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D. O. No.14-7/2009(CPP-II)

16th January, 2013

Dear Madam/Sir,

Subject: Introduction of Cyber Security/Information Security as a subject.

This is with reference to the recommendation of the Task Force on National Security System constituted on the direction of the Cabinet Committee on Security. The Task Force has made the following recommendation:-

UGC and AICTE would ensure that Cyber Security/Information Security is introduced as a subject in the universities/technical institutions at the under-graduate and post-graduate levels.

Therefore, I am directed to request you to take appropriate action on the above recommendation. This may also be brought to notice of the colleges, if any, affiliated to your university.

Yours faithfully,

(R. Manoj Kumar)
Education Officer

To
All Vice-Chancellor



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25th November, 2020

Subject: Regarding Implementation of the Cyber Security Awareness

Respected Sir/Madam,

Cyberspace is a complex environment consisting of interactions between people, software and services, supported by Information and Communication Technology (ICT) devices and networks. It is vulnerable to a wide variety of incidents, whether intentional or accidental, manmade or natural. Therefore, Cyber security awareness has become a prime concern in today's networked world.

Government of India is in the process of formulating National Cyber Security Strategy document. In the meantime, it has been decided that Cyber security awareness should start at school level where syllabus can start with cyber safety measures and progressively include offensive and defensive aspects at IIT/Higher Education level.

In view of the above, all the Higher Educational Institutions are requested to take appropriate action on the implementation of the cyber security awareness. HEIs may further encourage, promote and facilitate the academic fraternity to work on cyber-security start-ups and conduct of hackathons. This may also be brought to the notice of colleges affiliated to your university.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Rajnish Jain)

To the Vice Chancellors of all Universities

Copy to:

1. The Director (ICT), TEL Division, Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi- 110002(with reference to letter F.No. 8-3/2017-TEL dated 06/10/2020 for information).
2. The Deputy Secretary, Website Division, UGC, New Delhi.

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17th October, 2022

Subject: Regarding the implementation of Syllabus of Cyber Security Course at Undergraduate and Post Graduate level.

Respected Madam/Sir,

On the occasion of Cyber Jaagrookta Diwas, 06th October, 2022, the University Grants Commission (UGC) launched the Syllabus of Cyber Security Course at Undergraduate and Post Graduate levels (https://www.ugc.ac.in/e-book/Cyber_Security/mobile/index.html).

The syllabus aims to create more aware, responsive and responsible digital citizens, thereby contributing effectively to an overall healthy cyber security posture and ecosystem.

In view of the importance of cyber security and for propagating cyber hygiene amongst HEIs, you are requested to take necessary steps for implementation of the Syllabus of Cyber Security Course at Undergraduate and Post Graduate level in all the streams of your esteemed University and also in the affiliated/constituent Colleges.

With kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

(Rajnish Jain)

To

- **The Vice-Chancellors of all Universities**
- **The Principals of all Colleges**