

Shri Rajeev Topno (IAS)

Chief Commissioner, State Tax, Ahmedabad



Profile Summary

Shri Rajeev Topno is an accomplished civil servant with extensive experience in taxation, governance, and policy implementation. Serving as Chief Commissioner of State Tax, Ahmedabad, he has been pivotal in driving reforms, improving compliance mechanisms, and supporting business-friendly initiatives. He brings deep expertise in taxation, regulatory frameworks, and ease of doing business initiatives in India.

PLC 4.0 Session by Shri Rajeev Topno

Ease of Doing Business Reforms, GST, and Opportunities for Entrepreneurs.

Key Achievements

- Serves as Chief Commissioner, State Tax, Ahmedabad, overseeing GST administration and tax reforms.
- Spearheaded initiatives to simplify tax compliance and reporting for businesses, improving the ease of doing business.
- Promoted awareness and training programs for entrepreneurs on GST and regulatory opportunities.
- **Implemented technology-driven** solutions to enhance tax transparency, efficiency, and accountability.
- Recognized for contributions to policy reforms, **stakeholder engagement**, **and facilitating** entrepreneurship in the region.



Professional Expertise

- Expertise in GST administration, tax policy, regulatory reforms, and business facilitation.
- Skilled in strategic planning, process optimization, and compliance improvement.
- Known for promoting **entrepreneur-friendly reforms and capacity-building** for businesses and professionals.
- Experienced in digital tax systems, grievance redressal, and business outreach programs.

Work With DISHA Foundation / PLC (Custom Section)

- Engaged with PLC/foundation initiatives to educate entrepreneurs on GST and compliance best practices.
- Participated in programs promoting regulatory awareness, ease of doing business, and entrepreneurship development.
- Supported initiatives aimed at digital adoption, tax literacy, and building a business-friendly ecosystem.

Legacy

Shri Rajeev Topno is regarded as a **reform-oriented civil servant and a catalyst for entrepreneurial** growth and regulatory efficiency. His work in GST implementation, ease of doing business reforms, and stakeholder engagement continues to empower businesses and support India's vision of a self-reliant, thriving entrepreneurial ecosystem.