

**RAGINDRA PERSAUD
DIRECTOR**



Ragindra Persaud is an established, seasoned and respected business tycoon in the commercial arena of Guyana. As the Chairman of Nand Persaud & Company Limited (NPC); a conglomerate of companies of different business sectors, he has weathered the transformative stages of economic development in the country and is recognized as a trusted and insightful business and community leader. In this context, he has positioned himself and his associated business, to both leverage and contribute to the development of the country.

Born and raised in British Guiana, his career started in the 1980's in the rice industry where he proceeded to build a collaborative and competitive business ecosystem that today commands a significant share of the the local and export supply chain of Guyana; from equipment supply to rice cultivation, production, packaging and export, acting as an aggregator for smaller producers.

Over the years, he has invested and pioneered niche segments from agriculture to manufacturing, communications, renewable energy and FinTech.

Ragindra's business practices are a symbol of effective local content policy development and implementation, his methods in various business ventures facilitates and encourages local engagement and ownership.

A pioneer in developing new markets, and restructuring the country's investments in stagnant business initiatives; predominantly community based, Ragindra has cultivated valuable networks in private, public and government sectors