chemical Industry Sector

2. *June 20, Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette* – (Illinois) **Chemical spill at Danville plant spurs evacuation.** A chemical spill at Chem-Cast Ltd. in Danville forced the evacuation and shutdown of the plant as well as the evacuation of a preschool at Second Church of Christ as a safety precaution as firefighters created a berm to contain the liquid that was leaking from a 300-gallon tank.

Source: <http://www.news-gazette.com/news/local/2013-06-20/chemical-spill-danville-plant-spurs-evacuation.html>

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Nuclear Reactors, Materials, and Waste Sector

3. *June 19, Chattanooga Times Free Press* – (Tennessee) **TVA faces \$70,000 fine for Watts Bar equipment violations.** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission announced a \$70,000 penalty against the operators of the Watts Bar Nuclear Plant near Spring City for not adequately verifying the quality of safety equipment.

Source: <http://www.timesfreepress.com/news/2013/jun/19/tva-faces-70000-fine-watts-bar-equipment-violation/>

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Critical Manufacturing Sector

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Defense Industrial Base Sector

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Financial Services Sector

4. *June 20, Washington Post* – (International) **Bank of Tokyo to pay \$250 million to N.Y. state in money-laundering case.** The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ agreed to a \$250 million settlement over charges filed by the State of New York that it processed \$100 billion in illicit transactions between 2002 and 2007 to countries under U.S. sanctions.
Source: http://www.washingtonpost.com/business/economy/bank-of-tokyo-to-pay-250m-to-ny-in-money-laundering-case/2013/06/20/9ef3d5b2-d9b3-11e2-9df4-895344c13c30_story.html
5. *June 20, U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission* – (International) **SEC charges China-based company and CEO in latest cross-border working group case.** The U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission charged China-based China MediaExpress and its CEO with allegedly misleading investors through fraudulent practices that netted the CEO at least \$6 million in shares.
Source: <https://www.sec.gov/news/press/2013/2013-115.htm>
6. *June 20, U.S. Attorney's Office, Southern District of New York* – (North Carolina; Florida) **Florida man arrested in connection with \$8 million investment fraud scheme.** A Florida man was arrested in North Carolina on charges of allegedly running an investment fraud scheme that defrauded an unnamed Midwestern university of more than \$8 million.
Source: <http://www.fbi.gov/newyork/press-releases/2013/florida-man-arrested-in-connection-with-8-million-investment-fraud-scheme>

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Transportation Systems Sector

7. *June 21, KWTX 10 Waco* – (Texas) **Officials now say I-35 crash was not a fatality.** Four people were transported to a hospital after an 18-wheeler crashed into a pickup truck June 21, prompting the closure of northbound lanes on Interstate 35 in Belton for several hours.
Source: <http://www.kwtx.com/home/headlines/Early-Friday-Traffic-Accident-Diverts-Traffic-On-Northbound-I-35-212456401.html>
8. *June 21, Wisconsin State Journal* – (Wisconsin) **Two killed in head-on crash in Green County.** A head-on collision, in which two people were killed, closed Highway 69 near Exeter Crossing Road in Green County for several hours June 20.
Source: http://host.madison.com/news/local/crime_and_courts/two-killed-in-head-on-crash-in-green-county/article_e0044427-caa3-5527-8697-fd4e2ed4e654.html
9. *June 21, Detroit Observer & Eccentric* – (Michigan) **Leak closes I-275 in Canton,**

Plymouth. Northbound lanes on Interstate 275 between Ford Road and Ann Arbor Road were closed for several hours after a traffic accident caused a commercial tanker to leak an unknown substance.

