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#### **PREFACE**

This Report for the year ended 31 March 2018 has been prepared for submission to the Governor of Goa under Article 151 of the Constitution of India.

This Report contains audit observations on matters arising from examination of the Finance Accounts and Appropriation Accounts respectively, of the State Government for the year ended 31 March 2018. Information has also been obtained from the Government of Goa, wherever necessary. It also provides an overview and status of the State Government's compliance with various financial rules, procedures and directives relating to financial reporting during the current year.

The Report containing the findings of performance audit and audit of transactions in various Departments, Statutory Corporations, Boards and Government Companies and Revenue sector are presented separately.

# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

#### **Executive Summary**

#### **Background**

Goa is situated in the western coastal region known as Konkan, bounded by Arabian sea in the west, Maharashtra in the north and Karnataka to the east and south. Goa is the smallest State in terms of geographical area (3,702 sq.km.) and has a coastline of about 131 km. Goa was incorporated as a Union Territory with Legislature in 1962. It was granted Statehood on 30 May 1987.

The decadal population growth of the State was 8.17 per cent (0.13 crore in 2001 to 0.15 crore in 2011). The density of population in the State increased from 258 persons per sq. km. to 394 persons per sq. km. in the last decade (2001-2011) as against the all India average of 382. The population below poverty line was 9.90 per cent as compared to 21.90 per cent for the Country. The State's Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) in 2017-18 at current prices was ₹ 70,267 crore.

This Report on the finances of the Government of Goa is being brought out with a view to objectively assess the financial performance of the State during 2017-18 and to provide the State Government and the State Legislature with timely inputs based on audit analysis of financial data. In order to give a perspective to the analysis, an effort has been made to compare the achievements with the targets envisaged by the State Government's Fiscal Responsibilities and Budget Management (First Amendment) Act, 2014 and budget and revised estimates of 2017-18.

#### The Report

Based on the audited accounts of the Government of Goa for the year ended March 2018, this Report provides an analytical review of the Annual Accounts of the State Government. This Report is structured in three Chapters.

**Chapter I** is based on the audit of Finance Accounts and makes an assessment of the Government's fiscal position as on 31 March 2018. It provides an insight into trends of different components of the Government's receipts, expenditure and borrowing pattern, besides giving a brief account of fiscal imbalances.

Chapter II is based on audit of Appropriation Accounts and gives a grant-by-grant description of appropriations and the manner in which the allocated resources were managed by the service delivery Departments.

Chapter III is an inventory of the Government's compliance with various reporting requirements and financial rules.

The report also compiles the data collected from various Government Departments/Organisations in support of the findings.

#### **Achievements of the State Government: A Brief Summary**

The per capita income of Goa at ₹ 4,60,467 during 2017-18 was the highest in the country, exceeding the all India average of  $\ge 1,29,800$  by  $\ge 3,30,667$ .

During 2017-18, the State achieved two of the three major fiscal targets set under the Goa Fiscal Responsibility Act, 2014 (Goa FRBM Act) i.e. (i) it is a revenue surplus State form 2014-15 onwards, and (ii) the ratio of fiscal deficit to Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) at 2.29 per cent was below the ceiling of three per cent. In respect of Debt-GSDP ratio fixed at 25 per cent by the Goa FRBM Act, 2014, the current ratio stands marginally higher at 26.40 per cent.

Revenue realisation increased by 26 per cent during 2017-18 largely on account of implementation of Goods and Services Tax in the State.

The State Government spent more on capital expenditure than the total public debt receipts, indicating not only better utilisation of borrowed funds but also use of revenue surplus for capital formation in creating productive assets. Similarly, there is an overall improvement in the ratio of revenue expenditure to capital expenditure, indicating improvement in the quality of expenditure during 2013-18.

The ratio of interest payments to revenue receipts at 11.25 per cent was less than the Fourteenth Finance Commission (FC XIV) norm of 12.04 per cent. The State Government needs to improve its Tax-GSDP ratio (6.73 per cent), which was lower than the normative assessment of FC XIV (8.31 per cent).

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#### Fiscal correction

The growth rate of GSDP was 12.72 per cent against the Fourteenth Finance Commission (FC XIV) projection of 14.52 per cent during the year.

During 2017-18, the State achieved two of the three major parameters specified by the FC XIV viz. (i) the ratio of fiscal deficit to GSDP at 2.29 per cent was lower than the norm of three per cent, and (ii) the ratio of interest payment to revenue receipt at 11.25 per cent was lower than the projected ratio of 12.04 per cent.

