

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1533**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 12<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2023/ AGRAHAYANA 21, 1945  
(SAKA)**

**SPYING ATTACKS**

**1533.        SHRIMATI MALA ROY:**

**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

**(a) the steps that have been taken to ensure the privacy of apple phone users following the reports about spying by data sponsored attacks;**

**(b) whether the Government has identified these attackers and if not, the timeline for the same; and**

**(c) the action taken against the entities sponsoring them?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
(SHRI AJAY KUMAR MISHRA)**

**(a to c): The Indian Computer Emergency Response Team (CERT-In) under Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology issues vulnerability notes and advisories regarding latest cyber threats/vulnerabilities and countermeasures inter-alia including products of Apple to protect computers, networks and data on regular basis.**

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