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I've seen forensic accounting used to piece together seemingly unrelated documents that have established events in the absence of clear evidence trails, effectuating case outcomes. Recently, I used peripheral information to track an elusive debtor's bank account, which led to my client collecting full judgment due to the extensive funds hidden by the debtor.



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(NJ CCIC). It's available to any company at no cost, and participating businesses can be updated on the latest trends and threats to their computer systems.

The CCIC is housed at the ROIC and comprised of members of the NJSP, Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness, and the Office of Information and Technology. It's responsible for sharing cyber-threat information with federal, state and local entities, and private businesses. By participating, businesses will be better able to protect themselves against potential cyberattacks.

**Q.** How can New Jersey businesses help the New Jersey State Police's law enforcement efforts?

**A.** New Jersey businesses can help us by participating in the NJ CCIC. Real-time cyber-threat awareness is accomplished by information sharing. A robust partnership will help us bolster our ability to identify attacks and quickly disseminate that information. Businesses can also support citi-



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