

## CYBER CRIME

Meaning:- Cyber Crime is a generic term that refers to all criminal activities done using the medium of communication technology components, the internet, cyber space and the world wide web (www).

\* Cyber Crime is also known with Computer oriented crime.

### CRIME IN CONTEXT OF INTERNET

- ❖ Internet crime is any crime or illegal online activity committed on the internet, through internet or using internet.
- Internet Crime is a strong branch of cybercrime.
- e.g :- Identity theft, internet scams and cyber stalking

- 1) Individual
- 2) Government
- 3) Property

1) <u>Individual:-</u> This category of cyber crime involves individual distributing malicious or illegal information online.

e.g :- Cyber stalking, distributing pornography and trafficking.

2) **Government:** This is the least common cyber crime, but is the most serious offence. A crime against government is also known as cyber terrorism.

e.g :- Government website hacking, military website hacking.

3) **Property:** This is similar to a real – life instance of a criminal illegally possessing on individual's bank or credit card details

e.g :- Access confidential information, steal bank detail.

#### Section 425 :- Mischief

- ❖ Whoever with intention or knowingly cause
- Wrongful loss or damage to any person
- **A** Causes the destruction of any property
- Destroys or diminishes its value or utility
- ❖ damaging computer systems will fall within the aforesaid section 425 of IPC. The maximum punishment for mischief is imprisonment of up to 3 (three) months or a fine or both.

#### Section 379:- Theft

- ❖ Date of any company or any individual in any form is stolen by someone.
- \* Punishable up to three years imprisonment or fine or both.

#### **Section 419 & 420 :- Cheating**

- ❖ A password is stolen and used by someone else for fraudulent purpose.
- ❖ Punishable up to three years imprisonment or fine under section 419.
- ❖ Punishable up to seven years imprisonment or fine under section 420.

#### Section 292:- Sale, etc., of obscene book

- \* Capturing, publishing or transmitting the image of a private area without any person's consent or knowledge.
- ❖ In first conviction up to two years imprisonment and fine rupees 2000.
- ❖ In second conviction up to five years imprisonment or fine rupees 5000.

#### **Section 465:-** Punishment for forgery

- Making a false document
- \* Punishable up to two years of imprisonment or fine or both.

# Thank You

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