The third parameter of fiscal liabilities to GSDP ratio decreased from 35.34 per cent in 2013-14 to 26.40 per cent in 2017-18. This ratio of 26.40 per cent in 2017-18 was higher than the target fixed (25 per cent) in the Goa FRBM (First Amendment) Act, 2014 and 25.31 per cent projected by FC XIV.

The State continued to maintain revenue surplus during the period 2014-18. Revenue surplus during 2017-18 stood at ₹511 crore and was lower than the previous year's surplus by ₹188 crore.

(Paragraphs 1.1, 1.1.3, 1.10.1 and 1.11.1)

#### Resource mobilisation

Revenue receipts at ₹ 11,054 crore during 2017-18 increased by ₹ 1,489 crore (15.56 *per cent*) over the previous year. Though State's own taxes increased by ₹ 471 crore, the tax-GSDP ratio (6.73 *per cent*) was less than the normative assessment of 8.31 *per cent* made by FC XIV.

The growth rate of non-tax revenue (11.84 per cent) in 2017-18 over 2016-17 was almost twice the General Category States(GCS) (5.90 per cent). The share of State's own resources comprising tax and non-tax revenue to total revenue receipts was 70 per cent while the tax devolution from GoI including grants-in-aid contributed 30 per cent.

(Paragraphs 1.3, 1.3.1, 1.3.4 and 1.3.5)

#### Expenditure management

Revenue expenditure increased from ₹ 6,803 crore in 2013-14 to ₹ 10,543 crore in 2017-18. The year-wise growth of revenue expenditure fluctuated widely during the last five years and recorded its lowest growth rate of 5.30 per cent in 2016-17 and the highest of 18.91 per cent in 2017-18. The share of revenue expenditure in total expenditure decreased from 87.05 per cent in 2013-14 to 83.20 per cent in 2017-18, whereas, the share of capital expenditure in total expenditure increased from 12.90 per cent in 2013-14 to 16.53 per cent in 2017-18.

Financial assistance to local bodies and other institutions increased from ₹1,327 crore in 2016-17 to ₹1,639 crore in 2017-18. Expenditure on Subsidies (₹263 crore) constituted 2.38 *per cent* of revenue receipts.

As of 31 March 2018, the State Government invested ₹ 613 crore in Statutory Corporations, Joint Stock Companies and Co-operative Banks and Societies. The average return on investments in these Companies/Corporations was 0.27 *per cent* during 2013-18 while the Government paid an average interest ranging from 7.03 *per cent* to 7.59 *per cent* on its borrowings during the same period.

(Paragraphs 1.6.1, 1.6.2, 1.6.3 and 1.8.3)

#### Quality of expenditure

The overall development expenditure to total expenditure decreased from 70.91 *per cent* in 2013-14 to 69.00 *per cent* in 2017-18. During 2013-14 and 2017-18, the State's share of expenditure to total expenditure in Economic Services and Health and Family Welfare was better than GCS while it was lower than GCS in Education, Sports, Art and Culture.

(Paragraphs 1.7.1 and 1.7.2)

#### Transactions under reserve funds

There were eight reserve funds earmarked for specific purposes during 2017-18 of which, four funds were inoperative with a balance of ₹ 24.68 crore. The total accumulated balance in these funds as on 31 March 2018 was ₹ 1,719.77 crore of which, ₹ 847.34 crore was invested.

(*Paragraph* 1.9.3)

#### Debt sustainability

The outstanding fiscal liabilities of the State increased from ₹ 12,695 crore in 2013-14 to ₹ 18,552 crore in 2017-18. The outstanding liabilities at the end of 2017-18 comprised of internal debt (₹ 12,388 crore), loans and advances from the Central Government (₹ 1,223 crore) and other liabilities (₹ 4,941 crore).

The net availability of borrowed funds for current operations after debt redemption (principal and interest payments) increased from ₹ 101 crore in 2016-17 to ₹ 484 crore in 2017-18.

(Paragraphs 1.9.2 and 1.10.1)

#### Chapter II

#### Financial Management and Budgetary Control

During 2017-18, expenditure of ₹ 14,719.23 crore was incurred against the total grants and appropriations of ₹ 18,244.66 crore resulting in savings of ₹ 3,525.43 crore. The overall savings were the net result of savings of ₹ 4,037.39 crore, offset by an excess of ₹ 511.96 crore in three grants and one appropriation. The excess expenditure of ₹511.96 crore requires regularisation under Article 205 of the Constitution of India. Further, excess over provisions relating to previous years (2008-09 to 2016-17) amounting to ₹ 5,353.69 crore had not been regularised.

