GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN PAKISTAN METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT HQs. OFFICE) SECTOR H-8/2 P.O. BOX NO. 1214 ISLAMABAD.

GA-9(4)/2023-24561

Dated, the April ,2024

CIRCULAR

CYBER SECURITY ADVISORY- Microsoft Patches For 61x Vulnerabilities In Subject: March ,2024 Updates (Advisory No.07).

Please find enclosed herewith two copies of Ministry of Aviation Memorandum F.No.1(2)/2023-IT-NA dated 15-04-2024 along with Copy of Cabinet's Division O.M. F.No.1-5/2003/24(NTISB-II) dated 01-04-2024.(download complete document from PMD website under the heading "circular") on the above noted subject for information and compliance.

Encl: (As Above)

(AHTISHAM ZAFAR) Administrative Officer for Director-General Meteorological Services

Distribution:

- 1. Chief Met. R&D / NDMC, PMD Islamabad.
- 2. Chief Met. FFD Lahore.
- 3. Chief Met. Camp Office Karachi.
- 4. Director RMC, Lahore / Karachi / Quetta / GB / Peshawar.
- 5. Director, NWFC /NAMC / Seismic / NDMC / Planning / Media Cell / Nullah Lai, PMD Islamabad.
- 6. Director, Maintenance / F&C / IMG / CDPC, Karachi.
- 7. Senior Programmer, IT, Islamabad.
- 8. DCAO (E) / AO (B), PMD Islamabad.
- 9. Dy. Director, Coordination, PMD Islamabad.
- 10. Accounts Officer, PMD Islamabad.
- 11. DDO, PMD Islamabad.
- 12. Security Officer, PMD Islamabad.
- 13. Web-Master, PMD HQs Office Islamabad to upload the circular on the Official Website under the tab circulars.

Government of Pakistan Ministry of Aviation ****

F. No. 1(2)/2023-IT-NA

Islamabad, the 15th April, 2024

MEMORANDUM

Subject: -

CYBER SECURITY ADVISORY - Hostile APTs Targeting Pakistani Officials with Android Apps for Data Exfiltration via Google Play Store (Advisory No. 06)

CYBER SECURITY ADVISORY - Microsoft Patches for 61x Vulnerabilities in March, 2024 Updates (Advisory No. 07).

Please find enclosed a copy of Cabinet Division's Memorandum No. 1-5/2003 (NTISB-II), dated 1st April, 2024 on the subject cited above for compliance of directions therein.

Encl: As above

(Hafiz Tahir Mahmood) Network Administrator Tel: 051-9203217

- Director General, Civil Aviation Authority, Karachi
- Adeel Yousfani ii. IT Building Ground Floor Network Hall Karachi.
- iii. Director General, Airports Security Force, Karachi

Director General, Pakistan Meteorological Department, Islamabad

Mr. Muntag.
Kalloom

DG Secretariat CM (D) CM (R&D) CAO Dir (F DIF (NWFC) DD (CO) DCAO(GA

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN

CABINET SECRETARIAT CABINET DIVISION (NTISB)

P-87/C

F. No. 1-5/2003/24(NTISB-II)

Islamabad, the 1st April, 2024

Subject: -

Cyber Security Advisory – Microsoft Patches for 61x Vulnerabilities in March, 2024 Updates (Advisory No. 07)

Introduction. Recently, Microsoft has issued patches for 61x CVEs (Common Vulnerabilities and Exposures) including two critical flaws (CVE-2024-21334; Microsoft Open Management Infrastructure Remote Code Execution Vulnerability: CVE-2024-21400; Microsoft Azure Kubernetes Privilege Escalation Vulnerability) being actively exploited.

- 2. Above in view, administrators and users of all Microsoft products are advised to update their devices/applications to the latest patched version.
- 3. Kindly disseminate the above information to all concerned in your organizations, all attached/affiliated departments and ensure necessary protective measures.

(Muhammad Usman Tariq) Assistant Secretary-II (NTISB) Ph# 051-9204560

All Secretaries of Ministries/Divisions of the Federal Government and Chief Secretaries of the Provincial Governments

Copy to:

- 1. Principal Secretary to the PM, Prime Minister's Secretariat, Islamabad
- 2. Secretary to the President, Aiwan-e-Sadar, Islamabad
- 3. Cabinet Secretary, Cabinet Division, Islamabad
- 4. Additional Secretary-III, Cabinet Division, Islamabad
- 5. Director General (Tech), Dte Gen, ISI Islamabad
- 6. Director (IT), Cabinet Division, Islamabad