You were listening to the OneHCL podcast series, the place where industry experts, analysts and veterans help us identify understand and prepare for the upcoming cybersecurity technologies and trends. If you haven't subscribed to channel already do it now for regular updates. In this podcast we have with us Shagufta Yasmeen who will be sharing insights on the latest market trends around secure cloud adoption. This episode starts in 3 2 1

Cloud computing has been around for almost two decades now and organizations across the globe have been slowly adopting it for its benefits like cost optimization, flexibility, scalability, competitive edge, etc. We also saw a surge in migration of point solutions to cloud-led solutions across the globe due to the present pandemic situation. With that in mind, HCL CyberSecurity & GRC division has formalized its cloud security services under the name of "Cloud Security as a Service solution" powered by Borderless Security Framework which will help the enterprises adopt cloud more and more in a secure manner.

The key security challenges that our customers face are mainly around security of the data and applications. Targeted attacks for identity theft, PII data loss, etc. have been the main concerns. With movement of applications onto a public cloud domain, the control over these applications is also shared between a Cloud Service Provider like, Google or Microsoft, and the enterprises themselves. Such a shared responsibility brings in governance and control issues. Industries like BFSI, life sciences need to meet global regulatory compliances which may lead to regulatory violations if the CSP fails to maintain the right security posture. But we still expect the global cloud computing market size to grow from \$371 bn to \$832 bn (2020-2025) and the cloud security spend alone is set to reach \$ 12.6 bn by 2023.

So, we understand that Security isn't a concern anymore for the global organizations as we in HCL CyberSecurity & GRC division, help them provide a comprehensive security through our CSaaS services. With the help of our Borderless Security Framework, we provide an end-to-end security to any application residing anywhere in the world, be it a pure public cloud environment, multi-cloud environment or a hybrid cloud with some applications still residing in a private data center. With the current trend of BYOD/ CYOD and remote workforce, the organization users can access any application from anywhere and any device over any network without any negative impact on the user experience. And we not only secure the IT applications but also the operational technology environment, thus bringing everything under the same umbrella and maintaining a consistent security posture.

Our CSaaS is purely cloud-centric and our design principles are based on NIST, and CSA frameworks to enable our architects design security architectures for our customers, targeted to their specific business. We provide 360-degree services comprising of Strategy & Architecture, Transformation & Integration, and Managed Security Services, thereby help maintain a Dynamic Security posture. In the beginning of any transformation, we carry out a cloud assessment of the enterprise environment from security perspective and mitigate the gaps in the architecture by redefining the security policies and made more aligned to the business policies. Based on the reformed Information Security policies, the security controls matrix is designed which can comprise of both native and third-party controls as per the security requirements. Once the solutions are integrated on the cloud with the workloads and applications, we provide a 24X7

monitoring services through our CyberSecurity Fusion Center to maintain a continuous secure and compliant environment, meeting all the cloud security norms.

Our services cut across Applications, Identity Security, DevOps, Data Security, Network and Governance, Risk & Compliance, thereby taking care of every aspect of the user, data and application security.

HCL is one of the leading cloud security service providers and that is possible due to our cuttingedge security frameworks, our partnership with industry-best security solution vendors and most importantly, our rich experience in handling and managing security environments since more than 23 years now. HCL is at the forefront of ensuring effective operational cybersecurity posture for its clients with its end-to-end service capabilities enabled by flexible global delivery models and powered by industry leading reference frameworks & IPs. We have been recognized by key analyst firms like Everest, Avasant, ISG, as a global leader in CyberSecurity & GRC services.