#### (*Paragraphs 2.2 and 2.3.1*)

Of the total savings of ₹ 4,037.40 crore during 2017-18, savings of ₹ 100 crore or more amounting to ₹ 1,779.77 crore (44 per cent) had occured in five grants pertaining to Municipal Administration (₹ 114.80 crore), Transport (₹ 105.42 crore), Public Works Department (₹ 837.61 crore), Finance (₹ 428.55 crore) and Electricity (₹ 293.39 crore).

(*Paragraph 2.3.2*)

#### **Chapter III**

#### **Financial Reporting**

As on 31 March 2018, 12,236 Utilisation Certificates (UCs) aggregating ₹ 1,914.70 crore for grants disbursed up to 2016-17 remained outstanding. Of 12,236 cases, 34 per cent (4,169 UCs) pertained to the Directorate of Art and Culture while 23 per cent (2,824 UCs) pertained to the Directorate of Panchayats, North Goa.

As of March 2018, 349 Detailed Contingent (DC) bills amounting to ₹ 93.22 crore drawn by various Departmental authorities on Abstract Contingent (AC) bills were pending settlement.

Pendency of UCs and DC bills for long periods was fraught with the risk of fraud and misappropriation.

#### (Paragraphs 3.1 and 3.6)

During 2017-18, expenditure aggregating ₹ 3,820.68 crore constituting 30 per cent of the total expenditure was classified under Minor Head '800-Other Expenditure'. Similarly, revenue receipts aggregating ₹ 352.80 crore constituting 3.19 per cent of total receipts were classified under Minor Head '800 – Other Receipts'. Accounting of large items of expenditure and receipts under omnibus Minor Head –800 affects transparency in financial reporting as disaggregated information on different activities of the State Government is not displayed separately in the accounts.

(Paragraph 3.5)

### CHAPTER – I

## FINANCES OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT

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#### Profile of Goa

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The State population increased from 0.13 crore in 2001 to 0.15 crore in 2011 recording a decadal growth of 8.17 *per cent*. The density of population in the State increased from 364 persons per sq. km. to 394 persons per sq. km. in the last decade from 2001 to 2011 as against the all India average of 382.

The population below the poverty line was 9.90 *per cent* as compared to 21.90 *per cent* for the Country. The State's Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) in 2017-18 at current prices was ₹ 70,267 crore<sup>1</sup>. The per capita GSDP of the State at ₹ 4,60,467 during 2017-18 was higher than the all India average of ₹ 1,29,800 during the same period. The social indicators *viz.*, literacy rate, rate of infant mortality and life expectancy were better than the all India average (**Appendix 1.1, Part A**).

#### Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP)

GSDP is the market value of all officially recognised final goods and services produced within the State in a given period of time. The growth of GSDP is an important indicator of the State economy as it indicates the standard of living of the State population. The trends in the annual growth rate of State GSDP at current prices<sup>2</sup> from 2013-18 are indicated below:

Table 1.1: Annual growth rate of GSDP at current prices

Year	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
India's GDP (₹in crore)³	11233522	12467959	13764037	15253714	16773145
Growth rate of GDP (in per	12.97	10.99	10.40	10.82	9.96
cent)					
State GSDP (₹ in crore) <sup>4</sup>	35921	47814	54785 (P)	62336 (Q)	70267(A)
(base year 2011-12)					
Growth rate of GSDP (in per	(-)5.77	33.11	14.58	13.78	12.72
cent)					

(Q) Quick estimates(P) Provisional Estimates(A) Advanced Estimates

The GSDP figures of the State grew at the rate of 12.72 per cent which was lower than the projection made in the Fourteenth Finance Commission

Advanced estimates for 2017-18 provided by Directorate of Planning, Statistics and Evaluation, Government of Goa

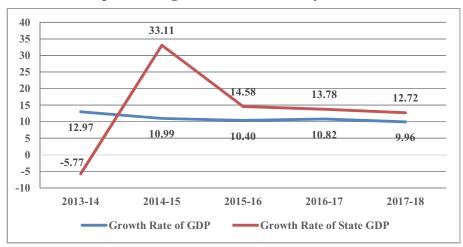
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Base year 2011-12

Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, Central Statistical Office

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Directorate of Planning and Statistical Evaluation, Government of Goa

(FC XIV) (14.52 *per cent*). Comparison of Country's GDP and State's GSDP is depicted in **Chart 1.1.** 

Chart 1.1: Comparison of growth rate of Country's GDP to State's GDP



**Chart 1.1** shows that though the annual growth rate of GSDP of the State during 2013-14 recorded a negative growth, it showed a positive trend in the subsequent years. The GSDP of the State grew at a higher pace compared to India's GDP during the period 2014-15 to 2017-18.

