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# Ophthalmic equipment and devices maker Appasamy names Senthil Kumar as CEO

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**With over 25 years of core experience in the ophthalmology devices sector**



Chennai-based Appasamy Associates, a leading manufacturer of ophthalmic equipment and devices, has announced the appointment of Senthil Kumar as the Chief Executive Officer & Managing Director. His appointment is effective from 15th January 2024.

Kumar brings over 25 years of core experience in the ophthalmology devices sector, across sales, marketing and technical services management. He has been a transformative growth leader throughout his career and was most recently the Head of Emerging Markets – Asia at Alcon – a global leader in eye care.

Some members of the family who have played a key role in the Appasamy journey so far will continue to be engaged with the company.

Arvind Kasthuri and Dr. Rengasamy, the promoters of Appasamy said, "We are actively looking to do more in India and globally and seek to be at the forefront of innovation. Senthil is a uniquely talented leader, with over 2 decades of experience in this industry and many achievements to his name."

Senthil Kumar, CEO & MD, Appasamy said, “A great foundation has been laid at the company over the last 40+ years to enable its evolution into a major global player. I’m thrilled to take on this new role and look forward to working with the family and the talented individuals at Appasamy to take it to new heights.”