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PROBLEM

Workplace harassment often goes unreported due to fear of retaliation, bias, and lack of confidentiality. Although organizations are required to form an Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) under the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace Act, many ICC processes remain manual, slow, and non-transparent. Victims hesitate to approach the ICC directly because their identity may be exposed. This highlights the need for a secure, anonymous, and POSH-compliant digital reporting system.

SOLUTION

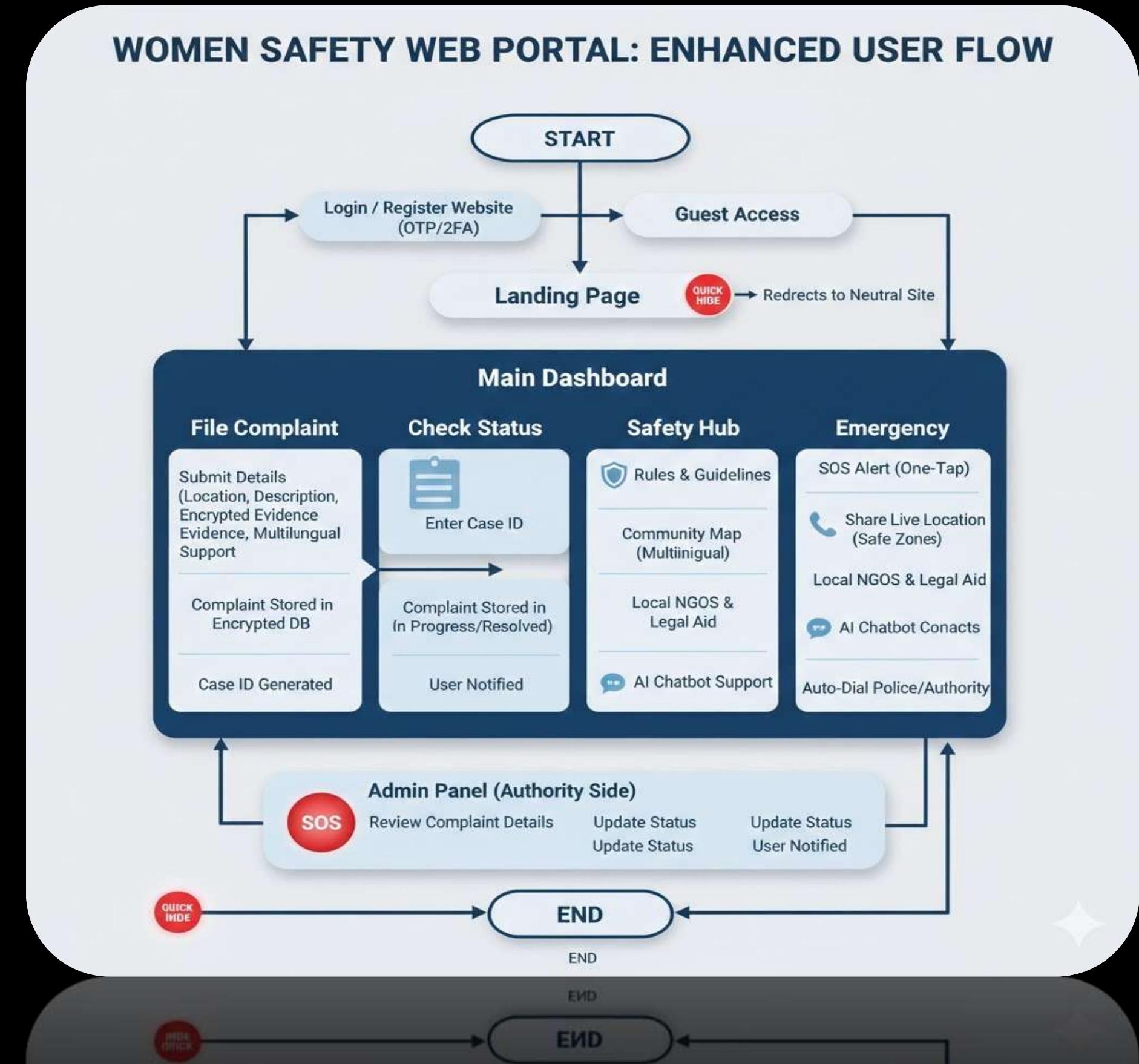
- ✓ SafeDesk provides a secure and fully anonymous digital platform for reporting workplace harassment.
- ✓ Employees can file complaints without revealing their identity.
- ✓ Supports structured case management for the Internal Complaints Committee (ICC).
- ✓ Ensures compliance with the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace Act.
- ✓ Allows encrypted evidence uploads for secure documentation.
- ✓ Enables two-way anonymous communication between complainant and ICC.
- ✓ Provides transparent case tracking with status updates.
- ✓ Makes the complaint process faster, safer, and more efficient.





FLOW OF SOLUTION

- User logs in/registers (OTP/2FA) or uses guest access.
- Accesses dashboard to file complaints with encrypted evidence.
- Receives a case ID to track complaint status.
- Can use Safety Hub (guidelines, NGOs, chatbot).
- Emergency features include SOS alert and live location sharing.
- Admin reviews complaint, updates status, and notifies user.
- Quick hide option available for immediate safety.