The sector-wise comparison of GSDP at market price by industry of origin of the State for the year 2017-18 is presented below.

Chart 1.2: Sector-wise composition of GSDP during 2017-18

Taxes and subsidies on products,

₹ 6,725, 10 %

Tertiary Sector,

₹ 23,397, 33%

Secondary Sector,

₹ 33,821, 48 %

(Source: Department of Planning, Statistics and Evaluation)

**Chart 1.2** shows that the secondary sector and tertiary sector continued to be a dominant source of GSDP and it accounted for 48 *per cent* and 33 *per cent* respectively. Out of remaining 19 *per cent*, primary sector contributed nine *per cent* and taxes and subsidies on products contributed 10 *per cent*.

#### 1.1 Introduction

This chapter provides a broad perspective on the finances of the Government of Goa during the current year and analyses critical changes in the major

fiscal aggregates relative to the previous year and the overall trends during the preceding five years. The structure of Government Accounts and the layout of the Finance Accounts are shown in **Appendix 1.1**, **Part B** and **Part C**. The methodology adopted for assessment of the fiscal position of the State is given in **Appendix 1.2**.

#### 1.1.1 Summary of Fiscal Operations in 2017-18

A summary of the State Government's fiscal transactions during 2017-18 vis- $\dot{a}$ -vis previous years (2013-18) is presented in **Table 1.2** below. Details of receipts and disbursements and the overall fiscal position during 2017-18 are given in **Appendix 1.3**.

Table 1.2: Summary of fiscal operations during 2013-14 to 2017-18

(₹in crore)

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Receipts	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Revenue receipts	6450	7689	8552	9565	11054
Tax revenue	3582	3896	3975	4261	4731
Non-tax revenue	1662	2326	2432	2712	3033
Share of Union Taxes/Duties	848	901	1924	2299	2544
Grants from Government of India	357	566	221	293	745
Capital Receipts	1310	1277	1857	1528	2013
Miscellaneous Capital Receipts	0	0	0	0	0
Recoveries of Loans and Advances	13	10	10	9	7
Public debt receipts*	1297	1267	1847	1519	2006
Appropriation from Contingency Fund	0	200	130	0	0
<b>Public Account Receipts</b>	8496	9290	10941	11128	13377
Opening Cash Balance					
a) Earmarked Balances	501	565	634	671	762
b) Cash balance	203	218	158	96	220
Total	16960	19239	22273	22987	27426

Disbursements	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Revenue expenditure	6803	7410	8420	8866	10543
General services	2076	2370	2560	2872	3517
Social services	1864	1929	2191	2266	2732
Economic services	1923	2091	2472	2403	2659
Grants-in-aid and Contributions	941	1020	1197	1325	1635
Capital Outlay	1008	1234	1622	1639	2094
Loans and Advances disbursed	4	3	3	3	34
Repayment of Public Debt*	332	366	439	468	790
Appropriation to Contingency Fund	0	200	130	0	0
<b>Public Account Disbursements</b>	8027	9233	10893	11029	12969
Closing Cash Balance					
a) Earmarked Balances	566	634	671	763	848
b) Cash balance	218	158	96	220	148
Total	16960	19239	22273	22987	27426

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State Government for the years 2013-14 to 2017-18)

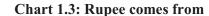
<sup>\*</sup>Excluding net transactions under ways and means advances and overdrafts

