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Dr. Rajkumar Upadhyay, an officer of the Indian Telecommunication Services (ITS) of Government of India, is currently the Chief Executive Officer and Chairman Board, Centre for Developments of Telematics (C-DOT).

His illustrious career includes 3 decades of technical expertise and leaderships in Telecom, Information Technology (IT), Defense and Broadcasting sectors. His previous assignments include Additional Director General & Head South India in Prasar Bharati, Deputy Director General, Department of Telecommunications, Govt. Of India and Advisor Telecom with Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI). He also worked in various capacities in BSNL and in DRDO as a Scientist. He has also been the Chairman of the working group on 'Policy and Regulation for South Asian Regulators Council (SATRC) during 2011-12.

Currently, Dr. Rajkumar Upadhyay is a Governing Council Member of Telecom Standards Development Society India (TSDSI), Broadband India Forum (BIF), Telecom Export Promotion Council (TEPC) and Telecom Centre of Excellence (TCOE). He has been Chairman of TSDSI outreach Committee. He is also the member of Confederation of Indian Industry (CIIs) National committee on Electronics manufacturing and National Committee on Telecom and Broadband, member IEEE and fellow IETE. He is the Chairman of New Technology Committee of BIF, member of the TSDSI Standing Committee on Standardization & Transposition and steering committee member of the apex council formed by Govt of India for 'Bharat 6G mission'. Dr Upadhyaya is also the founding Member of esteemed 'Bharat 6G Alliance' formed for enabling India to become a leading global developer of IP, products and solutions of affordable 6G. He is also been nominated as Chair of Global Standardization Symposium (GSS) 2024.

Dr Upadhyay has published various articles in journals and magazines and has also been chairman/member of many Task Force/ Telecom committees constituted by the Govt. of India for reforms in Indian telecom ecosystem. He has delivered

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