

## Bio-data



Digambar Jha

Chairman of Nepal Telecommunications Authority (NTA)

Kathmandu, Nepal

Mr. Digambar Jha is working as Chairman of Nepal Telecommunication Authority, since last three years.. He is a Mechanical Engineer and also graduated in Economics. Moreover, He has also completed the MSc. in Project Management.

He has worked as a government employee for more than 20 years. He was also serving as a freelance consultant in the World Bank and ADB financed projects. More specifically, he was deeply involved as a Procurement and Contract Management Expert for Irrigation, Road & Highway, Water Supply & Sanitation, and Hydropower Projects.

Before starting as chairman of NTA, he worked as Managing Director of Nepal Oil Corporation, one of the biggest corporation of Nepal. He has considerable experience and skills in project/contract management, commercialisation, business development, marketing & sales promotion, institutional strengthening, and HRD.

During his tenure as chairman, he is focusing in developing the infrastructure for expanding broadband network throughout Nepal, especially, in rural and remote areas of the country.