Laws Governing Virtual Currency : Growing Embrace and Legal Uncertainty

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Abstract: *In the world of evolutionary developments in the field of information and technology, the cyber space is the new reality. The present day transactions of societal interactions are no alien to the fundamental world problems where terrorism stands atop. Similarly, the operational activities of terrorism which are correspondingly taking place in the cyber space, denoted as "cyber terrorism", has been a concern for the world since its very inception. The present paper is an attempt to explore the areas of cyber terrorism while understanding and analysis its true sense and meaning. The paper also elucidates upon the legal perspective of the first world countries like United States and United Kingdom on cyber terrorism and ultimately the paper explores the law enforcement in India on this issue. The paper also analysis the impact of cyber terrorism in several peculiar facets of worldly affairs. The paper also involves examples of cyber terrorism and cyber terrorism against traditional terrorism. After that various measures are discussed for the prevention and protection of cyber security. A detailed suggestive analysis will also be put forth through this paper to put an end to the curse of cyber terrorism. According to the U.S. Federal Bureau of Investigation, Cyber terrorism is any premeditated, politically motivated attack against information, computer systems, computers programs, and data which results in violence against non-combatant targets by sub-national groups or clandestine agents..*

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