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Senate Economics References Committee

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QoN Number: 4

Subject: Cyber Breaches

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Question:

How many cyber breaches have there been of AWS's platform? And, separately, how many cyber breaches have there been of Microsoft's cloud services since the SOCI amendment act was put in place in 2021?

Answer:

Under the Mandatory Reporting of Cyber Security Incidents obligation in Part 2B of the Security of Critical Infrastructure Act 2018, Amazon Web Services Australia Pty Ltd has not reported any incidents and Microsoft Corporation has reported three incidents.

The three incidents reported by Microsoft did not involve cyber breaches. The reported incidents affected the availability, rather than the confidentiality or integrity, of Microsoft Azure Public Cloud.