Private and State Cooperation in Cybersecurity Support

Nowadays, it is difficult to imagine our life without information exchange. The safety of information is the main focus of state management. Security of the most critical facilities of interconnected service structures is very important for industries that are vital for national economics. They are energy, transit, information, and telecommunication facilities.

Firstly, employees in organisations often do not follow safety rules while using the net. It can put safety of different organisations in danger, thus organisations should constantly control and watch their employees and make them stick to safety instructions.

Secondly, authorities have to use knowledge and resources effectively. Cyber security is possible if all structures act cooperatively on both levels: national and transnational. Moreover, to prevent safety risks, they should provide security measures for critical facilities as strengthening cooperation and performance collective protective actions by special services. There should be a strict algorithm for their actions in case of emergency.

Cybersecurity support and firm success cannot be divided. The ability to manage security processes is a vital requirement for an organisation. Private and state organisations should join efforts which seems to be one of the preferable forms of security management.

Cooperation – сотрудничество
security – безопасность
critical – важный
facilities – объекты
employees – сотрудники
safety rules – правила безопасности
emergency – чрезвычайная ситуация
efforts – усилия
prevent – предотвращать

Task 1.
Discuss the questions.
1. Why is information security so important nowadays?
2. What employee violations can cause danger for an organisation's security?

Task 2.
Prepare a project. Give a 3-5 minutes talk about security system in your country. Talk about state structures which provide safety in Russian different directions. Give their brief description.