No: 1-Indian_delegation_WTSA/2024-IR   **Dated** 25/09/2024

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Indian Delegation for **ITU-WTSA 2024**

Background: India is hosting the International Telecommunication Union (ITU)'s World Telecommunications Standardization Assembly (WTSA) during 15-24 Oct 2024 preceded by Global Standards Symposium (GSS) on 14 Oct 2024 at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi. WTSA 24 is likely to be attended by participants from 120+ countries including around 1000+ foreign delegates, 30+ ICT/Telecom Ministers of ITU member states. In addition, various industry leaders, start-ups, innovators, manufacturers, R&D experts, academia, and Govt. representatives will also be participating in the event. On the sidelines of WTSA 2024, India Mobile Congress (IMC) 2024- largest technology event is being organized from 15 -18 October 2024 at the same venue.

2.   To participate in the WTSA 2024, an Indian delegation led by Secretary (T) has already been issued vide letter of even number, dated 12/9/2024. In continuation, a second list of the Indian delegation has now been approved, as enclosed in Annexure-I. This list includes representation from various stakeholders such as the government, industry, standards organizations, academia, and R&D entities.

3.   The above-mentioned Indian delegation will be responsible to deliberate various resolutions and other agenda points during WTSA 2024. Telecom Engineering Centre (TEC) being the nodal for content, will assign the roles & responsibilities to all the delegates as per resolution or scope of the COMs, keeping in consideration the relevant experience/expertise, cross sectoral representation, in-person availability (convenient dates), capacity of the halls, gender inclusivity etc. TEC is also requested to debrief the delegates about the ITU protocols/ etiquette/ 'Do's and Don'ts'/ guidelines with a view on the additional responsibility of being host to WTSA.

4.   All delegates are requested to register for WTSA-24 through their ITU-TIES account (only) at https://www.itu.int/wtsa/2024/participation/registration/ . ITU-TIES account can be created by delegates at https://user.itu.int/login. (More details at Annexure-II)

This has the approval of Secretary (T)

Encl: As Above

(Monu Gupta)
Director
International Relations, DoT-HQ

To
All the Delegates (Annexure-I)

Copy To:

 i. PSO to Secretary (Telecom), DoT HQ
 ii. Secretary (TRAI)
 iii. Principle Scientific Advisor
 iv. Administrator (USOF)
 v. Additional Secretary (Telecom)
 vi. Member (Services)/ Member (Technology)/ Member (Finance) DCC
 vii. DG(Telecom)/ DG (NTIPRIT)/ DG(NICF)
 viii. Sr. DDG(TEC) with a request to assign the roles & responsibilities to Delegation and to co-ordinate for their registration
 ix. WA, WPC
 x. CMD(BSNL)
 xi. CEO, CDOT
 xii. DG(TSDSI)
 xiii. Directors of IISc, IIT (Delhi/ Chennai/ Bombay/ Kanpur/ Hyderabad), DIAT Pune, Amrita University

Second List of Indian Delegation for participation in technical sessions of WTSA-2024

S.No	Name (Sh./Ms.)	Designation	Organization	Remarks	Gov/Industry/Academia
1	Mayur Ratilal Govekar	PS to Hon'ble MoC	DoT	Delegate	Gov/DoT
2	Ankur Verma	Add. PS to Hon'ble MoC	DoT	Delegate	Gov/DoT
3	Harish Singh Papola	Add. PS to Hon'ble MoC	DoT	Delegate	Gov/DoT
4	Sanjeev Sharma	DDG (MoSC)	DoT	Delegate	Gov/DoT
5	Shravan Kumar Vaishya	AD(IR-1)	DoT HQ	Nodal Division for WTSA co-ordination	Gov/DoT
6	Saurav Joshi	ASO(IR-1)	DoT HQ	Nodal Division for WTSA co-ordination	Gov/DoT
7	Nitin Jain	Spl. DGT	AP LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
8	Ranveer Singh	Addl. DGT	Assam LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
9	Ashok Kumar	Additional Director General Telecom	Bihar LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
10	Manoj Kumar Singh	Special Director General Telecom	Delhi LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
11	Ajatshatru Somani	Addl. DGT	Gujarat LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
12	Anil Kr Ranjan	Addl. DGT	HP LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
13	Khuswant Rai	Addl. DGT	J & K LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
14	Akhilesh Kumar Gupta	Special Director General Telecom	Karnataka LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
15	Sobhana V	Additional Director General Telecom	Kerala LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
16	Tapas Pal	DDG	Kolkata LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
17	Ananad Khare	Addl. DGT	MP LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
18	Anil Verma	Special Director General Telecom	Maharashtra LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
19	Naresh Khanna	Addl. DGT	Punjab LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
20	Brijesh Prajapati	LSA Head	Rajasthan LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
21	Sanjeev Kumar Bidwai	Special DGT	Tamilnadu LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
22	Arun Kumar Verma	Additional DG(T)	UP East LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA

