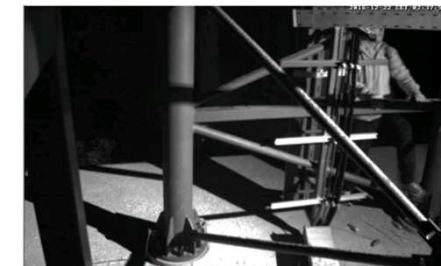


# Legislative Framework for CIP in Austria

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# Damage of 21 transmission masts



# Development in Europe and Austria

- EU, 2005: **EPCIP** (European Program for Critical Infrastructure Protection)
- Austria, 2005: **Resolution of the National Council** (CIP as part of the Enhanced Security Provision)
- Austria, 2008: **APCIP** (Austrian Program for Critical Infrastructure Protection)
  - APCIP Master Plan
- EU, 2008: **EU-Directive**
- Austria, 2014: **second release of APCIP**
- Austria, 2016: **Provincial Program** on Critical Infrastructure Protection

# Legislative framework of CIP in Europe

- EU Directive 2008/114/EC
  - On the identification and designation of European critical infrastructures and the assessment of the need to improve their protection
    - European Program on CIP
      - All-hazards approach, countering threats from terrorism as a priority
      - European procedure for the identification and designation of European critical infrastructures (ECIs)
      - Processes to deal with transboundary cross-sector effects resulting from interdependencies between interconnected infrastructures
      - Security Liaison Officers should be identified for all designated ECIs in order to facilitate cooperation and communication
      - Information sharing should take place in an environment of trust and security

# Legislative framework of CIP in Austria

- **Austrian Program on Critical Infrastructure Protection (APCIP)**

- **Definition**

*Asset, system or part thereof,*

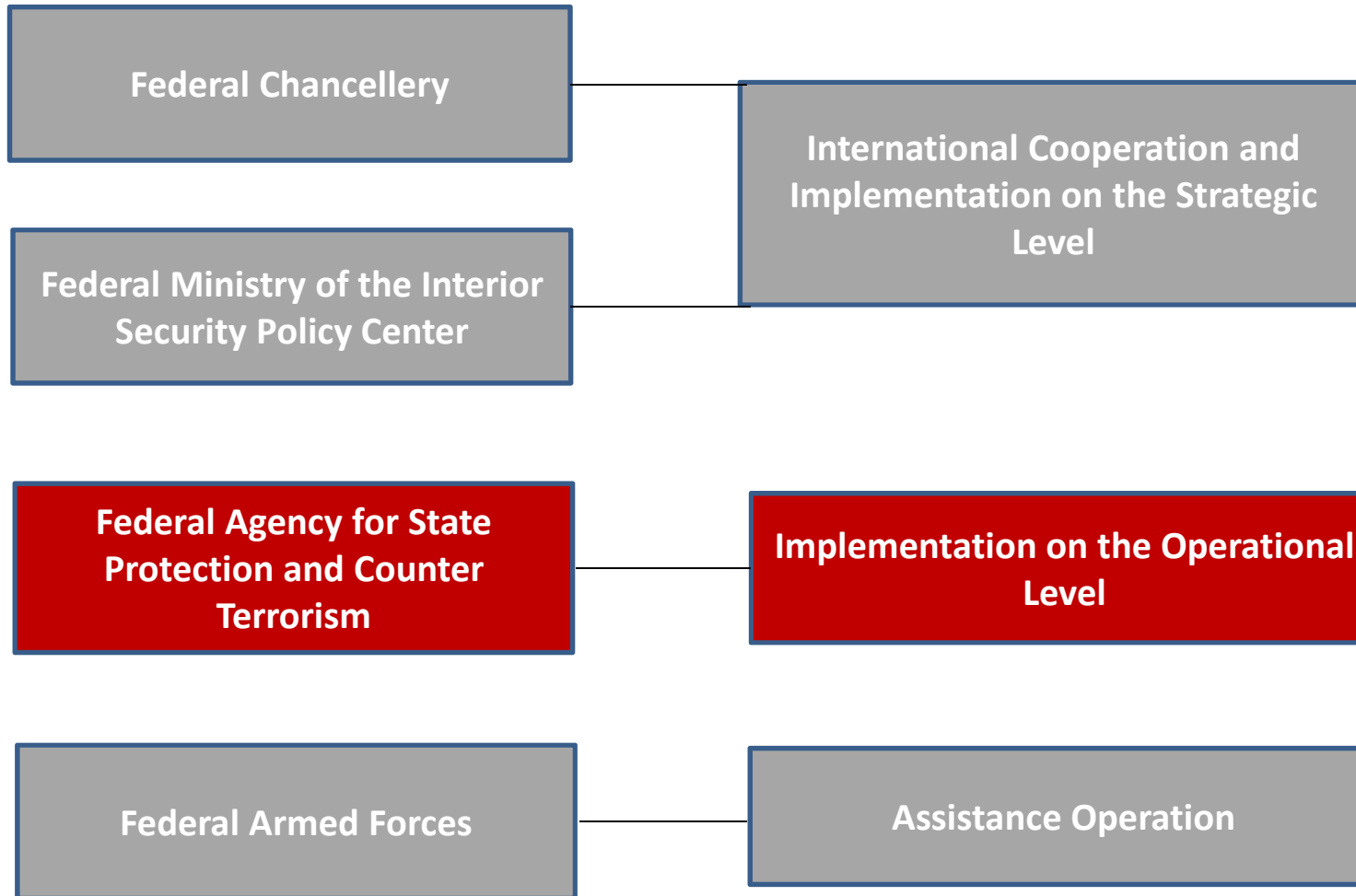
*which is **essential** for the **maintenance** of vital societal functions, health, safety, security, economic or social well-being of people,*

