

Request for Comments Instructions: RFC Draft - PCI P2PE v3.2 Standard

February 2025 to March 2025

Thank You in Advance!

First and foremost, the PCI Council would like to thank you for taking time to review this RFC draft of the P2PE v3.2 Standard - Minor Revision.

Your thorough review is welcome and is fundamental to our revision process. The following slides will guide your review.

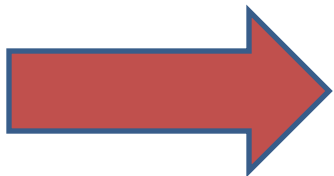
RFC Overview: Draft P2PE v3.2 Standard

PCI SSC is simultaneously working on two efforts for the Point-to-Point Encryption (P2PE) Standard:

- 1) A **potential** minor update (v3.2) to more expediently address the majority of stakeholder feedback from the previous v3.1 RFC conducted in 2023. If you provided feedback on P2PE v3.1 as part of that RFC, please check the “Summary of RFC1 Feedback” document to see how your input was addressed.
- 2) The major revision (v4.0) continues as planned. Most changes proposed for v3.2 will also be included in v4.0. Any feedback received that’s more suitable for a major revision will automatically be considered for v4.0 instead.

RFC Timeline:

- The RFC period will run from **06 February 2025** through **06 March 2025**.
- Be sure to submit **all** feedback to the Portal **on or before:** 8:00pm Eastern Time on **06 March 2025**.



Note: PCI SSC can only accept feedback that is received via the Portal during the RFC period. Late feedback and feedback submitted via any other channel **will not be accepted.**

RFC Feedback Guidelines

To help get the most out of your feedback, please be sure to:

- Identify the document, page, section/requirement, and sub-requirement (if applicable) that your feedback refers to. **Ensure the feedback item is obvious in what it refers to.**
- Use the '*Comment*' field to succinctly capture your feedback.
- Use the '*Suggested Solution*' field to recommend a solution based on the Comment. **Do NOT copy/paste the Comment into the Suggested Solution or otherwise duplicate the entries between the two fields.**
- When providing feedback that relates to more than one requirement, simply create one entry and denote the requirements your comment applies to. **Do NOT create multiple entries all with the same comments/suggested solutions.**
- **Ensure your feedback is constructive.**
- **Note there are options to select other P2PE related documents aside from the Standard – use those as applicable.**

RFC Summary of Draft Changes

A Summary of Draft Changes document is being provided as part of this RFC.

This document is designed to assist in navigating the significant changes to the RFC draft P2PE v3.2 Standard.

This document is a guide to assist in the RFC, however it is not a part of the RFC.

Important Items of Note

- Submit your feedback **via the portal**. Feedback that is not provided via the portal **will not be considered**.
- **Submit your feedback on or before the due date.**
- Agreement to a Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA) to download the document **is required**.
- **Your feedback, your organization's name, and how PCI SSC actioned your feedback comments will be made available for review by RFC participants in the PCI SSC portal.**
 - Review the PCI SSC [RFC Process Guide](#) for more information.
 - Please avoid including company sensitive information and remember to keep your comments professional and collaborative.
- Each company is asked to consolidate their feedback at a **maximum of 75 feedback entries**.

Who has access to the feedback?

- The primary contact(s) for your company can access the RFC documents via the Portal.
- The role of the primary contact is to coordinate your company's review of the RFC materials, collect and consolidate all comments and suggested solutions, and submit your company's feedback to PCI SSC via the Portal before the due date.
- If you are unsure who the primary contact is for your company, please contact participation@pcisecuritystandards.org for assistance.

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- Click on "*P2PE v3.2 RFC Draft Standard*"
- Accept the non-disclosure agreement (NDA).
- Click to download the document.
- To enter feedback, select the Document, Section/Requirement, Sub-Requirement (if applicable), and Page Number.
- Enter your Comments and Suggested Solution for each feedback item.
- Please remember to "Save draft comments" after each entry to ensure your work is saved.
- Once you have entered all your feedback, select "Submit feedback" at the bottom of the screen. You will be asked if you are sure. Once you select "Ok", you will not be able to add or edit your feedback. Upon submission of your feedback, a confirmation email will be sent.
- Alternatively, you can download the feedback spreadsheet, input your feedback, save, and then upload the file back to the Portal.