GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION. NO. 3845 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 18.12.2024

CYBER SECURITY CRIMES

3845. SHRI VAMSI KRISHNA GADDAM:

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

(a) the number of cyber security crimes during the last three financial years in the country, State/UT-wise particularly in Telangana; and

(b) the total funds allocated and utilised for cyber security initiatives in Telangana during the last three years?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI JITIN PRASADA)

(a): 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 2022. As per the data published by the NCRB, cases registered under cyber crime head during the period from 2020 to 2022 are as under:

Total Cyber Crimes Cases registered	Year		
	2020	2021	2022
India	50,035	52,974	65,893
Telangana	5,024	10,303	15,297

The state/UT-wise (including Telangana) cases registered under Cyber Crimes during 2020-2022 are *available on:*

https://www.ncrb.gov.in/uploads/nationalcrimerecordsbureau/custom/1702030 581TABLE9A1.pdf

(b): Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) has taken various legal, technical, and administrative policy measures to strengthen cyber security posture of the country. The budget allocated and budget utilised for cyber security by MeitY during last three years are as follows:

Year	Budget Allocated (In INR Crores)	Revised Budget (In INR Crores)	Budget Utilised (In INR Crores)
2021-22	200	339	310.51
2022-23	300	100	30.11
2023-24	400	400	316.51

MeitY's Budget for Cyber Security is used for PAN India initiatives, that includes Telangana.

As per Information Technology, Electronics & Communications (ITE&C) Department, Government of Telangana, the two major initiatives for cyber security are Cyber security Centre of Excellence and Telangana Security Operations Centre (TG-SOC). As per ITE&C Department, funds allocated for these two initiatives for the last three years are as follows:

i. Cyber Security Center of Excellence:

Total funds allocated: Rs. 75,00,000/-Funds released and utilized as on date: Rs. 50,00,000/-Funds yet to be released: Rs. 25,00,000/-

ii. State Initiative - TG-SOC

Next Generation SOC – Upgradation, Operations and Maintenance: Rs. 13,95,85,997/-
