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Dear Author (s),

First of all, thank you very much for submitting your valuable paper to FIAS'09, to be held in conjunction with the IEEE International Conference on Network & System Security (NSS'09) on October 19-21, 2009 at Gold Coast, Australia (<http://nss2007.cqu.edu.au>).

After collecting reviews, we are happy to inform you that your paper has been accepted for the oral presentation at FIAS'09 and will be published in the NSS'09 conference proceedings by IEEE Computer Society press.

Congratulation for your excellent work! We have got a large number of submissions and after the peer-review process, we decided to accept only high-quality papers for publication at NSS'09 Conference.

In order to achieve the highest quality proceedings, we urge you to carefully consider the reviewers' comments if any (attached at the end of this email) when preparing the final version of your contribution.

All detailed information on deadlines, author instructions and camera ready uploading, registrations, and hotel reservation can be found at:

<http://nss2007.cqu.edu.au/FCWViewer/view.do?page=9948>

<http://nss2007.cqu.edu.au/FCWViewer/view.do?page=9957>

Please be remembered that the Final Camera Ready paper submission deadline is 15, July, 2009. Please make sure to have a principle registration for each paper, otherwise your paper will be removed from the proceedings before going to the IEEE Computer Society press.

Please also note that authors of registered papers, or at least one of them, are requested to present their work at the conference, otherwise their paper will not be uploaded on the IEEEExplore library.

Thank you again for helping ensure the success of FIAS'09. We are looking forward to meeting you at the NSS'09 conference at beautiful Gold Coast, Australia.

Best regards,

FIAS'09 Organizing Chairs

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Paper: 28

Title: Exploit Kashida Adding to Arabic e-Text for High Capacity Steganography

----- review 1 -----

PAPER: 28

TITLE: Exploit Kashida Adding to Arabic e-Text for High Capacity Steganography

OVERALL RATING: 2 (accept)

----- REVIEW -----

The paper can be accepted by this conference. The authors proposed an improved approach to maximize the use of Kashida to hide more information. The proposed approach is effective, and the experimental results have verified this truth. However, I think that the security of the proposed approach would be worse as the capacity increases. Perhaps, you'd better also pay attention to this aspect. In addition, there are also some minor spelling errors. Please correct them.

----- review 2 -----

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OVERALL RATING: 2 (accept)

----- REVIEW -----

Comments:

- 1- A novel technique for Steganography
- 2- A good new dimension towards this field and needs to be researched more to promote Arabic
- 3- Diagrams are not clear and needs to be focused
- 4- Some grammatical and spelling mistakes in section 3.
- 5- Lack of examples to clarify the concept that how kashida will help to hide text?
- 6- Comparison is appreciable
- 7- References are weakly referred like Wikipedia . Avoid to refer Wikipedia because it is not that much authentic.
- 8- Authors are encouraged to perform detailed simulation results and compare their results with the recently published schemes.