

## GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY LT. GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT

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According high importance to security measures, Hon'ble Lt. Governor today took a review meet in Raj Nivas to discuss the strengthening the core IT infrastructure available and its usage in Government. An appraisal of the existing security measures and augmenting requirements for the core infrastructure like Network, State Data Centre was made. Also the aspects of security for e-mail, websites, and social media usage were covered. The cyber security requirements for VVIP Officers, physical environmental security and Mobile devices were also discussed.

Hon'ble Lt. Governor directed that 1% of the Department budget be earmarked for I.T. projects. The Department of IT will take up the onus for augmentation / procurement of Gap Infrastructure of the cyber security measures. The Police Department shall set up separate cyber crime cell. This apart for effective monitoring and periodic review, a core Committee shall be constituted under the Chairmanship of Secretary (IT) with DIG of Police, NIC and other stakeholders as members.

The meeting was attended by Chief Secretary, Development Commissioner -cum- Secretary (IT), IG of Police and Secretary to Lt. Governor.

Presentation was also made by the Dean of Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Veterinary Education and Research (RIVER) on its functioning and proposed development initiatives.