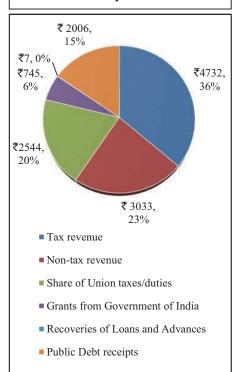
- Revenue receipts grew by ₹ 1,489 crore (15.56 per cent) over the previous year. All the components of revenue receipts showed an increasing trend during 2017-18. The grants from Government of India (GoI) increased by ₹ 452 crore (154.47 per cent), non-tax revenue by ₹ 321 crore (11.84 per cent), State's share of Union taxes by ₹ 245 crore (10.65 per cent) while State's tax revenue increased by ₹ 470 crore (11.05 per cent).
- Revenue expenditure increased by ₹ 1,677 crore (18.91 *per cent*) over the previous year mainly due to increase in expenditure on General Services by ₹ 645 crore (22.45 *per cent*), Social Services by ₹ 467 crore (20.61 *per cent*) and Economic Services by ₹ 256 crore (10.65 *per cent*). The grants-in-aid released by the State Government increased by ₹ 310 crore (23.40 *per cent*) over the previous year.
- Capital outlay increased by ₹455 crore (27.77 per cent) over the previous year and the disbursement of loans and advances also increased by ₹31 crore.
- The Public Debt receipts increased by ₹ 487 crore whereas, Public Debt repayments increased by ₹ 322 crore.
- The net Public Account receipts increased by ₹ 309 crore.

The status of other fiscal indicators *i.e.* revenue surplus, fiscal deficit and primary deficit are discussed in **paragraphs 1.1.3** and **1.11** of this Report.

### 1.1.2 Composition of sources and application of funds in the consolidated fund during 2017-18

(₹in crore)

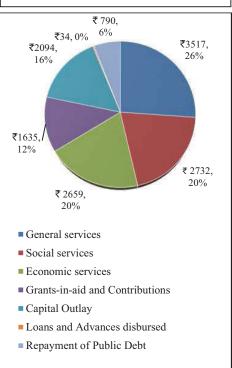




(Source: Finance Accounts of the State)

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Chart 1.4: Rupee goes to



#### 1.1.3 Review of fiscal situation

In pursuance of the recommendations of the Twelfth Finance Commission, Government of Goa enacted the Goa Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management (FRBM) Act, 2006. It came into force on 15 May 2006 to ensure prudence in fiscal management and fiscal stability by progressive elimination of revenue deficit, greater transparency in fiscal operations of the Government in a medium term fiscal framework. In compliance with the Act, Goa FRBM Rules, 2007 were introduced by the Finance Department in November 2007. The Act was amended with effect from March 2014 by passing the Goa FRBM (First Amendment) Act, 2014 in March 2014.

As per the Goa FRBM Act, 2006 and Rules, 2007, the State Government, in each financial year, was required to prepare and lay before the Legislative Assembly a Medium Term Fiscal Plan (MTFP) along with the Budget. The MTFP was to include three years rolling targets in respect of the following fiscal indicators:

- a) Revenue deficit as a percentage of total revenue receipt;
- b) Fiscal deficit as a percentage of GSDP;
- c) Outstanding total liabilities as a percentage of GSDP; and
- d) Ratio of Interest payment to total revenue receipt.

However, the State Government has not prepared MTFP and set rolling targets in respect of the fiscal indicators specified above from 2011-12 onwards.

Review of fiscal position of the State further revealed the following:

As per provision of Section 5(a) of the Goa FRBM (First Amendment) Act, 2014, the State Government was to eliminate revenue deficit<sup>5</sup> from the financial year 2014-15 and maintain at that level or generate revenue surplus thereafter. The State Government achieved this target in 2014-15 and has maintained revenue surplus since then. The budget estimates (BE), revised estimates (RE) and actual figures in respect of revenue deficit/surplus during last three years is summarised below.

Table 1.3: Revenue deficit/surplus in last three years

(₹in crore)

Revenue deficit(-)/surplus(+) as per	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Budget estimates	408	159	203
Revised estimates	(-)137	49	309
Actuals	132	699	511

(Source: Finance Accounts and Budget documents of the State)

Section 5(b) of the Goa FRBM (First Amendment) Act, 2014 envisaged achievement of fiscal deficit<sup>6</sup> at three *per cent* of GSDP by 2013-14 and thereafter to maintain the ratio or reduce it. The fiscal deficit to GSDP

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Revenue deficit = Revenue receipts - Revenue expenditure; (+) indicates surplus and (-) indicates deficit

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Fiscal deficit = Revenue deficit or revenue surplus + net capital expenditure + Net loans and advances

ratio was first brought below three *per cent* in 2014-15 and it remained so thereafter.