*and the disruption or destruction of which would have a **significant impact** as a result of the failure to maintain those functions;*

- **Main Principles**



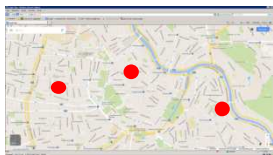
# Competences in Austria



# Security Police Act



- **Preventive Protection of Legal Interests**



Catalogue of critical services



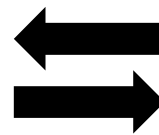
Single point of Contact



Early Warning System



Encrypted communication & secure information exchange



Interviews & Consultation



Risk Analysis

# Security Police Act



- Preventive Protection of Legal Interests
- **Security Check / Vetting**
  - **Possibility of screening the critical infrastructure personnel** with access to classified information, which can be used to harm the population
  - Addressing Insider Threat

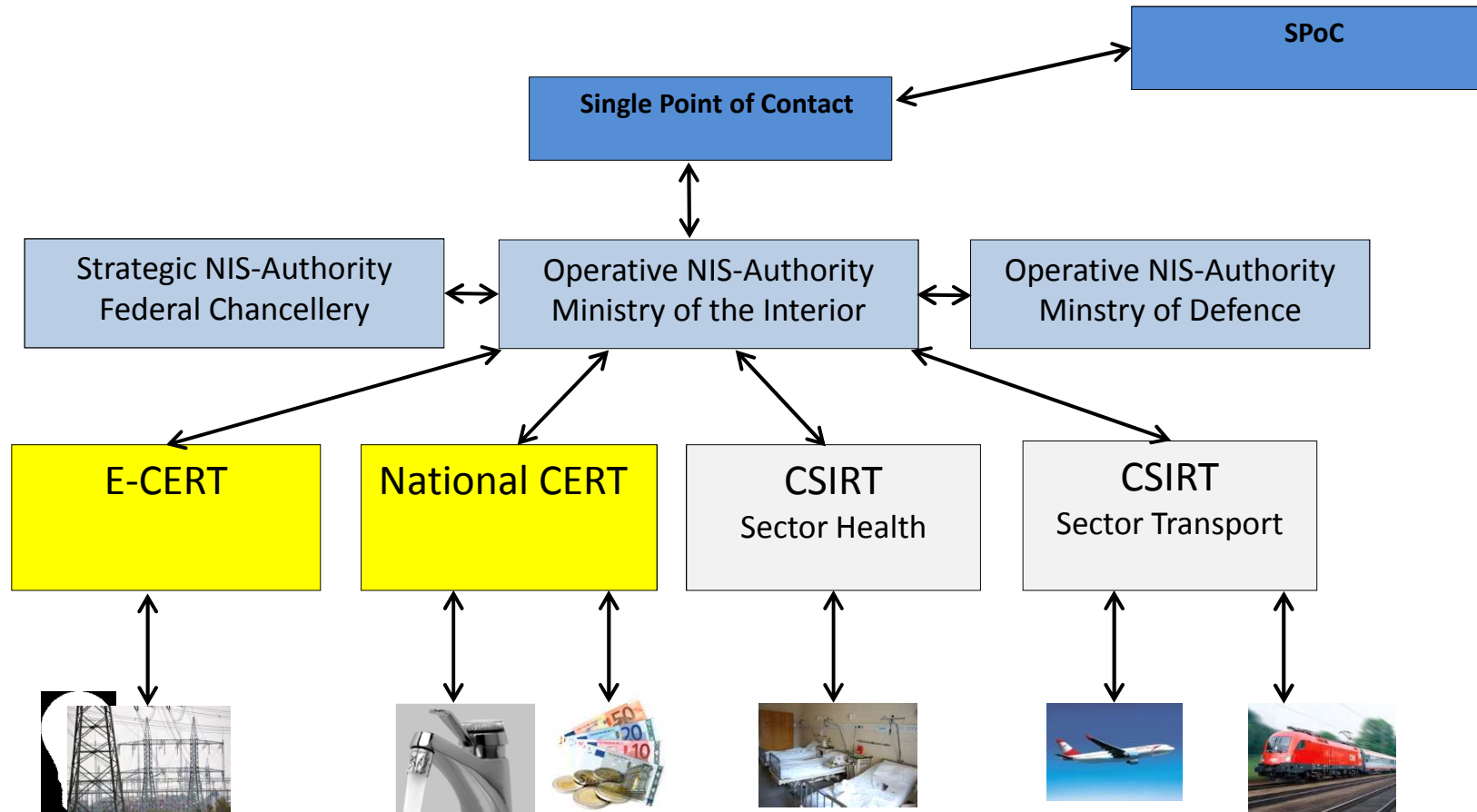


# Criminal Code



- **Definition** of Critical Infrastructure
- **Stricter sanctions** if CI affected
  - Theft
  - Damage/Destruction
  - Cyber-Attacks
  - ...

# Federal Law on Security of Network and Information Systems





# Questions?