<center>**Consequences of Limitations in Cyber law**</center>

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This article review is based on the article " **Cybercrime Laws in Iraq: Addressing Limitations for Effective Governance**".

Relation to principle of science

There are six main principles of science. These include:

1. Relativism

2. Determinism

3. Objectivity

4. Ethical Neutrality

5. Skepticism

6. Parsimony

These are the three that are related to the article

1. Objectivity: The researcher used participants in interviews for opinions instead of their own views.

2. Determinism: Due to weak cyber laws, it caused the rise of cybercrimes.

3. Relativism: The weak cyber laws in Iraq lead to limitations of the Iraqi legislative system to combat cybercrimes.

In the article there are three principles of science I detected.

Research questions/hypotheses

In the article it researches these three main questions:

1. The current status of the cybercrime legislation in Iraq.

2. Research ways to effective minister measures to migrate cybercrimes potential in Iraq.

3. Research the limitations of the cybercrime laws in Iraq.

Research methods

The article describes using the qualitative research method so this includes:

1. Interviews

2. Focus groups

3. In field observations

Data and Analysis

The researchers in the article used the participants' answers in interviews, and used that data to be collected in analysis software called Nvivo software. This software will then organize the data to create generalized results.

Concepts

In terms of any relationships between the concepts in the powerpoints and this article, I could identify one connection, it is the neutralization theory. For example, the article quotes " Iraq has a very weak legislative system against cybercrimes, and there has been no considerable focus on the administrative regulations for the cybersecurity and protection of the organizations"(Pg 6, paragraph 1). This portrays denial of responsibility, where the Iraqi legislation denies the need for stronger cybercrime laws, leading towards cybercrime being more prevalent.

Challenges and concerns

There are three main contributions to the limitations of cyberlaw in Iraq according to participants in interviews.

1. Enforcement agencies lack resources, and training

2. Iraq's laws and regulations are outdated

3. No specifics in the cybercrime laws in Iraq cybercrime legislation

How does this relate to the challenges, and concerns of marginalized groups? The core theme is that due to lack of resources, funding and outdated laws, the people in Iraq who are considered lower in socio-economic status are negatively impacted by the limitations of the cyber laws.

Overall contribution

The main contribution of this research study is that weak legislative and administrative laws could lead to the rise of cybercrimes. Though This study was only done concerning only the legislative laws in Iraq.

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