Table 1.4: Fiscal deficit/GSDP

	<b>Budget estimates</b>	Revised estimates	Actuals
2015-16	4.95	5.61	2.71
2016-17	5.23	4.78	1.50
2017-18	5.73	4.81	2.29

(Source: Finance Accounts and Budget documents of the State)

- The provisions of Section 5(d) of the Goa FRBM (First Amendment) Act, 2014 prescribed that total outstanding debt<sup>7</sup> to GSDP be brought down to 27 *per cent* by 31 March 2015 and thereafter maintained below 25 *per cent*. Over the period 2013-14 to 2016-17, the ratio of outstanding debt to GSDP reduced from 35.34 *per cent* to 26.99 *per cent*. In 2017-18, it showed a marginal decrease to 26.40 *per cent*.
- Against the primary deficit<sup>8</sup> of ₹2,808 crore projected in BE and ₹2,164 crore projected in RE of 2017-18, actual primary deficit stood at ₹366 crore.

#### 1.1.4 Budget estimates vis-à-vis actuals

The budget papers presented by the State Government provide estimation of revenue and expenditure for a particular fiscal year. The importance of accuracy in estimation of revenue and expenditure is widely accepted in the context of effective implementation of fiscal policies for overall economic management. Deviations from BE are indicative of non-attainment/non-optimisation of desired fiscal objectives due to various reasons, some within the control of the Government and some beyond its control. The State Government presented its RE of financial year 2017-18 along with BE of 2018-19 on 22 February 2018.

A comparison of actuals *vis-à-vis* BE and RE for the year 2017-18 is given in **Table 1.5** and detailed comparison is shown in **Appendix 1.4**.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Total outstanding debt includes public debt and public account liabilities. Public debt includes only internal debt and loans from GoI. Public account liability includes liabilities under small saving funds, GPF, reserve funds etc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Primary deficit = Fiscal deficit – Interest payments

Table 1.5: Budget estimates, revised estimates and actuals for the year 2017-18

(₹in crore)

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Fiscal parameters	Budget estimates	Revised estimates	Actuals	Difference between actuals and BE	Difference between actuals and RE
Own tax revenue	4800	4847	4732	(-)68	(-)115
Non-tax revenue	2848	2856	3033	185	177
State's share of Union taxes and duties	2551	2544	2544	(-)7	Nil
Grants-in-aid from GoI	674	674	745	71	71
Revenue receipts	10873	10921	11054	181	133
Revenue expenditure	10670	10612	10543	(-)127	(-)69
Interest payments	1276	1276	1244	(-)32	(-)32
Net Capital outlay	(-)4193	(-)3716	(-)2094	2099	1622
Net loans and advances	(-)94	(-)33	(-)27	67	06
Revenue deficit (-)/surplus (+)	203	309	511	308	202
Fiscal deficit (-)/surplus (+)	(-)4084	(-)3440	(-)1610	2474	1830
Primary deficit (-)/surplus(+)	(-)2808	(-)2164	(-)366	2442	1798

(Source: Finance Accounts and budget documents of the State)

The important parameters are analysed below.

#### Revenue receipts

Revenue receipts were higher than the BE and RE by ₹ 181 crore (1.66 per cent) and ₹ 133 crore (1.22 per cent) respectively mainly due to more collections under power, taxes on vehicles etc. However, collections under tax revenue was lower than the BE by ₹ 68 crore and RE by ₹ 115 crore mainly due to less revenue collection under Taxes on Sales, Trade etc. and Taxes on Goods and Passengers.

#### Revenue expenditure

Actual revenue expenditure was marginally less than the BE and RE by 1.19 *per cent* and 0.65 *per cent* respectively. The revenue expenditure decreased as compared to RE and BE mainly due to decline in expenditure under economic services.

#### Capital expenditure

During 2017-18, the capital expenditure was less than BE and RE by ₹ 2,099 crore (50.06 per cent) and ₹ 1,622 crore (43.65 per cent) respectively. The shortfall in capital expenditure as compared to RE was mainly under Water Supply and Sanitation (₹ 497 crore); Energy (₹ 278 crore); Public Works (₹ 217 crore); Education, Sports, Art and Culture (₹ 145 crore); Miscellaneous General Services (₹ 111 crore); and Health and Family Welfare (₹ 73 crore).

