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Introduction

Cyber crime is an "unlawful acts in which the computer is either a tool or a target or both". Sections of the Information Technology Act which relate to cyber crime are:

Section	Title
43	Penalty and compensation for damage to computer, computer system, etc.
43A	Compensation for failure to protect data
44	Penalty for failure to furnish information, return, etc
45	Residuary penalty
46	Power to adjudicate
47	Factors to be taken into account by the adjudicating officer
65	Tampering with computer source documents
66	Computer related offences
66A	Punishment for sending offensive messages through communication service, etc
66B	Punishment for dishonestly receiving stolen computer resource or communication device
66C	Punishment for identity theft
66D	Punishment for cheating by personation by using computer resource

66E	Punishment for violation of privacy
66F	Punishment for cyber terrorism
67	Punishment for publishing or transmitting obscene material in electronic form
67A	Punishment for publishing or transmitting of material containing sexually explicit act, etc., in electronic form
67B	Punishment for publishing or transmitting of material depicting children in sexually explicit act, etc., in electronic form
67C	Preservation and retention of information by intermediaries
68	Power of the controller to give directions
69	Power to issue directions for interception or monitoring or decryption of any information through any computer resource
69A	Power to issue directions for blocking public access of any information through any computer resource
69B	Power to authorise to monitor and collect traffic data or information through any computer resource for cyber security
70	Protected system
70A	National nodal agency
70B	Indian computer emergency response team to serve as national agency for incident response
71	Penalty for misrepresentation
72	Penalty for breach of confidentiality and privacy
72A	Punishment for disclosure of information in breach of lawful contract
73	Penalty for publishing electronic signature certificate false in certain particulars
74	Publication for fraudulent purpose
75	Act to apply for offence or contravention committed outside India

76	Confiscation
77	Compensation, penalties or confiscation not to interfere with other punishment
77A	Compounding of offences
78	Power to investigate offence
79	Exemption from liability of intermediary in certain cases
80	Power of police officer and other officers to enter, search, etc
84B	Punishment for abetment of offences
84C	Punishment for attempt to commit offences
85	Offences by companies