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### *Galitt develops a TSM audit approach for Discover*

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Galitt today announced it has developed an audit approach for TSMs selected by Discover, a methodology that is already successfully implemented at a third party site and is flexible enough to support the various configurations resulting from the distribution of the services among partners, requirements of the wallet providers and issuing organizations.

Trusted Service Managers (TSM) are key components to support NFC payments and services on mobile devices. They provide a secure channel between the issuer of services and the mobile so-called "Secure Element" (SE). TSMs securely manage the lifecycle of enabled services on mobile devices, ensuring provisioning of applications, Over-The-Air (OTA) personalization and remote monitoring and management of the SE.

Gerard De Moura, Managing Director of Galitt and President of Galitt US, stated, "We are proud of our long-term relationship with Discover, which allows for joint innovation in emerging payments. We are fully committed to leveraging our expertise in mobile services in order to provide the solutions the industry needs to ensure the same level of quality and security, regardless of the form factor."

"As a global payments brand, enabling secure commerce is paramount," said Troy Bernard, Global Head of Chip Payment Technology at Discover. "Discover is pleased that it can offer a TSM qualification process that provides our Issuer, Merchant, and Acquirer partners with confidence that the platform powering their NFC-based products is highly secure."

TSM's audit offers a new step towards managing security and quality of OTA services. Further steps are still to come like TSM integration testing. Being actively involved in GlobalPlatform multiple compliance programs, Galitt also runs an internal Research & Development plan to develop a TSM's end-to-end capability.

**About Galitt ([www.galitt.com](http://www.galitt.com))** – For more than 20 years, Galitt has been offering consulting and services in payment systems and secure electronic transactions. Regarding consulting and assistance, Galitt is providing its customers with services from strategic choices to system implementation via system design and support: business consulting, EFT business analysis and expertise, audit and security, design, specification & project management, acceptance testing, technical assistance and development, training. Engineering and technology activities are covering bespoke development, software integration, turnkey solutions, hosted solutions and testing software. Galitt indeed offers petrol and loyalty card solutions (Catti™), simulators (KaNest®), personalization validation tools (VisuCard®) and added-value solutions (VisuBank®, private labels...).

Being the reference in payment systems and electronic transactions, Galitt is the leader in France in all its businesses, and a worldwide leader in providing test tools and expertise in payment innovation.

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