23	Shubha N Bhambhani	Addl. DGT	UP West LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
24	Harmit Singh	Director (NT)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
25	Aftab Alam	Director (Mob-1 USOF)	USOF	Observer	Gov/DoT
26	Anupam Anis Chauhan	Director	M/o Electronics & IT	Observer	Gov/MIETY
27	Shailendra Sagar	Director (IS2-USOF)	USOF	Observer	Gov/DoT
28	Aditya Sharma	Director (AI&DIU)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
29	Vishal Srivastava	Director (AS-II)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
30	Alok Ranjan	Director (IP)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
31	Abhishek Sharma	Dy Administrator(T-II)	USOF	Observer	Gov/DoT
32	Ankur Gupta	Director	UP West LSA	Observer	Gov/MDI
33	Shashi Shekhar Pandey	Director (SMC)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
34	Muppuri Raj Anup	Director (SPPI)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
35	Meena Shriphal Chiranjilal	ADG	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
36	Shubham Gupta	ADG (SMC)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
37	Hitesh chugh	ADG (APAR)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
38	Vaibhav Jain	ADG (L&C)	DGT HQ	Observer	Gov/DGT
39	Naveen Jakhar	ADG (AI & DIU)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
40	Prakash Dangi	ADG (Training)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
41	Ravi Kumar Mathur	ADG (A&MM)	NTIPRIT	Observer	Gov/NTIPRIT
42	Chirag	ADG (AS-IV)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
43	Ankit Shukla	ADG (S)	Delhi LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
44	Shashank Kumar Namdeo	ADG (A&HR)	DGT HQ	Observer	Gov/DGT
45	Deepa Maheshwari	ADG (SRI)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
46	Rafi Ahmad Ansari	ADG	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
47	Jitendra Bhoi	ADG (SRI)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
48	Vikas	ADG (E&C-II)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
49	Rahul Jain	ADET (AS-1)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
50	Rahul Chouhan	ADET (AS-5)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
51	Devendra Kumar	ADET (S)	Delhi LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
52	Divya Kumar Singh	ADET (IT-II)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
53	Mudita Chandra	ADET (Tx)	TEC	Delegate	Gov/TEC
54	Kunal Kulshrestha	ADET (IC)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
55	Anshul Kumar Gupta	ADET (Radio)	TEC	Delegate	Gov/TEC
56	Sanjeev Kumar	ADET (SPPI)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
57	Vinayak Choksey	AD (APAR)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
58	Manish Kumar	AD (Recruitment)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT

