



Webinar for Sanchar Mitras on “Citizen Outreach Programs for EMF Awareness”

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PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

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1	Inaugural Session 1045 - 1105 hrs	Welcome Address - Sh. Rajesh Gupta, DDG (Wireless Access), NCA-T, Ghaziabad, DoT Special Address – Sh. Prachish Khanna, DDG Media, DoT HQ Inaugural Address - Sh. Atul Sinha, DG, NCA-T, Ghaziabad, DoT
2	Session 1 1105 - 1150 hrs 1150 - 1200 hrs	‘Citizen Outreach Programs on EMF Awareness’ - Sh. Vineet Mallik, Director (Radio) TEC -Q & A
3	Session 2 1200- 1245 hrs 1245 -1255 hrs	‘Case Studies and Field Scenarios on EMF Emissions’ -Sh. Pakhare Pankaj Ranjan, ADG (Compliance) , MH LSA ,Nagpur -Q & A
4	1255-1300 hrs	Vote of Thanks - Sh. Atul Joshi, Director(Wireless Access), NCA-T, Ghaziabad, DoT

ABOUT THE WEBINAR

The *Sanchar Mitra* initiative aims to create a network of informed volunteers who act as the interface between the Department of Telecommunications and citizens for promoting awareness on telecom-related issues. The webinar will focus on enhancing communication and outreach skills, strengthening citizen engagement, and disseminating factual information on public concerns such as Electromagnetic Field (EMF) exposure and mobile tower safety.

Experts will discuss key aspects of EMF radiation standards, scientific evidence supporting safety compliance, and communication strategies to address misconceptions. The session will also highlight tools, outreach materials, and best practices that *Sanchar Mitras* can use to conduct awareness activities effectively at the community level, thereby fostering transparency and public confidence in telecom infrastructure.

The target audience of the webinar are the officers from DoT LSAs and Sanchar Mitras working in the field and other stakeholders.

EXPERT SPEAKERS



Sh. Vineet Malik
Director Radio TEC

Currently serving as Director (Radio) at the Telecommunication Engineering Center, Delhi, Mr. Vineet Malik is an Indian Telecommunications Service (I.T.S.) 2015 Batch. He handles key areas such as EMF exposure, Satellite, SAR, Wi-Fi Standards, and initiatives promoting the circular economy, and is active contributor in ITU Study Groups.

He is a Certified Ethical Hacker (CEH) and CompTIA Pentest+ & CySA+ certified professional, he also holds a PG Diploma in Advertising and Integrated Communications. Previously, as Assistant Director General (Media & PR) in the Ministry of Communications, he played a pivotal role in the development of the Media Unit, leading national awareness initiatives for Sanchar Saathi, Sanchar Mitra Program, and BHARAT INTERNET UTSAV.

He has also contributed to ISP licensing regulations for decentralization of ISP license, public Wi-Fi policy, and the PM-WANI initiative aimed at enhancing broadband connectivity and digital inclusion across India. Vineet has published several articles and videos on cyber fraud prevention and fake message detection in reputed publications.



Sh. Pakhare Pankaj Ranjan
ADG (Compliance), MH LSA

Mr. Pankaj Pakhare is currently serving as the Assistant Director General (Compliance) at the Maharashtra Licensed Service Area (LSA), Nagpur. A member of the prestigious Indian Telecommunications Service (I.T.S.) – 2016 Batch, he brings over five years of experience in the compliance domain of the Department of Telecommunications (DoT).

In his current role, he is responsible for key areas including DIU and CEIR case analysis, as well as conducting workshops on citizen-centric initiatives of DoT such as FRIs, CEIR Portal for various stakeholders. He also conducts EMR Awareness and PoS Awareness workshops to promote compliance and public outreach.

Mr. Pakhare also oversees the EMR Audit (which encompasses Self-Certificate Audit) and CAF Audit. The sampling process of CAF audit is Python-scripted, capable of processing a 10 crore subscriber database within 15 hours.

He is presently working on developing scripts to automate the DKYC and EKYC CAF audit process. He holds an M.Tech. degree from the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Kanpur, and prior to joining the Government of India, he gained valuable industry experience with Tejas Networks and DRDO.



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