

## EION Founder Named One of 75 Jewels of India in Canada

*In the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of India's Independence Gala, out of more than 1.5 million Indo-Canadians, Maneesh Media honoured Dr. Kalai S. Kalaichelvan as a Jewel of India.*

**OTTAWA, ON & TORONTO, ON, CANADA** (April 26, 2022) — **EION Wireless**, a leading provider of wireless systems to Tier I operators, ISPs and enterprises, is pleased to announce that its Founder, Dr. Kalai S. Kalaichelvan, has been named as one of 75 Jewels of India in Canada. This honour was announced as part of the global celebrations of the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of India's independence. A coffee table book titled *Jewels of India: Leading Indo-Canadian Personalities*, was released at a gala dinner in the capital city, Ottawa, on April 23, 2022.

The publication features Dr. Kalaichelvan and 74 other leading Indo-Canadians, from academia to business and from medicine to the arts covering 17 states in India. It includes over 15 Order of Canada recipients. Over 50 of the honourees from across the country attended the gala event. The keynote address was delivered by His Excellency, Ajay Bisaria, High Commissioner of India to Canada.

Speaking on receiving this honour, Dr. Kalaichelvan commented: "I'm very honoured to have received this recognition, during this very important milestone year for India. Throughout my life in Canada, I've strived to do the best that I can as an entrepreneur to drive economic growth and to also give to the world by creating job opportunities and being active in philanthropic initiatives. I have constantly nurtured Canada-India relations through business partnerships to increase trade. I would also like to congratulate the others who received this honour as well as those who continue to work tirelessly to make our world a better place."

"I would like to congratulate Dr. Kalaichelvan and all the other honourees," said Chand Mal Kumawat, Chairman, Maneesh Media. "Dr. Kalaichelvan's contributions in the telecom sector globally and his extensive philanthropic activities continue to have a major impact both in North America and India. This greatly helps to strengthen the bonds between India and Canada," he concluded.

To read more about Kalai, please visit:

<https://pomegran.io/business-catalyst-successful-serial-entrepreneur-technology-leader/>.

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