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FAQ

2024 KSICS radio feature requirements

Q: Will my old radio be shut off or deactivated after the deadline?

A: NC

Q: Does my old radio have to be upgraded to work?

A: NO

Q: Can I purchase a used radio after the deadline?

A: Yes, if the radio meets the requirement capabilities.

Q: Do I have to purchase the radio with phase 2, AES, multi key, and OTAR/OTAP options?

A: NO, But the radio MUST be capable of being upgraded

Q: What if my new radio comes with encryption but not AES

A: The radio must be capable of upgrading to AES.

*if the radio is purchased with homeland security funds it must have AES if any other form of encryption is already installed

Q: If one of my old radios becomes inoperable after the deadline will the replacement radio have to meet the requirements

A: Yes

- Q: I have other questions, who can I ask.
 - A: Please email us ksics encryption@ks.gov