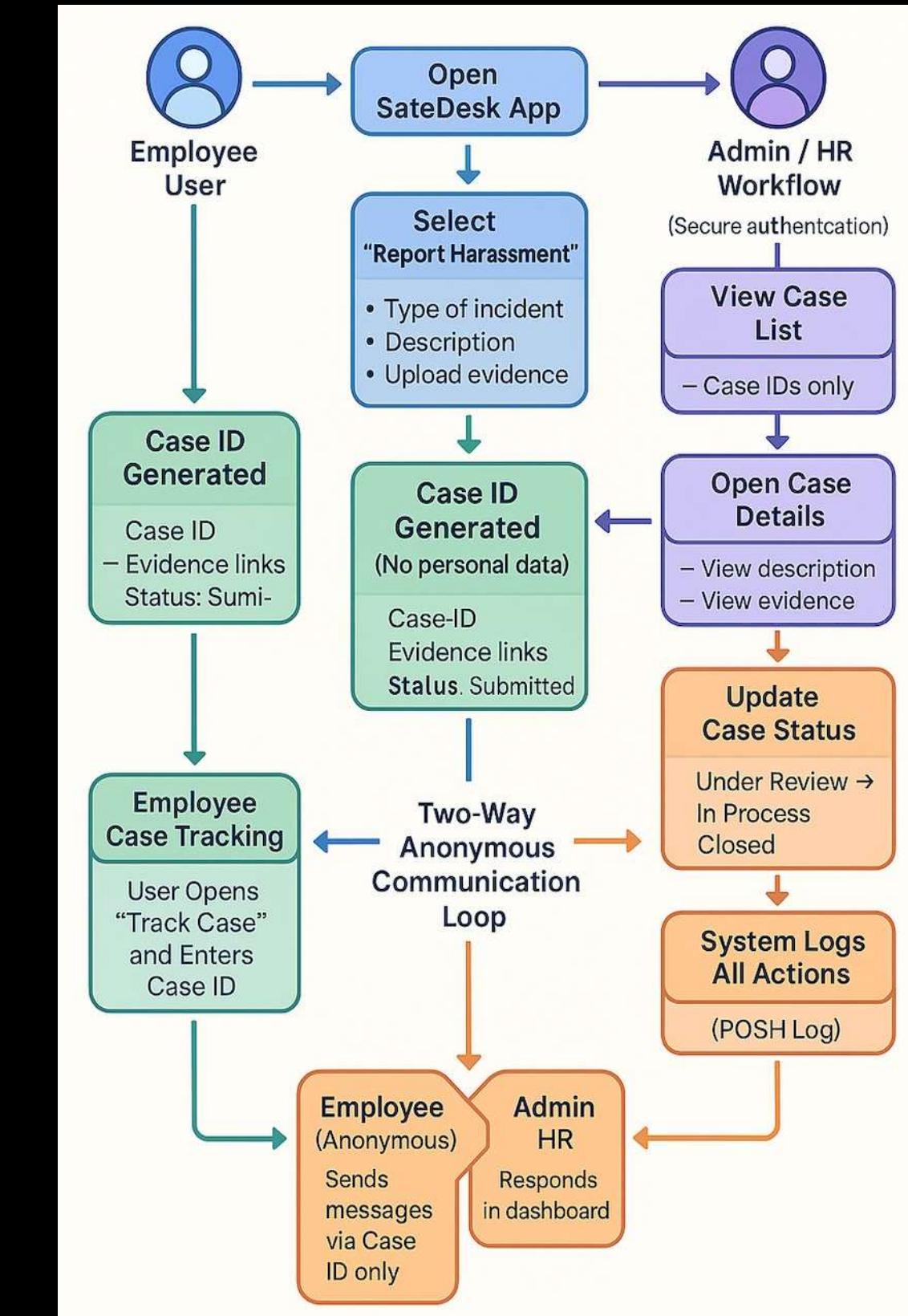


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TECH STACK & APPROACH

Technologies to be Used

- ❖ **Frontend:** React.js ,Tailwind
 - ❖ **Backend:** Node.js ,Express.js
 - ❖ **Database:** MongoDB, supabase
 - ❖ **Hosting:** Cloud Server (e.g., AWS)
 - ❖ **Authentication:** JWT / OAuth2,





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UNIQUENESS & INNOVATION



Innovation

- One-Tap SOS emergency alert system
- Real-time live location sharing (Safe Zones)
- AI chatbot for instant guidance and support
- Secure encrypted evidence upload system
- Real-time complaint status updates & notifications
- Integrated Safety Hub (rules, NGOs, legal aid in one platform)

Uniqueness

- ❖ Anonymous / Guest complaint filing option
- ❖ Encrypted database for secure data storage
- ❖ Auto-generated case ID for transparent tracking
- ❖ Dedicated Admin (Authority) review panel
- ❖ Multilingual accessibility
- ❖ Quick Hide safety feature





Feasibility

- ✓ **Cloud-based system allows easy deployment and scalability.**
- ✓ **Can be implemented as a SaaS model for colleges, companies, and public institutions.**
- ✓ **Uses existing technologies (React, Node.js, Firebase) for fast development.**
- ✓ **Encrypted storage ensures secure handling of complaints and evidence.**
- ✓ **Modular design makes it expandable with new features (AI, analytics, multilingual support).**



Challenges

- **Ensuring complete user anonymity while preventing misuse.**
- **Protecting sensitive data from cyber threats.**
- **Verifying false or fake complaints.**
- **Gaining trust from users and authorities.**
- **Maintaining compliance with legal frameworks like the POSH Act.**



Research

- ❖ Study of workplace harassment reporting gaps and underreporting statistics.
- ❖ Analysis of Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) functioning in organizations.
- ❖ Review of digital complaint management systems and secure reporting platforms.
- ❖ Research on data encryption and secure cloud storage practices.
- ❖ Study of emergency response systems (SOS and live location tracking).



References

- ❖ Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace Act (POSH Act, 2013)
- ❖ Ministry of Women & Child Development, Government of India
- ❖ POSH Compliance Guidelines & ICC Framework
- ❖ Workplace Safety and Harassment Survey Reports
- ❖ Cybersecurity and Data Protection Best Practices Documentation