Source: <http://www.hometownlife.com/article/20130621/NEWS03/130621001/Leak-closes-275-Canton-Plymouth>

10. *June 20, New Orleans Times-Picayune* – (Louisiana) **Both lanes of U.S. 61 in St. Charles Parish reopen after chemical spill.** A truck carrying about 300 pounds of hydrochloric acid struck the back of an 18-wheeler causing a chemical spill and the closure of both lanes on U.S. Route 61 in St. Charles Parish for about 4 hours June 20.
Source: http://www.nola.com/traffic/index.ssf/2013/06/chemical_spill_in_st_charles_p.html
11. *June 20, Brevard Times* – (Florida) **I-95 northbound re-opened in Brevard County.** A vehicle accident in which a modular office fell off a semi-tractor trailer south of State Road 520 near Cocoa closed northbound lanes on Interstate 95 for nearly 8 hours.
Source: <http://news.brevardtimes.com/2013/06/i-95-nortbound-closed-in-brevard-county.html>
12. *June 20, WFAA 8 Dallas* – (Texas) **Dallas Fire-Rescue: Spilled chemical on I-45 not hazardous.** A convoy truck collided with a tractor-trailer and ruptured containers, spurring a hazardous chemical concern which closed a portion of Interstate 45 northbound in Rice for nearly 6 hours as crews worked to cleanup and decontaminate the area.
Source: <http://www.wfaa.com/news/local/Crash-spills-hazardous-chemicals-onto-roadway-I-45-closed-212359211.html>

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Food and Agriculture Sector

13. *June 20, Food Safety News* – (Colorado; California) **Potential hepatitis A exposure from smoothies at western U.S. restaurants.** Customers who visited two restaurants in Colorado and one in California may have been exposed to berries from Townsend Farms Organic Antioxidant Blend, the frozen berry mix at the center of a recall and hepatitis A outbreak that has sickened at least 118 people in eight western States.
Source: <http://www.foodsafetynews.com/2013/06/potential-hepatitis-a-exposure-at-2-colorado-restaurants/>
14. *June 20, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (Oklahoma) **Granna's LLC voluntarily recalls packages of #705 Tuna Mac with Italian blend vegetables and spiced apple rings due to undeclared eggs.** Frozen dinner packages of #705 Tuna Mac with Italian blend vegetables and spiced apple rings were recalled by Granna's LLC because the products may contain an undeclared egg allergen.
Source: <http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm358087.htm>
15. *June 20, Food Safety News* – (National) **CDC: Confirmed cases in Townsend hep A**

outbreak sit at 110. The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention announced it scaled back its case count of the Townsend Farms frozen berry Hepatitis A outbreak to only include medically confirmed illnesses as of June 20. The newly confirmed count sits at 113 cases in 7 States.

Source: <http://www.foodsafetynews.com/2013/06/cdc-confirmed-cases-in-townsend-hep-a-outbreak-sit-at-110/>

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Water and Wastewater Systems Sector

16. *June 20, KVTX 4 Salt Lake City*– (Utah) **Water crisis rocks Lehi.** The City of Lehi advised residents of a drinking water emergency and asked residents to avoid using culinary water to irrigate their lawns, avoid watering grass until evening periods, and to stick to odd or even watering days to reduce their water consumption during the city's drought.

Source: http://www.abc4.com/content/news/top_stories/story/Water-crisis-rocks-Lehi/Pvqr5_vLWU-Ef3yIXe23Qw.csp

17. *June 20, La Porte Herald Argus News* – (Indiana) **Contaminant did not affect drinking water.** The Michigan City Department of Water Works reported the June 17 discovery of a red-tinted slick containing metallic flakes in Lake Michigan, which was believed to have contaminants and caused a 48 hour beach closure, is actually nontoxic according to preliminary tests. The Indiana Department of Environmental Management will conduct due diligence to prove what the substance is as well as its source.

Source: <http://heraldargus.com/articles/2013/06/20/news/local/doc51c23fc642474224442618.txt>

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Healthcare and Public Health Sector

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Government Facilities Sector

18. *June 21, KMGH 7 Denver* – (Colorado) **Lime Gulch Fire: 600 acres burned in Jefferson County.** Crews reached 5 percent containment June 20 of the Lime Gulch Fire in Jefferson County that burned roughly 600 acres and prompted evacuations.

