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*Dear Shri Chandrasekhar,*

Thank you for your letter today about recent media reports on internet surveillance programmes conducted by the US Government. The three suggestions which you have made are valuable inputs which we shall factor into the various steps that we are taking in the domain of cyber security. We will naturally do everything we can to maintain the highest levels of data protection and personal privacy while meeting the needs of national security in the cyber security field.

I look forward to discussing these issues further with you when we next meet.

*With regards,*

Yours sincerely,

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