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**TRAI conducts Seminars on 'Digital India- Services and solutions' and
'Internet of Things (IOT): Bringing automation for better tomorrow'**

New Delhi, 20th September, 2018: One of the important objectives of TRAI is to safeguard consumer interests and create consumer awareness. Towards this, TRAI, inter-alia, organizes consumer outreach programmes, conducts workshops on capacity building of Consumer organizations and undertakes consumer awareness campaigns. Seminars are also organized for sharing of knowledge and experience on new technologies and services. In this series, TRAI organised two seminars on 13.09.2018 and 14.09.2018 as per details given below:

Subject	Date	Venue
Digital India- Services and solutions	13.09.2018	National Institute of Technical Teachers Training and Research (NITTTR), Chandigarh
Internet of Things (IOT) - Bringing Automation for better tomorrow	14.09.2018	Hotel- The Park, Park Street, Kolkatta

2. During the seminar on Digital India distinguished speakers spoke about various facets of Digital India and its implementation in various sectors leading to greater transparency, better facilitation and empowerment of common man. Topics like 'Introduction to Digital India', 'Digital Bharat: The Missing link', 'Digital Initiatives in the Education Sector, 'Railways E-ticketing' and Fraud Risk Management in Digital banking were covered and presented.

3. Internet of Things (IoT)/Machine to Machine communication is a fast emerging area with far-reaching technological and societal implications. It can be viewed as a global infrastructure for the information society, enabling advanced services by inter-connecting things (physical and virtual) based on



existing and evolving interoperable ICT technologies. The seminar on IOT covered topics on 'IoT basic and development trends', 'IoT sensors, devices and terminals', 'IoT application in Smart city and vehicles', 'Smart Health care, 'Industrial Manufacturing' and smart city programme of Government of India.

4. The two seminars witnessed huge participation from academia, telecom service providers, representatives from IT & Electronics industry, State Governments, Members of chambers, engineering Institutes, representatives of Consumer Advocacy Groups (CAG) registered with TRAI and general public. The seminars also had lively interactive sessions wherein participants' doubts and concerns were suitably responded to by the speakers drawn from IIT Kharagpur, other technical Institutes of eminence, state governments and Industry.

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