

SEBI Extends Cybersecurity Framework Compliance Deadline

The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) vide its **Circular No. SEBI/HO/ ITD-1/ITD_CSC_EXT/P/CIR/2025/96 dated June 30, 2025**, has announced an extension for the adoption and implementation of its Cybersecurity and Cyber Resilience Framework (CSCRF). Originally issued on August 20, 2024, the framework aims to enhance cybersecurity measures and protect data and IT infrastructure for SEBI-regulated entities.

Following multiple requests, SEBI has extended the compliance deadline by two months, moving it to August 31, 2025. This extension applies to all regulated entities except Market Infrastructure Institutions (MIIs), KYC Registration Agencies (KRAs), and Qualified Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents (QRTAs).

Stock Exchanges and Depositories are instructed to inform their members and participants about this change and publish the circular on their websites. This circular, effective immediately, is issued under Section 11 (1) of the SEBI Act, 1992, to safeguard investor interests and regulate the securities market.

Link - <https://www.sebi.gov.in/legal/circulars/jun-2025/extension-towards-adoption-and-implementation-of-cybersecurity-and-cyber-resilience-framework-cscrf-for-sebi-regulated-entities-res-94902.html>