

Republic of the Union of Myanmar  
State Administration Council  
Cybersecurity Law

**(State Administration Council Law No 1/2025)**

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THE State Administration Council hereby enacts this law under Section 419 of the Constitution of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar.

**Chapter I**

**Name, enforcement and judiciary**

1. This law shall be called the Cybersecurity Law.
2. This law shall come into force on the date prescribed, by notification, by the President.
3. (a) Every person who commits any offence under the law shall be liable to punishment: -
  - (1) Offences committed in the country or vehicles and aircraft registered in accord with any existing law of the country
  - (2) Offences committed within the national cyberspace, or other cyberspaces connecting with national cyberspace(b) Myanmar citizens residing in foreign countries shall be liable to punishment under this law if they commit any offence under the law.

**Chapter II**  
**Definition**

4. The following expressions in this Law shall have the meanings given hereunder:
  - (a) State means the Republic of the Union of Myanmar.
  - (b) Central Committee means Central Committee on Cybersecurity formed by the Union Government.

- (c) Steering Committee means Steering Committee on Cybersecurity formed by the Central Committee.
- (d) Ministry means a ministry that implements the provisions of this law.
- (e) Relevant ministries and organizations refer to Union ministries or Union-level organizations deemed by the Union Government to be related to cybersecurity issues, including the Ministry of Defence, Ministry of Home Affairs, and Central Bank of Myanmar.
- (f) Department means a department assigned duties by a ministry that implements the provisions of this law.
- (g) Investigation Unit refers to a task force established by the Steering Committee with the approval of the Central Committee to conduct investigations.
- (h) Cybersecurity refers to the prevention of actions such as destroying, disclosing, accessing, sending, distributing, using, disturbing, transforming, and impeding information, cyber resources, or electronic information without approval. It also includes preventing unauthorized use, disturbance, transformation, and impediment to critical information infrastructures, as well as attempts to do so.
- (i) Cybersecurity service means an industry that offers cybersecurity services using cyber resources or similar technology and equipment. The word contains the services recognized by the ministry.
- (j) Cybersecurity provider refers to any individual or organization authorized to provide cybersecurity services in the country.
- (k) Digital Platform Service is a service that can allow users to express, send, distribute or use data information by using cyber resources and similar systems or equipment.
- (l) Digital Platform Service Provider means any individual or any entity providing digital platform services in the country.
- (m) Information means data, database, voice, text, image, appearance, code, sign, signal, video, software or application.
- (n) Electronic information means information created, sent, received or stored by electronic technology, electromagnetic wave technology or any other specific technology including fax and email.

**To be continued**