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MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
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SECURITY ADVISORY REGARDING
INSTALLATION OF TELEPHONE / INTERNET CONNECTIONS
BY PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDERS LIKE AIRTEL, VODAFONE ETC

1. It has come to notice that an internet connection of a private service provider, viz, Airtel, has been installed in one of the Services HQrs. Hence, the matter was referred to Chief Security Officer, Ministry of Home Affairs, seeking policy directions, if any, regarding installation of telephone of private service provider in Govt offices. They have advised that voice flow and data over landline telephone of private service providers may be accessed by inimical entities. In view of the overall security environment and associated vulnerabilities with the telephone connections from Private Service providers, installation of telephone and internet connections through a private telephone service provider is not advisable in sensitive Govt Ministries / Departments, especially the Defence Sector.

2. It is, therefore, requested that telephone / internet connections of private service providers should not be installed in your Office / HQ / ISO.

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