

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1205**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 29TH JULY, 2026/ SHRAVANA 7, 1948 (SAKA)

RISING INCIDENCE OF CYBER CRIMES AND FAILURE OF PREVENTIVE MEASURES

1205 DR. SYED NASEER HUSSAIN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government is aware of the growing and persistent rise in cyber-crime cases across the country over the last five years; and**
- (b) whether Government has taken note of reported instances of severe mental distress, including suicide attempts by victims of cyber crimes?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI BANDI SANJAY KUMAR)**

- (a) to (b) : The National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) compiles and publishes the statistical data on crimes in its publication “Crime in India”. The latest published report is for the year 2024. As per the data published by the NCRB, State/UT wise cases registered under cyber crimes (involving communication devices as medium/target) during the period from 2020 to 2024 is at Annexure**
- I. Data regarding instances of severe mental distress, including suicide attempts by victims of cyber crimes is not maintained by NCRB.**

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Annexure-I

State/UT-wise Cases Registered under Cyber Crimes (involving communication devices as medium/target) during the year 2020-2024

SL	State/UT	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
1	Andhra Pradesh	1899	1875	2341	2341	2528
2	Arunachal Pradesh	30	47	14	24	78
3	Assam	3530	4846	1733	909	408
4	Bihar	1512	1413	1621	4450	6380
5	Chhattisgarh	297	352	439	473	660
6	Goa	40	36	90	86	77
7	Gujarat	1283	1536	1417	1995	1592
8	Haryana	656	622	681	751	1815
9	Himachal Pradesh	98	70	77	127	148
10	Jharkhand	1204	953	967	1079	1423
11	Karnataka	10741	8136	12556	21889	21993
12	Kerala	426	626	773	3295	2962
13	Madhya Pradesh	699	589	826	685	1081
14	Maharashtra	5496	5562	8249	8103	9922
15	Manipur	79	67	18	3	5
16	Meghalaya	142	107	75	64	97
17	Mizoram	13	30	1	31	50
18	Nagaland	8	8	4	2	14
19	Odisha	1931	2037	1983	2348	2501
20	Punjab	378	551	697	511	888
21	Rajasthan	1354	1504	1833	2435	1527
22	Sikkim	0	0	26	12	15
23	Tamil Nadu	782	1076	2082	4121	5793
24	Telangana	5024	10303	15297	18236	27230
25	Tripura	34	24	30	36	33
26	Uttar Pradesh	11097	8829	10117	10794	11073
27	Uttarakhand	243	718	559	494	543
28	West Bengal	712	513	401	309	282
	TOTAL STATE(S)	49708	52430	64907	85603	101118
29	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	5	8	28	47	28
30	Chandigarh	17	15	27	23	116
31	Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	3	5	5	6	5
32	Delhi	168	356	685	407	404
33	Jammu & Kashmir	120	154	173	185	114
34	Ladakh	1	5	3	1	1
35	Lakshadweep	3	1	1	1	0
36	Puducherry	10	0	64	147	142
	TOTAL UT(S)	327	544	986	817	810
	TOTAL (ALL INDIA)	50035	52974	65893	86420	101928
