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Press Note

- **NeGD Organizes DPDP Act Awareness Workshop for Officers of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (IBBI)**

New Delhi, August 3, 2026: The National e-Governance Division (NeGD), under the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), organized a focused awareness workshop on the Digital Personal Data Protection (DPDP) Act, 2023 for officers of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (IBBI) at the India International Centre (IIC), New Delhi.

The workshop was conducted as part of NeGD's ongoing awareness and capacity-building initiatives to strengthen understanding of the Digital Personal Data Protection Act, 2023 among government ministries, departments, statutory bodies and public sector organizations. The programme brought together officers of IBBI to deliberate on the Act's provisions, implementation requirements and its relevance to statutory bodies.

The inaugural session, "Requirements of the DPDP Act and its Application Around Us," was delivered by Shri Ritesh Kumar Sahu, Scientist D (Cyber Law), Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY). The session introduced participants to the objectives and key principles of the DPDP Act, including lawful processing of personal data, rights of Data Principals, obligations of Data Fiduciaries and the importance of embedding privacy and data protection practices into day-to-day operations.

The second session, "Applicability of the DPDP Act/Rules to Statutory Bodies like IBBI," was addressed by Shri Raghav Kukreja, Data Protection Officer, SBI Cards. The speakers discussed the applicability of the Act and the Draft DPDP Rules to statutory organizations, highlighting practical compliance measures, governance frameworks, data lifecycle management, security safeguards and institutional readiness for implementing the provisions of the Act.

An interactive question-and-answer session followed, during which participants engaged with the speakers on various implementation challenges, sector-specific use cases and best practices for strengthening data protection governance within statutory bodies. The discussions reflected the growing importance of adopting privacy-centric approaches in public institutions and fostering a culture of responsible data management.

The workshop concluded with a vote of thanks, reaffirming NeGD's commitment to supporting organizations across the Government ecosystem in building awareness and preparedness for effective implementation of the Digital Personal Data Protection Act, 2023.

Through such targeted awareness activities, NeGD continues to facilitate knowledge sharing and promote a robust data protection culture across the country, enabling organizations to safeguard personal data while delivering trusted and citizen-centric digital services.

