GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1992

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CRISIS MANAGEMENT PLAN ON CYBER ATTACKS

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Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has been implementing a crisis management plan for tackling cyber attacks;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the nature of threats addressed within the plan;
- (c) the details about the different stakeholders engaged including Government and citizens under the plan;
- (d) whether the required physical and digital infrastructure is present for execution of the plan;
- (e) whether Government conducts trainings and workshops with various stakeholders under the plan; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof for the last three years?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

(a): Government has a Cyber Crisis Management Plan (CCMP) for countering cyber attacks and cyber terrorism for implementation by all Ministries/ Departments of Central Government, State Governments and their organizations and critical sectors. In addition, guideline templates have been circulated to assist development and implementation of state/sectoral Cyber Crisis Management Plans.

National Critical Information Infrastructure Protection Centre (NCIIPC) assists implementation of Cyber Crisis Management Plan (CCMP) in respect of Critical Information Infrastructure (CII) / Protected System (PS).

- (b): Cyber Crisis Management Plan (CCMP) has dedicated chapters on nature of cyber crisis and contingencies, cyber security threat landscape, cyber attacks ranging from web application attacks to advanced targeted attacks and response measures.
- (c): The stakeholders include all Ministries/ Departments of Central Government, State Governments and their organizations and critical sectors.
- (d): The required physical and digital infrastructure is present and necessary augmentation of the same is taken up as per the security requirements from time to time.

(e) and (f): Government is regularly conducting Cyber Crisis Management Plan (CCMP) workshops for Ministries, Departments, States & UTs and organizations to sensitise them about the cyber security threat landscape and enable them to prepare and implement the Cyber Crisis Management Plan (CCMP). Yearwise details of CCMP workshops conducted during last 3 years are given below:

	2018	2019	2020	Total in last 3 years	2021(Till July)
CCMP Workshops	7	11	12	30	22