Source: <http://www.thedenverchannel.com/news/local-news/lime-creek-fire-100-evacuated-500-acres-burned-in-jefferson-county>

19. *June 21, CNN* – (Colorado) **Colorado's devastating Black Forest fire 100% contained.** Firefighters reached 100 percent containment June 20 of Colorado's Black

Forest Fire after it scorched 16,000 acres, destroyed over 500 structures, and prompted thousands of people to evacuate their homes.

Source: <http://www.cnn.com/2013/06/20/us/colorado-fires/index.html>

20. *June 21, KKTV 11 Colorado Springs* – (Colorado) **Bull Gulch fire in Fremont County grows overnight.** Firefighters reached 5 percent containment of the Bull Gulch Fire on the western edge of Fremont County, Colorado June 21. The fire scorched 150 acres as pre-evacuation orders were given.
Source: <http://www.kktv.com/news/headlines/Wildfire-Burning-In-Fremont-County-212242701.html>
21. *June 20, Fresno Bee* – (California) **Carstens Fire in Mariposa County 65% contained.** The Carstens Fire in Mariposa County was 65 percent contained June 20 after burning 1,660 acres and threatening 50 homes. Firefighters expect full containment by June 24.
Source: <http://www.modbee.com/2013/06/20/2771476/carstens-fire-in-mariposa-county.html>
22. *June 20, Associated Press* – (Alabama) **Man gets year in prison for tweeted U.S. President threat.** An Alabama man was sentenced June 20 after pleading guilty to posting a threat against the U.S. President on a social media site in September 2012.
Source: <http://news.msn.com/crime-justice/man-gets-year-in-prison-for-tweeted-obama-threat>

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Emergency Services Sector

23. *June 20, Associated Press* – (Pennsylvania) **Lawrence County Jail locked down over bomb threats.** Lawrence County Jail in New Castle has received 3 bomb threats since June 15, prompting the lock down of the facility. The jail has temporarily banned visitors or other members of the public from entering the building until their investigation is complete.
Source: <http://www.wfmj.com/story/22648556/w-pa-county-jail-locked-down-over-bomb-threats>
24. *June 20, Durham Herald-Sun* – (North Carolina) **Durham's 911 service restored after disruption.** Durham Emergency Communications Center at Durham police headquarters in North Carolina restored 9-1-1 service June 20 after suffering problems with the system for over 3 hours and not receiving several calls.
Source: <http://www.heraldsun.com/news/x265262784/Durham-s-911-service-restored-after-disruption>
25. *June 19, Oklahoma City Oklahoman* – (Oklahoma) **Audit of Oklahoma fire marshal's office reveals failure to inspect some correctional facilities.** A State audit revealed the Oklahoma fire marshal's office failed to inspect 57 facilities, including 27 correctional facilities, in 2011. Oklahoma is required to annually inspect 210

correctional facilities throughout the State and cannot account for several inventory items that were missing during the audit.

Source: <http://newsok.com/audit-of-oklahoma-fire-marshals-office-reveals-failure-to-inspect-some-correctional-facilities/article/3853976>

26. *June 18, Associated Press* – (Colorado) **Inmates return to prison evacuated by wildfire.** The Colorado Department of Corrections moved inmates back to the Colorado Territorial Facility June 18 after they were transferred to a nearby prison due to the Royal Gorge Fire.

Source: <http://www.9news.com/news/local/article/341225/346/Inmates-return-to-prison-evacuated-by-wildfire>

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Information Technology Sector

27. *June 21, Softpedia* – (International) **LinkedIn outage caused by DDOS attack on Network Solutions.** Cisco researchers found that cybercriminals indirectly caused a LinkedIn outage June 19 when they launched a distributed denial of service (DDoS) attack against Network Solutions.

