Government of India Ministry of Communications Department of Telecommunications (International Relations Division)

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No: 1-Indian delegation WTSA/2024-IR

Dated 07/10/2024

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Third List of 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 letters of even number dated 12/9/2024 and 25/09/2024. In continuation of this, a third approved list of the Indian delegation is enclosed as per 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)

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



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

| S. No | Name (Mr./Ms.) | Designation | Organisation | Remarks | Gov/Industry/ Academia |
|-------|---------------------------|--|----------------|----------|---------------------------|
| 1 | Pradeep Singh Kharola | CMD | ITPO/CMD | Delegate | Gov/ITPO |
| 2 | CA Rajat Agarwal | ED | ITPO/ED | Delegate | Gov/ITPO |
| 3 | COL. Pushpam Kumar | OSD | ITPO/SGM | Observer | Gov/ITPO |
| 4 | Rakesh Chandra Sharma | ITPO/GM | ITPO/GM | Observer | Gov/ITPO |
| 5 | Krishan Kumar | Dy.General Manager | ITPO/ DGM | Observer | Gov/ITPO |
| 6 | Manoj Upreti | Assistant Manager | ITPO/ ED Sectt | Observer | Gov/ITPO |
| 7 | Alok Shukla | Sr DDG (Pers) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 8 | Manish Lodha | Director (Staff) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 9 | Darshana Momaya Dabral | Advisor (F) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 10 | Asit Kadyan | DDG | Haryana LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 11 | Shubhendu Tiwari | Sr DDG (SU) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 12 | Rajeev Sinha | retired TRAI | TRAI | Observer | Gov/TRAI |
| 13 | Suresh Bhargav | retired CGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 14 | Anubhav Prakash | | SIA | Observer | Industry |
| 15 | Prashant R Patil | SrDDG | AP LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 16 | Pramod Kumar Tiwari | DG | BIS | Delegate | Gov/BIS |
| 17 | Reena Garg | Scientist G | BIS | Delegate | Gov/BIS |
| 18 | Sanjeev Kumar | CMD | TCIL | Observer | Gov/TCIL |
| 19 | D. Porpathasekaran | Director | TCIL | Observer | Gov/TCIL |
| 20 | Surajit Mandol | Director | TCIL | Observer | Gov/TCIL |
| 21 | M.K. Pattanaik | JWA | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 22 | Onkar Nath | AWA | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 23 | Sachin Kumar | AWA | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 24 | Arun Kumar | AWA | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 25 | Abhishek Singh | Additional Secretary | MeitY | Observer | Gov/Miety |
| 26 | Bhuvnesh Kumar | Additional Secretary | MeitY | Observer | Gov/Miety |
| 27 | Sushil Pal | Joint Secreatry (ICD) | MeitY | Observer | Gov/Miety |
| 28 | S. K. Marwaha | Scientist G and Group Coordinator (R&D in CC&BT) | MeitY | Observer | Gov/Miety |

| 29 | Kavita Bhatia | Scientist G and Group Coordinator (AI & ET) | MeitY | Observer | Gov/Miety |
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| 30 | Savita Utreja | Scientist G and Group Coordinator (Cyber Security Division) | MeitY | Observer | Gov/Miety |
| 31 | T. Santosh | Scientist E (IGD) | MeitY | Observer | Gov/Miety |
| 32 | Alka Selot Asthana | VP & Head Regulatory Affairs | TCL | Observer | Industry |
| 33 | SANDEEP GOVIL | DIRECTOR (HR & EB) | MTNL | Observer | Gov/MTNL |
| 34 | Dr KALYAN SAGAR NIPPANI | DIRECTOR (TECHNICAL | MTNL | Observer | Gov/MTNL |
| 35 | RAJIV KUMAR | DIRECTOR (FINANCE | MTNL | Observer | Gov/MTNL |
| 36 | Vivek Banzal | Director (CFA) | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 37 | Vivek K. Verma | ADET (STG-III) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 38 | Abhinav Pratap Singh | PS to MoDoNER | DoNER | Delegate | Gov/DoNER |
| 39 | Deepa Arora | CGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 40 | J K Shah | PGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 41 | Deepak Garg | PGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 42 | Suresh Kumar | OSD to CMD | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 43 | Milan Jain | AGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 44 | Rajesh Gupta | PGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 45 | Rajiv Kaushik | PGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 46 | Anita Jauhari | PGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 47 | Ashutosh Jain | PGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 48 | Rajiv Narang | PGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 49 | S P Singh | PGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 50 | Dinesh Mohan | PGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 51 | Sunil Singhal | GM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 52 | Manish Saxena | GM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 53 | Rajeshwar Dayal | GM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 54 | Rajeev Sharma | GM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 55 | Jitendra Garg | GM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 56 | Niti Singh | GM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 57 | Atul Joshi | ADG | Haryana LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 58 | Naveen Thaduri | ADG | Assam LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 59 | Sandeep Agrawal | Scientist-E | C-DOT | Observer | Gov/CDOT |
| 60 | Amit Rawat | ADG | UP West LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 61 | Chandrasekhar Venkatasubbu | Program Director 5G Test Bed | | Observer | |

