

## Factsheet

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### Vulnerability Disclosure Programme

The Government Technology Agency of Singapore (GovTech) has launched the Vulnerability Disclosure Programme (VDP) on 1 October 2019. The VDP will invite members of public, herein referred to as “Discoverer<sup>1</sup>”, to identify and report the discovery of vulnerabilities found in Government internet-facing web-based and mobile applications used by citizens, business and public sector employees.

The VDP serves as a crowdsourcing platform to encourage responsible reporting of any suspected vulnerability, while strengthening the public’s sense of collective ownership over the cybersecurity of Government systems.

There are two ways to report a suspected vulnerability:

1. Use the vulnerability disclosure link (“Report Vulnerability”) incorporated into all Government webpages and mobile applications
2. Email [vulnerability\\_disclosure@tech.gov.sg](mailto:vulnerability_disclosure@tech.gov.sg) with details of the suspected vulnerability

GovTech will work with the “Discoverer” and the affected agency to validate and remediate the vulnerability in a timely manner.

For clarity, the VDP does not authorise or permit the taking of any action that may contravene applicable laws and regulations (e.g. Computer Misuse Act). Attempts to exploit or test suspected vulnerabilities (e.g. gaining unauthorised access to any computer program or data) are prohibited. There will not be bounty awarded for validated vulnerabilities under the VDP.

For more details, please visit [https://www.tech.gov.sg/report\\_vulnerability](https://www.tech.gov.sg/report_vulnerability).

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<sup>1</sup> Discoverer” refer to an individual or entity (regardless of the geographical location) that identifies the suspected vulnerabilities.