# 1. Director General Of Telecommunications:

The office of **Director General of Telecommunications (DGT)** is an attached office of the Department of Telecommunications (DoT) and is headed by an Apex level officer. Director General Telecommunications (DGT) is head of 36 DoT Field Units in all the 22 Licensed Service Areas located across all over the country. Headquarters of Director General Telecommunications (DGT-HQ) is in New Delhi.

The DGT-HQ monitors the work performed by 22 LSAs headed by HAG+/HAG Level offices. It is also mandated to undertake

**a.** Administrative and Establishment inspection of LSA offices.
**b.** Conducting regional and All India meeting for review and functioning of LSAs.
**c.** Implementation and monitoring of various licensing conditions of all licenses issued by DoT.
**d.** Maintenance of TARANGSANCHAR Portal to provide Electromagnetic Radiation (EMR) Information for general Public.
**e.** Giving telecom policy related Inputs to AS/CS/DS wing of DoT.
**f.** Development, Implementation, operationalisation and monitoring of different projects/schemes approved by DoT e.g  Telecom Analysis and Fraud Management and Consumer Protection (TAFCOP), Project for graphical visualisation of pan-India mobile coverage – RF Coverage portal, PM Wi-Fi Access Network Interface (PM-WANI),  AI and Facial Recognition powered Solution for Telecom SIM Subscriber Verification(ASTR),  Central Equipment Identity Register(CEIR) to curtail counterfeit mobile phone market.
**g.** Ensuring Powering of telecom towers with renewable energy.

The LSA officers represent the licensing/telegraph authority in the field.  The LSA field units play an important role as an interface between the State Government and DoT for activities such as Right of Way issues, Smart City coordination, IPv6 implementation, improving the coverage in uncovered areas, etc.  The LSA field units' also function as an interface between Law Enforcement Agencies and the TSPs in the matters related to National Security.  In addition to the above, the LSA field units play a crucial role in implementation of time synchronization across the telecom network, inspection of USOF funded sites, National Broadband Mission to provide each and every household with broadband connectivity, using telecom analytics for protecting consumers from Cyber Frauds, etc.