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## Lecture-13



## **LECTURE 13: An** Overview of the IT Act

The Information Technology Act, 2000 or ITA, 2000 or IT Act, was notified on October 17, 2000. It is the law that deals with cybercrime and electronic commerce in <u>India</u>. In this article, we will look at the objectives and features of the Information Technology Act, 2000.

In 1996, the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL) adopted the model law on electronic commerce (e-commerce) to bring uniformity in the law in different countries.

Further, the General Assembly of the United Nations recommended that all countries must consider this model law before making changes to their own laws. India became the 12th country to enable cyber law after it passed the Information Technology Act, 2000.

A General discussion on Scheme of IT Act 2000 and its Amendments

## **SELF-TEST QUESTIONS**

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1.			
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Answers: 1-(),2-(), 3-(),4-(),5-()