| 62 | Sendil Kumar Devar | Director (Standards & Spectrum) | Ericssson | Observer | Industry |
|----|---------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|----------|----------|
| 63 | Roy M Jacob | Addl. DGT | West Bengal LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 64 | M Murali Krishna | Addl. DGT | Odisha LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 65 | Brijesh Mishra | CGM | C-DOT | Observer | Gov/CDOT |
| 66 | S. K. Bhalla | DDG | NE LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 67 | Sunil Kumar Verma | JS (A) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 68 | Ashok Kumar | CVO | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 69 | Aditya Singh | Director (VM) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 70 | Ashok Kumar | Director (LP) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 71 | Arvind Kumar | Director (IP) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 72 | Urbashi Sinha | Professor | RRI | Observer | Academia |
| 73 | Ram Babu | Director (SE) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 74 | B M Patel | Director (SE) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 75 | Jitendra Prakash | Director (SA) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 76 | Vivek Khare | DDG (QoS) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 77 | Rajesh Kumar Soni | DDG (CS) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 78 | Ashish Kushwaha | Director (CS) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 79 | Brahmananda Srivastava | Director (CS) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 80 | Roshni Sohni | DDG (Establishment) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 81 | Ashish Kumar | Director (Satellite) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 82 | Vijay Agrawal | Director (Establishment) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 83 | Pankaj Garg | DDG (PM) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 84 | Preeti Nath | Economic Advisor | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 85 | Kashi Nath Jha | DDG (Asset Mgmt) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 86 | Rajeev Roy | DDG (Finance & FIPP) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 87 | Sanjay Kumar | DDG (B&PEF) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 88 | Rajat Bhardwaj | Director (Finance & FIPP) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 89 | Vinit Ranjan | Director (WPF) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 90 | Umang Shrivastava | Sr. Dy. WA (COP) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 91 | L. D. Meghwal | Sr. Dy. Director, WMO HQ | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 92 | Shahbaz Ali | CGCA | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 93 | Sanjay Kumar | GM | TCIL | Observer | Gov/TCIL |

| 94 | Sunita Chandra | Addl. DGT | DGT | Observer | Gov/DGT |
|-----|---------------------------|------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|
| 95 | Shailesh Shrivastava | DDG (A&HR) | DGT | Observer | Gov/DGT |
| 96 | Sanjeev Sharan Agrawal | DDG(LC & R) | DGT | Observer | Gov/DGT |
| 97 | Subodh Saxena | DDG(Security) | DGT | Observer | Gov/DGT |
| 98 | P C Sharma | DDG(Technology) | DGT | Observer | Gov/DGT |
| 99 | Manish Shukla | Director(Technology) | DGT | Observer | Gov/DGT |
| 100 | Ganesh A Bakade | Director(NBM) | DGT | Observer | Gov/DGT |
| 101 | Ajay Kumar Meena | ADG-II (Admin & HR) | DGT | Observer | Gov/DGT |
| 102 | Sumit Singh | ADG (Technology) | DGT | Observer | Gov/DGT |
| 103 | Harkesh Meena | DDG(A) | Delhi LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 104 | Arun Kumar Singh | DDG(S) | Delhi LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 105 | Vishal Kumar | Dir (Security) | Delhi LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 106 | Bharat Lal Meena | DDG (Compliance) | Delhi LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 107 | Himanshu Sharma | Director(NBM) | DGT | Observer | Gov/DGT |
| 108 | Robin Kumar Lakhanpal | Director(LC & R) | DGT | Observer | Gov/DGT |
| 109 | Mayank Mrinal | DGM | BSNL | Observer | Gov/BSNL |
| 110 | Umesh Khemani | Director (DS-III) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 111 | Prashant Verma | Director (LP-B) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 112 | Patanjali Prakash | Director | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 113 | Siddharth Kumar | Director | NE LSA | Observer | Gov/LSA |
| 114 | Devendra Kumar Saini | ADG (DM-T) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
| 115 | Sachin Rathore | ADG | NCCS | Observer | Gov/NCCS |
| 116 | Dr. Sriganesh Rao | Director | Calligo Tech | Observer | Industry |
| 117 | Anil Rai | ADG (ICT) | ICAR | Observer | Industry |
| 118 | Virender Prasad | DDG (SR & PHP) | DoT | Observer | Gov/DoT |
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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 <u>Indian Mobile Congress-24</u> and all side events of ITU
- Separate registration for IMC-24 & the side events is NOT required for these delegates

