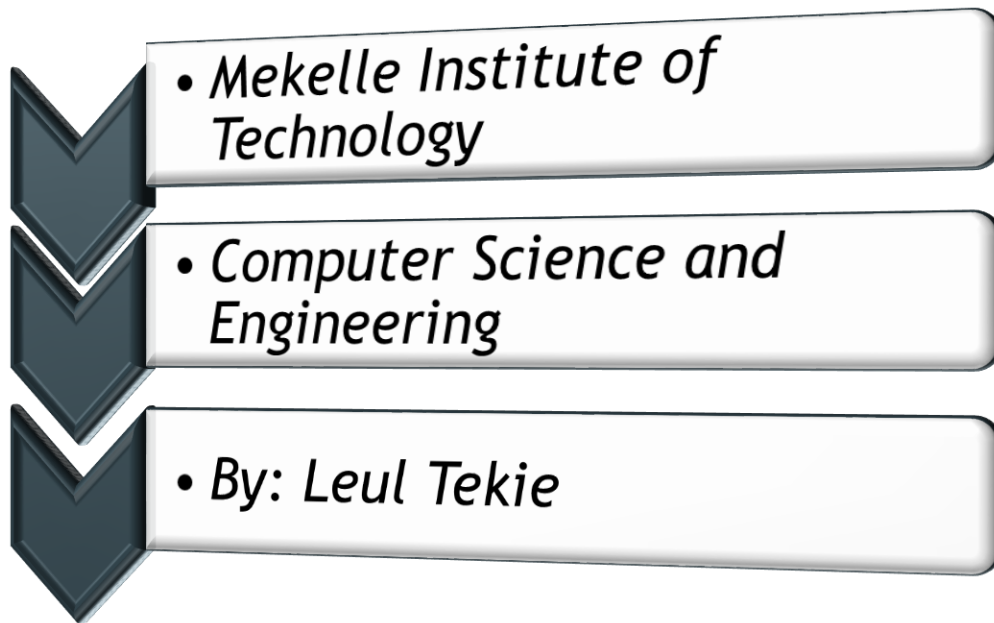


LITERATURE REVIEW ON INSTANT CRIME REPORTOR AND WANTED CRIMINAL FINDER



1.1, INTRODUCTION

Crime is the main concern the world need to tackle, and is true for Ethiopia. The occurrence of crime is rising high - properties are being robbed, tourists and passengers are hanged always, in addition pickpocketing, purse snatching are common. People needs to combat these crimes as fast as possible.so my objective is to create an opportunity for our people to instantly report crimes and help investigators find criminals in short time using the IT infrastructure we have today.

Number of smart phone users, computer users and telecommunication services are rising fast due to this information is distributed from every corner of the country. Hence, can we use the current Ethiopian IT infrastructure to achieve crime reporter and criminal finder?

1.2, *Role of Citizen in Combating Crime*

To encourage the public to help protect children and young people by reporting any concerns of abuse or neglect, the Department for Education has launched the “*Together, we can tackle child abuse* campaign” (1) In England. This ensures the trust of the government on the people to combat crime. The same is true in our country, the government believe that the people is the “owner and holder of peace” [2].

1.3, *Role of IT in Reporting and Finding Criminals/Related jobs*

In countries like England, an online crime reporting facility has been developed so that you can report hate crimes online, if you do not want to report directly to the police. The police take hate crime very seriously and will record and investigate this offence even if you do not want to give your details [1].

Most people don't report crime due to the overhead they may face, due to that crimes are rising high. The United Kingdom Police Administration provides “an anonymous way of reporting crime through online for those people who don't want to reveal themselves” [1].

But, the above mentioned institutions don't provide any mechanism to find wanted criminals other than reporting. That is their limitation.

1.4, *Conclusion*

Most crimes need urgent response by their nature, but the current Ethiopian criminal reporting mechanism cannot achieve that urgency. Therefore, due to delay lives of hundreds may be lost. This is a headache for the citizen. In addition, people are not able to report complains in an anonymous way. so our system is expected to solve these problems. Therefore, the main target of this project is to fill the gap seen in crime reporting and finding criminal in Ethiopia by coupling both crime reporting and criminal finding. That makes this project to be dual purpose than the others built before.

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