Source: <http://news.softpedia.com/news/LinkedIn-Outage-Caused-by-DDOS-Attack-on-Network-Solutions-362473.shtml>

28. *June 21, Softpedia* – (International) **PoisonIvy variant abuses legitimate application as loader.** Researchers at Trend Micro detected a new variant of the PoisonIvy remote access trojan (RAT), identified as BKDR_POISON.BTA, utilizes the legitimate VMware Network Install Library executable to load.

Source: <http://news.softpedia.com/news/PoisonIvy-Variant-Abuses-Legitimate-Application-as-Loader-362696.shtml>

29. *June 20, SC Magazine* – (International) **iOS device default hotspot passwords easy to crack.** Researchers at a German university published a paper that found that the default passwords for mobile hotspots in Apple's iOS mobile operating system are limited and easy to crack.

Source: <http://www.scmagazine.com//ios-device-default-hotspot-passwords-easy-to-crack/article/299726/>

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Communications Sector

30. *June 20, Kalispell Daily Inter Lake* – (Montana) **Fire hits downtown radio station.** A June 19 fire at the KOFI broadcast studio in Kalispell caused three stations to go off the air and prompted electricians to work June 20 to get the station back on the air after firefighters extinguished the fire.
Source: http://www.dailyinterlake.com/news/local_montana/article_e1dd07c8-d9f8-11e2-b062-0019bb2963f4.html
31. *June 19, Lexington Herald-Leader* – (Kentucky) **NBA Finals interruption was by cable company, WTVQ officials says.** Lexington's WTVQ 36 was interrupted June 19 during its coverage of the NBA Finals by a 30 second test emergency message sent by Time Warner Cable.
Source: <http://www.kentucky.com/2013/06/19/2684973/nba-finals-interruption-was-by.html>

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Commercial Facilities Sector

32. *June 21, KXAS 5 Forth Worth* (Texas) **Dozens displaced by Dallas apartment fire.** A June 21 fire at the Spanish Garden Apartments in Dallas destroyed 8 units and displaced 29 people, including 10 children. Investigators are looking into whether the building's electrical program played a role in causing the blaze.
Source: <http://www.nbcdfw.com/news/local/Dozens-Displaced-by-Dallas-Apartment-Fire-212463691.html>
33. *June 20, WMC 4 Whitehaven* – (Tennessee) **Apartment fire displaces 18 families.** Firefighters are investigating the cause of a fire which burned through a Whitehaven apartment complex June 20 which displaced 18 families.
Source: <http://www.wmctv.com/story/22644424/apartment-fire-displaces-18-families>
34. *June 20, Murrieta Patch* – (Georgia) **Condos evacuated when resident spills ant killer.** Firefighter evacuated an eight-unit Montego Bay condominium for several hours after a resident spilled a quart-sized amount of a pesticide used to kill ants.
Source: <http://murrieta.patch.com/groups/breaking-news/p/authorities-respond-to-pesticide-spill-at-local-condo-complex>
35. *June 20, KSN 3 Wichita* – (Kansas) **Fire causes \$140K in damage to Wichita apartment complex.** A two-alarm fire at the Aspen Park Apartments in Wichita June 19 prompted an evacuation of all 16 units and caused \$140,000 in damages.
Source: <http://www.ksn.com/2013/06/19/residents-evacuated-in-apartment-fire-in-west-wichita>
36. *June 20, New York Times* – (National) **Ross Stores fined in sales of defective clothing.** Ross Stores agreed June 20 to pay a \$3.9 million fine for not reporting its sale of defective clothing within 24 hours to the Consumer Product Safety Commission. The

discount department store's fine is the second largest awarded by the commission and covers the period from January 2009 to February 2012, when Ross Stores sold and kept roughly 23,000 defective children's clothing items.

Source: http://www.nytimes.com/2013/06/21/business/ross-stores-fined-in-connection-with-defective-childrens-clothing.html?_r=1&

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