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**Subject: Inviting nominations for participation in the committees/forums - Development Coordination Committee (DCC), DCC Sub-Committee, Manufacturers' Forum (MF) and Mandatory Testing Consultative Forum (MATCOF) - of MT Division, TEC, DoT – reg.**

Telecommunication Engineering Centre (TEC), the technical arm of the Department of Telecommunications (DoT), is entrusted with the formulation of standards for telecom equipment and telecom network in the country, with the objective to establishing state-of-the-art, seamlessly interoperable telecom networks. TEC has also been notified as the Appropriate Authority for framing standards and conformity assessment measures in accordance with the *Telecommunications (Framework to Notify Standards, Conformity Assessment and Certification) Rules, 2025*.

2. TEC follows a well-established, multi-tier and multi-stakeholder consultation process for the formulation of standards. The detailed procedures and guidelines governing this process are laid down in **TEC 05009:2025 (Procedures and Guidelines for Formulation of TEC Standards/Documents)**, available at:

<https://tec.gov.in/pdf/GRs/Revised%20Procedures%20and%20Guidelines%20Dec2025.pdf>

3. The TEC standard formulation process envisages involvement of following Committees, Groups and Forums:

**(A) Committees on Standards for Generic Requirements (GR) / Interface Requirements (IR) / Service Requirements (SR)**

**i. Development Coordination Committee (DCC):**

DCC is the apex body approved by Sr. DDG, TEC and is responsible for recommending formulation of new technical standards in the field of telecommunications and related ICT sector. DCC may also recommend the review or withdrawal of any existing standard document.

DCC comprises representatives from various stakeholders in the telecom sector, including DoT, C-DOT, LSAs, NCA-T, TCIL, ITI, NCCS, other associated Government Departments/Organization, Service Providers and Industry Associations etc. A DCC member is ordinarily from the top management of an organization (generally DDG/SAG level or equivalent in case of Government Departments/Organizations), capable of articulating the vision, plan and objective of his/her organization.

**ii. Development Coordination Committee- Subcommittee (DCC Sub-Committee):**

Each DCC has a DCC Sub-Committee for dealing with specific subject areas and to prepare TEC draft documents. DCC Sub-Committee is responsible for providing inputs to the DCC in the form of draft documents prepared based on stakeholder consultations.

It consists of working- level experts drawn from service-providers/user organizations, laboratories (NABL accredited/TEC designated), industry associations, Director level officers of DoT, TEC and other DoT Units. Any other known experts can also be nominated in the DCC Sub-Committee.

iii. **Manufacturers' Forum (MF):**

MF is a group of technical representatives of manufacturers/OEMs, suppliers, representatives of a particular telecom network element or a group of network elements/products, along with concerned members of associations and consortiums in the field of telecom. The forum is constituted for a specific network element or a system comprising of interconnected network elements as per the requirement.

MF is responsible for furnishing relevant technical information for the concerned product/equipment/interface during the formulation of TEC Standards and associated TEC Test Guides (erstwhile TSTP).

**(B) Committee on Standards for Essential Requirements (ER):**

i. **Mandatory testing Consultative Forum (MATCOF):**

MATCOF is a consultative forum constituted by TEC for the formulation, modification and review of Essential Requirements (ERs) under the Mandatory Testing and Certification of Telecommunications Equipment (MTCTE) framework. MATCOF consists of DDG(s) from other TEC Divisions/RTECs, service providers, manufacturers, testing laboratories and other relevant stakeholders from R&D and Academia, depending upon the nature of the subjects dealt.

4. These committees/forums are reconstituted from time to time to ensure effective participation and representation of various stakeholders. In this regard, MT Division, TEC, is presently in the process of reconstituting the above-mentioned committees/forums for the formulation/review/revision of standards pertaining to MT Division for the FY 2026-2027.

5. It is pertinent to mention that the MT Division formulates standards covering mobile technologies such as GSM, WCDMA, LTE, LTE-Advanced, 5G and beyond, including Base Station and Core Network elements, as well as related areas, such as SIM, SIMBOX, Lawful Interception for Mobile (LIM), etc.

6. For meaningful consultation and to adequately capture stakeholder requirements, effective participation from diverse stakeholders at various stages of the consultative process is essential. In view of the above, it is kindly requested to nominate interested officers/experts from your organization for participation in the DCC, DCC Sub-Committee, MF, and MATCOF, who are well versed in the domain and are willing to contribute in the formulation of the above categories of standards. The nominations may please be sent in the enclosed proforma at Annexure-I by **2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2026** via email to [adg-mt2.tec@gov.in](mailto:adg-mt2.tec@gov.in) , with a copy to [dir6g.tec-dot@gov.in](mailto:dir6g.tec-dot@gov.in) .

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All concerned departments/organizations and stakeholders.

**Annexure I**

**Nomination for DCC, DCC Sub-Committee, MF and MATCOF of Mobile Technologies (MT) Division, TEC**

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>Category of Standards</b>	<b>DCC</b>	<b>DCC Sub-Committee</b>	<b>MF</b>	<b>MATCOF</b>
1	Base Station (GSM, WCDMA, LTE/LTE-A, 5G)	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:
2	Core Network elements including Gateways/Network Functions for interworking with Non-3GPP Access Networks (GSM, WCDMA, LTE/LTE-A, 5G)	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:
3	SIM	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:

4	SIMBOX	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:
5	LIS/LIM	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no:	Name: Designation: Email: Contact no: