

Kamlesh Chandra Varshney, Whole-Time Member, SEBI



Shri Kamlesh Chandra Varshney took charge as Whole Time Member, Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) in Mumbai on 20th September, 2023. Prior to this assignment, he was Joint Secretary (Tax Policy and Legislation) in the Department of Revenue.

Shri Varshney is a 1990 batch Indian Revenue Service Officer who has worked in various capacities in the Income-tax Department and the Finance Ministry. He was the first Commissioner of the Advance Pricing Agreement and has a distinction of rolling out the APA program successfully in India. He is on the panel of tax experts of UNDP. He has worked for five years with the tax administration of Papua New Guinea, helping them with investigations and capacity building. Shri Varshney is a recipient of the Finance Minister Award for his contribution to Indian Tax policy and Vivad Se Vishwas Scheme. Shri Varshney is a sports enthusiast and loves teaching

Shri Varshney is handling various departments like Market Intermediaries Regulation and Supervision Department, Integrated Surveillance Department, Corporate Finance Department, Corporate Finance Investigation Department, Legal Affairs Department, Recovery & Refund Department and Special Enforcement Cell.

Shri Varshney is an MBA from IIM, Lucknow and is also a law graduate. He has also worked in the Merchant Navy after being trained in T.S.Rajendra.