OPPORTUNITIES TO UPGRADE YOUR ACCESS CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

When is a good time to start a transition to new access control technology? There are many possible entry points from which to begin:

**01** Investment in new technology is often comparable to the cost of integrating two separate legacy systems.

**02** Standardizing and centralizing management of secure identity ensures consistency, higher security and a more efficient use of resources.

**03** Mass reissuance is much simpler to coordinate and manage on a single, centralized standard.

**04** Change of cards due to a new brand image or logo or as new employees join creates an opportunity for upgrade to newer technology.

**05** Upgrade to a contactless smart card that combines access control with other functions, enabling employees to carry a single card for many purposes.

**06** Insurance requirements or reducing liabilities of an outdated system to the current standard can dramatically improve security.

**07** New legislation, regulatory requirements, new clients or building tenants requiring an increase in security.

**08** Transitioning to PIV, PIV-I and CIV cards enables implementation of the highest levels of security including strong authentication at the door.

**09** Ideally, organizations should upgrade before there is a problem, especially when the current system uses legacy technology easily breached.

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