#### Deficit/surplus

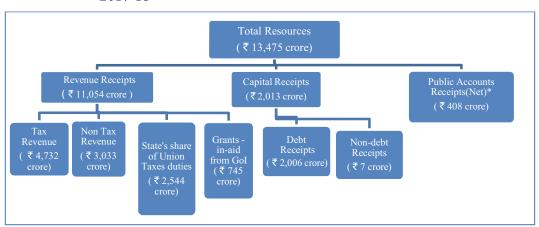
Against the projected revenue surplus of ₹ 203 crore and ₹ 309 crore in BE and RE respectively, the State had an actual revenue surplus of ₹ 511 crore. Against primary deficit of ₹ 2,808 crore and ₹ 2,164 crore as projected in BE and RE respectively, the State had primary deficit of ₹ 366 crore. In 2017-18, fiscal deficit stood at ₹ 1,610 crore which was lower than estimates in BE and RE by ₹ 2,474 crore and ₹ 1,830 crore respectively.

#### 1.2 Resources of the State

#### 1.2.1 Resources of the State as per Finance Accounts

Revenue and capital are the two streams of receipts that constitute the resources of the State Government. Revenue receipts consist of tax revenues, non-tax revenues, State's share of union taxes and duties and grants-in-aid from the GoI. Capital receipts comprise miscellaneous capital receipts such as proceeds from disinvestments, recoveries of loans and advances, debt receipts from internal sources (market loans, borrowings from financial institutions/commercial banks) and loans and advances from GoI. Besides, the funds available in the Public Accounts after disbursement is also utilised by the State Government to finance its deficits. **Table 1.2** presents the receipts and disbursements of the State during the current year as recorded in the Annual Finance Accounts. **Chart 1.5** depicts the components and sub-components of resources during the year 2017-18.

Chart 1.5: Components and sub-components of resources in 2017-18



<sup>\*</sup> Public account receipts-Public account disbursements (₹ 13377 - ₹ 12969= ₹ 408) crore

**Chart 1.6** depicts the trends of various components of receipts of the State during the period 2013-18.

**Chart 1.6: Trends in total receipts** 

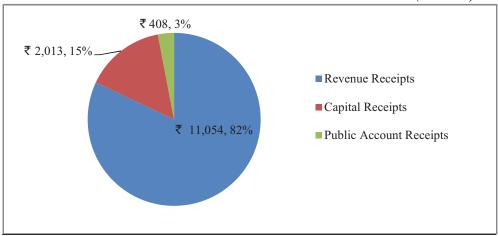
(₹in crore) 12.77 2013-14 2014-15 2015-16 2016-17 2017-18 Revenue receipts —— Capital receipts —— Total Receipts —— Public Account Receipts (Net)

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

**Chart 1.7** depicts the composition of resources of the State in total receipts during the current year 2017-18.

Chart 1.7: Composition of Receipts during 2017-18

(₹in crore)



(Source: Finance Accounts of the State)

The total receipts of the State increased from  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{\checkmark}{=}}$  8,281 crore in 2013-14 to  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{\checkmark}{=}}$  13,475 crore in 2017-18 showing an increase of 62.72 *per cent* during the last five years. During 2017-18, the total receipts increased by  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{\checkmark}{=}}$  2,283 crore (20 *per cent*) over the previous year.

The share of revenue receipts in total receipts was 82 *per cent* during 2017-18. The net public account receipts (₹ 408 crore) accounted for three *per cent* of total receipts during 2017-18.

Capital receipts increased from ₹ 1,362 crore in 2013-14 to ₹ 2,013 crore in 2017-18 with an average annual growth rate of eight *per cent* during the period and also accounted for 15 *per cent* of total receipts during 2017-18.

#### 1.3 Revenue receipts

The revenue receipts of the Government are detailed in Statement No. 14 of the Finance Accounts. Revenue receipts consist of the State's own tax and non-tax revenues, Central tax transfers and grants-in-aid from GoI. The trends of revenue receipts over the period 2013-18 are presented in **Chart 1.8** and also in **Appendix 1.5**.

(₹in crore) 2.000 2013-14 2014-15 2015-16 2016-17 2017-18 Tax and non-tax revenue Revenue receipts ——Central tax transfers Grants-in-aid

**Chart 1.8: Trends in revenue receipts** 

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

The composition of revenue receipts over the period 2013-18 are presented in **Chart 1.9.** 

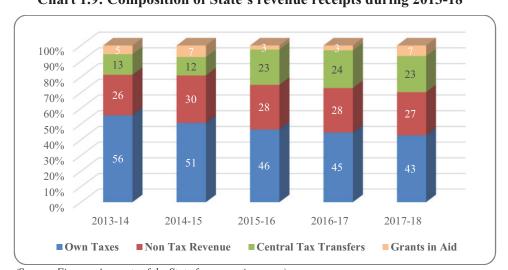


Chart 1.9: Composition of State's revenue receipts during 2013-18

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

**Chart 1.9** shows that 70 *per cent* of the revenue came from State's own resources (own tax and non-tax revenue) during 2017-18 and the remaining

30 *per cent* came from GoI in the form of State's share of taxes and grants-in-aid. The share of own tax revenue in revenue receipts decreased substantially from 56 *per cent* in 2013-14 to 43 *per cent* in 2017-18, whereas, the share of non-tax revenue ranged between 26 and 30 *per cent* during 2013-18.

