

Government of West Bengal
Department of Information Technology & Electronics
Moni Bhandar (5th & 6th Floor), Webel Bhaban Complex,
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Kolkata-700091

No- 835(54)-ITE-18011/4/2020

Date:- 11/07/2023

From: Deputy Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal.

To:- Additional Chief Secretary/ Principal Secretary/ Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal _____ Department.

**Sub: Regular Security Assessment/ Audit of IT infrastructure, Application and Websites/ Portals of various
State Government Departments/ Directorates/ Organizations etc.- regarding.**

Madam/ Sir,

Apropos above, I am directed to advise you to conduct, on your own, regular/ need-based security assessment/ audit of your applications including that of their subordinate organizations, hosted in the National Data Centre or State Data Centre or in any privately-held hosting infrastructure through M/s Webel. Furthermore, M/s Webel has recently qualified as an CERT-In empanelled auditor and the Department of IT&E had already notified vide order No. 460-Estt/IT/P/88/2003(Vol-III) Pt-I dated 05.07.2022 (copy enclosed for reference) enabling M/s Webel to undertake audit for all Government websites either hosted in the SDC or outside, following due-diligence.

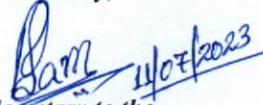
In this regard, I am further directed to inform you that Shri Kausik Halder, Manager, Webel will act as the Single Point of Contact (SPOC) from M/s Webel's side, keeping liaison with all the Departments for undertaking audit related requirements. The contact details of Shri Halder are as follows:

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Thanking you.

Encl: As stated.

Yours faithfully,

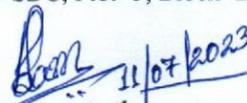

**Deputy Secretary to the
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No.835 (54)/1(7)-ITE-18011/4/2020

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- 1) Principal Secretary, DoIT&E, Government of West Bengal, Monibhandar, 6th Floor, Webel Bhavan Complex, EP&GP Block, Sector-V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091.
- 2) Joint Secretary, DoIT&E, Government of West Bengal, Monibhandar, 6th Floor, Webel Bhavan Complex, EP&GP Block, Sector-V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091.
- 3) CEO, WTL, Plot- 5, Block- BP, Sector-V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091.
- 4) Managing Director, WBEIDC Ltd, Webel Bhavan, EP&GP Block, Sector-V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091.
- 5) Member Secretary, CsCOE, Ground Floor, Webel Bhavan, EP&GP Block, Sector-V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091.
- 6) Shri Kausik Halder, Manager, WBEIDC Ltd, Webel Bhavan, EP&GP Block, Sector-V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091.
- 7) Shri Debasis Majumder, Assistant Manager, WTL & Project Manager, WB-SDC, Plot- 5, Block- BP, Sector-V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091.


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No. 460-Estt /IT/P/88/2003(Vol-III) Pt-I

Dated: 5.7.2022.

Order

Sub: Regular Security Assessment / Audit of IT infrastructure, Applications and Websites / Portals of various State Govt. Departments / Directorates / Organisations etc. – regarding.

In pursuance of the letter vide D.O. No AA-14/28/2021-CSD dated 5.1.2022 issued by the Additional Secretary, Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology, Government of India made the State Government aware of the prospective cyber threats emanating from various vulnerabilities that exist in public web portals / web sites, applications alongside public ICT infrastructure managed by different State Govt. organisations. It was imperative that periodic and need-based assessment / audit of the same is required to be undertaken to prevent as well as thwart cyber intrusions.

After due consideration, the Governor has been pleased to decide that the State Government in the Department of IT&E shall conduct periodic as well as regular need-based security assessment / audit of all applications comprising web-applications / web-portals hosted in the State Data Centre *suo motu* with an intimation to the concerned owner through the CS-CoE and / or WB-CSIRT as the case may be.

In this respect, a yearly plan will be chalked out by the CS-CoE in consultation with the WB-CSIRT (a.k.a. State CERT).

M/s WBEIDC Ltd (a.k.a. Webel) being the SIA and SLNA of the CS-CoE shall execute the said plan under the *Cyber Assurance Programme* of the CS-CoE by engaging CERT-In empanelled agency following due-diligence.

The expenditure will be borne out of the yearly budgetary allocation of the CS-CoE and Webel shall claim for reimbursement from this Department in due course.

The CS-CoE and/or the WB-CSIRT will intimate the owner of the application hosted in the State Data Centre (WB-SDC) before undertaking each of either regular or need-based assessment / audit from time to time.

The West Bengal State Data Centre (WB-SDC) will extend support to the CS-CoE, WB-CSIRT and Webel for undertaking this exercise on priority. The internal security auditor(s) already engaged by the State Data Centre (at present from M/s KPMG) for undertaking various of their compliances, shall suitably be advised to assist, support and supervise the auditor(s) engaged by Webel during the conduct of this audit / assessment exercise besides advising the CS-CoE and WB-CSIRT on the same.



In continuation, the Governor has further been pleased to advise all Departments to conduct, *on their own*, regular / need-based security assessment / audit of their applications including that of their subordinate organisations, hosted in the National Data Centre or in any privately-held hosting infrastructure through CERT-In empanelled agency.

By the order of the Governor

Sd/-
Principal Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal

No. 460/1(88)–Estt/IT/P/88/2003 (Vol-III)Pt-I

Dated: 5.7.2022.

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to :-

- The Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology, 6, CGO Complex, New Delhi-110003.
- The Additional Chief Secretary / Pr. Secy. / Secretary, _____ Department (all).
- Shri H Kusumakar, IPS, Secretary, Home (Coordination)Department, Govt. of West Bengal & Chief Information Security Officer, West Bengal, Nabanna, Howrah-with a request to kindly inform all West Bengal Police, Police Commissionerates, SPs, Kolkata Police accordingly.
- The Managing Director, WBEIDC Ltd, Block – EP & GP, Sector-V, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091.
- The Member Secretary, CSCoE, Webel Bhawan Ground Floor, EP & GP Block, Sector V, Salt Lake, Kolkata 700091.
- The Director, WB-CSIRT, Webel Bhawan Ground Floor, EP & GP Block, Sector V, Salt Lake, Kolkata 700091.
- The Administrator, SNLTR, Moni Bhandar, 6th Floor, EP & GP Block, Sector V, Salt Lake, Kolkata 700091.
- The OSD to the Chief Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal.
- The District Magistrate, _____ District(all), West Bengal.
- The Additional Director(EZ), NCIIPC, 7th Floor, CGO Complex. 1st MSO Building. Nizam Palace. 234, A. J. C Bose Road. Kolkata. West Bengal - 700020.
- The Chief Executive Officer, Webel Technology Limited, BP-5, Sector-V, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091.
- The PS to the Hon'ble MIC, IT&E Department, GoWB.
- The Sr. PS to the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal, IT&E Department.
- The Sr. PS to the Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal, IT&E Department.


Joint Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal