OIX-2 CERTIFICATION BENEFITS: DATA CENTERS

Open-IX OIX-2 Certification is a best-in-class and first-ever global certification for data centers desiring to serve as points of network interconnection. OIX-2 Certification sets a minimum level of service, service-level agreement (SLA), and engineering for data centers. OIX-2 was developed by the broad consensus of world-class data center managers, engineers, and their customers. It sets the standard for massive-scale interconnection supporting facility performance, resiliency, and reliability for all that need to be able to reliably interconnect networks.

Customer Benefits of Occupying an OIX-2 Certified Data Center

- Reduced networking and service costs
- Enhanced data privacy and protection
- Massive-scale interconnection readiness
- Customer-influenced governance of data center
- Increased redundancy and resiliency
- Access to data center engineering community for networking

Data Center Benefits of OIX-2 Certification

- Demonstrates effective facility management
- Creates constant improvement by adherence to standards
- Better product performance
- Wider market opportunities
- Listing in the Open-IX Certified Directory
- Use of the Open-IX OIX-2 service marks for marketing
- Private certified Data Center Support Forum
- Quarterly OIX Newsletter

OIX-2 Certification signifies full compliance by the data center with OIX-2 standard and necessary engineering and operations readiness to drive massive-scale interconnection, best-in-class performance, unparalleled resilience and unmatched data privacy.

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OIX Certification Directory

For a complete list of certified data centers and IXPs, visit the Open-IX Certification Directory at

www.open-ix.org/certification/directory

OIX-2 Certification Requirements for a Data Center

OIX-2 Certification is open to any data center operator who wants to facilitate massive-scale interconnection between networks while adhering to community-developed standards.

- Resilient electrical delivery
- Open and unfettered access for public networks
- Efficient cooling capabilities
- Hazards mitigation
- Documented operational capabilities
- Change management process

More information about the association can be found by visiting www.open-ix.org or contacting us directly at info@open-ix.org.

About Open-IX Association

The Open-IX Association (OIX) is a self-regulated Internet community effort to improve the landscape of Internet peering and interconnection globally. OIX encourages the development of neutral and distributed Internet exchanges by promoting uniform, cost-efficient standards of performance for interconnections backed by the Internet community.

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