



# Cyber security policy development in Latvia

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# Current activities

❖ Establishment of the Consultative Council in 2009, it's current priorities:

## 1. Cooperation:

- ❖ among state institutions
- ❖ between state sector and business
  - ❖ draft recommendations to business
- ❖ between state sector and local governments
- ❖ on international level

## 2. Government CERT/CSIRT

# Current activities

(continued)

3. Awareness raising

4. Secure un effective exchange of information

5. Improvement of legal acts

- ❖ Draft law on security

# Draft law on security

- ❖ To establish a formalized security system with key elements:
  - ❖ Government CERT/CSIRT
  - ❖ Critical infrastructure
  - ❖ Minimal standards for state and local governments IT
  - ❖ New cooperation mechanisms with providers of electronic communications
  - ❖ Supervisory council

# Future government CERT/CSIRT

## ❖ Government CERT/CSIRT:

- ❖ Monitoring
- ❖ Risk assessment
- ❖ Recommendations
- ❖ Incident handling and assistance
- ❖ Awareness raising
- ❖ Exercises
- ❖ Research
  
- ❖ Additional human resources
- ❖ Additional financial resources



**Thank you for your attention!**

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