

Circular No.: NSDL/POLICY/2024/0016

February 01, 2024

Subject: Cyber Security Alert – Events of National Importance.

Attention of Participants is invited to the following advisory received from **SEBI**.

In view of forthcoming events of National importance, there is likelihood that Cyber Threat actors may target Critical Information Infrastructure of the Nation, with a view to impact the smooth conduct of such events targeting the image of the Nation in International arena.

The Depository Participants are sensitized to be aware of the health of their digital assets like websites, public serving applications, databases, etc. Entities are requested to keep in place immediate measures to be taken if a Cyber Incident occurs in their respective area.

In light of the above, it is recommended to maintain a heightened cyber security alertness and a robust cyber security posture.

It is also recommended that physical security aspects including access control mechanisms in respect of vital installations / Institutions be strengthened to ensure safeguarding of Cyber assets.

Participants are requested to take note of the above and ensure compliance.

**For and on behalf of
National Securities Depository Limited**

**Arockiaraj
Manager**

FORTHCOMING COMPLIANCE			
Particulars	Deadline	Manner of sending	Reference
Investor Grievance Report (Monthly)	By 10 th of the following month	Through e-PASS	1. Para 20 of NSDL Master Circular for Participants on 'Grievance Redressal' chapter. 2. Circular No.: NSDL/POLICY/2023/0161 dated November 13, 2023

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