59	Ashok Jain	DDG (IP)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
60	Arun Chaubey	Director	TCIL	Observer	Gov/TCIL
61	Neeraj Kumar	DDG (NBM)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
62	S. Balachandran	DDG (C&A)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
63	Bindoo Srivastava	TSDSI	TSDSI	Observer	Industry
64	Brajesh Mishra		C-DOT	Observer	Gov/CDOT
65	Pankaj Kumar	DDG(Training)	DoT	Observer	Gov/DoT
66	Jasvir Singh Panesar	Director (IT)	TEC	Delegate	Gov/TEC
67	Bhuvnesh Yadav	Director (SD)	DoT HQ	Observer	Gov/DoT
68	Vandana Sethi	Advisor (Admn & HR)	TRAI	Observer	Gov/TRAI
69	Deepak Sharma	Advisor (B&CS)	TRAI	Observer	Gov/TRAI
70	Abhay Shankar Verma	Pr. Advisor	TRAI	Vice Chair & Promotion officer of ITU-T SG 13	Gov/TRAI
71	Jitendra Khare	DDG (C)	UP West LSA	Observber	Gov/LSA
72	Anuradha Agarwal	Additional Director General (Engg.)	Prasar Bharati	Observer	Gov/PB
73	D. C. Shukla	Deputy Director General (Engg.)	Prasar Bharati	Observer	Gov/PB
74	Prof NK Goyal	Chairman Emeritus	TEMA	Observer	Industry
75	Arun Gupta	DG	TEPC	Observer	Industry
76	Sanjeev Banzal	Director General	ERNET India	Observer	Gov/Meity
77	Rajesh Kumar Pathak	DG	Bharat 6G Alliance	Observer	Industry
78	Payal Mittal	Member	Bharat 6G Alliance	Observer	Industry
79	Brig. Anil Tandan	DG	BIF	Observer	Industry
80	Atul Jain	Director (Technology)	BIF	Observer	Industry
81	Anil Kaushal	Retd. Member TRAI	TRAI	Observer	Gov/TRAI
82	Deepak Sinha	Retd. Member (S)	DoT	Observer	Gov/DoT
83	Deepak Chaturvedi	Retd. Member (S)	DoT	Observer	Gov/DoT
84	Uma Shanker Pandey	Retd. Member (S)	DoT	Observer	Gov/DoT
85	S. S. Sirohi	Retd. Member (T)	DoT	Observer	Gov/DoT
86	A. K. Mittal	Retd. Member (S)	DoT	Observer	Gov/DoT
87	Ram Narayan	Retd. Sr. DDG	DoT	Observer	Gov/DoT
88	Naveen Kumar	Retd. Advisor	DoT	Observer	Gov/DoT
89	S. K. Mishra	Retd. Advisor (F)	DoT	Observer	Gov/DoT
90	Vivek Narayan	DDG (R)	Delhi LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
91	Thomas Varghese	DDG (T)	Delhi LSA	Observer	Gov/LSA
92	Shashi Mohan	DDG (IT)	TEC	Delegate	Gov/TEC
93	Laxmi	Director (C&B)	TEC	Delegate	Gov/TEC

94	Ravinder Kumar	Director (TS)	TEC	Delegate	Gov/TEC
95	Bhavesh Anil Sharma	Director (Finance)	TEC	Delegate	Gov/TEC
96	Jyoti Roat	ADG (MT-II)	TEC	Delegate	Gov/TEC
97	Raghav Purwar	ADET (IoT)	TEC	Delegate	Gov/TEC
98	Prashant Jemini	AD (SD)	TEC	Delegate	Gov/TEC
99	Jitendra Praksh	Director (Security)	DoT	Delegate	Gov/DOT
100	Atul Kumar Gupta		C-DOT	Delegate	Gov/CDOT
101	Prashant Chugh		C-DOT	Delegate	Gov/CDOT
102	Aurindam Bhattacharya		C-DOT	Delegate	Gov/CDOT
103	Niraj Kumar	Director (TV-INSAT)	Ministry of Information and Braodcasting	Delegate	Gov/MI&B
104	Prof. Manivannan M		IIT Madras	Delegate	Academia
105	Pranav Singh		IDEMIA	Delegate	Industry
106	Retd. Col. Dheeraj Chandola	Consultant	NDMA	Delegate	Gov/NDMA
107	Anshul Yadav	Advisor Telecommunication	CDRI	Delegate	Gov/CDRI
108	Deepak Kumar		Fastech Telecommunication	Delegate	Industry
109	Vikram Tiwathiya	DDG	COAI	Delegate	Industry

WTSA Registration process for Indian Delegates

- **Existing ITU Ties Account Users**: All delegates can register for WTSA-24 through their ITU-TIES account (only) at https://www.itu.int/wtsa/2024/participation/registration/

- **New users**: Indian Delegates through official organization email id (only) can submit request for ITU TIES account through https://user.itu.int/login by selecting *'Member State'* from the drop-down menu (as shown below) – for approval by ITU-focal point of India.

- Along with the main meeting halls, WTSA registered Indian Delegates will also have access to Indian Mobile Congress-24 and all side events of ITU

- Separate registration for IMC-24 & the side events is NOT required for these delegates