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Subject: SSL/TSL security

Posted by [InforMed Direct](#) on Thu, 08 Jul 2004 15:06:44 GMT

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Thanks, Rob.

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Subject: Re: SSL/TSL security

Posted by [support](#) on Mon, 12 Jul 2004 16:02:50 GMT

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They won't be able to negotiate TLS connections, unless you add this line to your nospamtoday.cf file:

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TLS=1
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Spamchecking will be disabled for TLS connections.

If I remember correctly the SSL/TLS key length is only 128bit, which is not much nowadays. Maybe other encryption methods are preferable.