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Appointed as a member of the Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Jordan (TRC) board of Commissioners in September 2011 and appointed as a Vice-chairman in September 2015.

His experience extends to over 20 years of practical specialized experience in the various fields of ICT and its aspects of regulations (legal, economic /commercial and technical) and technology issues. His specialty focuses on the fields concerning the regulation of access and interconnection, numbering, licensing, and technical and technological studies, consumer protection, in addition to his experience in regulating the postal sector.

He joined the TRC in 1996, and served during his service in a number of leading managerial positions, the latest being in 2005 as Director of the Regulatory Department, whereas he has provided advice to the CEO of the TRC on all regulatory and licensing matters and recommend the necessary course of actions.

Throughout his career, he took over a variety of tasks, notably:

- Participated in the various activities, accompanied the foundation of the Telecommunications Regulatory Commission in Jordan, concerning the licensing of new services and adopting the necessary regulatory frameworks for the work of the Commission at that stage;
- Participated in the development of the regulatory framework to promote the entry of the private sector in telecommunications sector;
- Management of a number of important projects within TRC such as, the preparation of the new regulatory framework for interconnection and its application, and the revision and implementation of National Numbering Plan;
- Chaired a number of specialized working committees relating to TRC's work;
- Participated in the projects of liberalizing the telecom sector and the implementation of the new integrated licensing regime;

As a TRC representative, he participated in various committees assigned with drafting a number of draft laws, bylaws and regulations related to the ICT and Postal sectors, as well represented Jordan in several ITU meetings; specifically he had participated effectively in the following ITU meetings:

- Head of Jordan delegation for WTDC 2014.
- Head of Jordan delegation for WCIT 2011.
- Head of Jordan delegation for WTSA 2011.
- Head of Jordan delegation for ITU Plenipotentiary Conference 2010.
- Member of Jordan delegation for WTDC-10;
- Member of Jordan delegation for WTDC-06.

He is currently member of the Bureau of the Telecommunication Development Advisory Group (TDAG) of the ITU-D sector.

Eng. Al-Mashakbeh holds a Master's Degree in Digital Communication Systems & Technology from Chalmers University of Technology, Sweden, 2002. He also obtained a specialized certificate in telecommunications regulation in 1998 from City University, UK.