During 2008-09 to 2016-17, the compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of State revenue receipts (13.28 *per cent*) was lower than growth rate (15.10 *per cent*) of general category states (GCS). The growth rate of State revenue receipts during 2017-18 (15.56 *per cent*) was higher than GCS (11.30 *per cent*) (Appendix 1.1).

#### 1.3.1 Trends of revenue receipts relative to GSDP

The trends in revenue receipts relative to GSDP at current prices are presented in **Table 1.6.** 

	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Revenue Receipts (RR) (₹in crore)	6450	7689	8552	9565	11054
Rate of growth of RR (per cent)	10.35	19.21	11.22	11.84	15.56
State's own taxes(₹in crore)	3582	3896	3975	4261	4732
Rate of growth of own taxes (per cent)	21.84	8.77	2.03	7.19	11.05
Percentage of RR to GSDP	17.96	16.08	15.61	15.34	15.73
Percentage of State's own taxes to GSDP	9.97	8.15	7.26	6.84	6.73
Percentage of State's own taxes to RR	56	51	46	45	43

Table 1.6: Trends of revenue receipts relative to GSDP

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

The revenue receipts grew at an average annual growth rate of 13.64 per cent and increased from ₹ 6,450 crore in 2013-14 to ₹ 11,054 crore in 2017-18. The annual growth rate of revenue receipts fluctuated during 2013-14 to 2017-18, ranging between a high of 19.21 per cent in 2014-15 and a low of 10.35 per cent in 2013-14. GSDP at current prices increased from ₹ 62,336 crore in 2016-17 to ₹ 70,267 crore in 2017-18, representing growth of 12.72 per cent. Revenue Receipts grew by 15.56 per cent over the previous year. Revenue receipts to GSDP ratio decreased from 17.96 per cent in 2013-14 to 15.73 per cent in 2017-18. The ratio of State's own taxes to GSDP had been continuously on a decline from 2013-14 onwards, meaning that State's own taxes have not kept pace with the rate at which the GSDP grew during 2013-18.

#### 1.3.2 Trends of buoyancy ratios

Buoyancy ratio indicates the elasticity or degree of responsiveness of a fiscal variable with respect to a given change in the base variable. The value of more than one indicates high degree of responsiveness of a fiscal variable with respect to the base variable. As GSDP grows, the ability of the Government to mobilise revenue should also increase. The trends of buoyancy of revenue receipts with respect to change in GSDP are presented in **Table 1.7**.

Table 1.7: Trends of buoyancy of revenue receipts

<b>Buoyancy ratios</b>	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Revenue buoyancy with respect to GSDP	*	0.58	0.77	0.86	1.22
State's own tax buoyancy with respect to GSDP	*	0.26	0.14	0.52	0.87
Revenue buoyancy with respect to State's own taxes	0.47	2.19	5.53	1.65	1.41

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

As can be seen from the above table, though the buoyancy of revenue receipts to GSDP was less than one during the period 2014-15 to 2016-17, it improved to 1.22 in 2017-18, indicating that revenue receipts grew at a higher rate than the growth rate of GSDP. Likewise, the State's own tax buoyancy ratio to GSDP improved from 0.52 in 2016-17 to 0.87 in 2017-18.

#### 1.3.3 State's own resources

The State's share in Central taxes and grants-in-aid are determined on the basis of recommendations of the Union Finance Commission and central assistance for Schemes. The State's performance in mobilisation of resources should be assessed in terms of its own resources comprising revenue from its own tax and non-tax sources.

The State's actual tax and non-tax receipts for the year 2017-18 *vis-a-vis* assessment made by FC XIV and BE and RE of the State Government are given in **Table 1.8** and the growth rate of tax/non-tax revenue during 2013-18 is shown in **Table 1.9**.

Table 1.8: Tax and non-tax revenue projections and actuals for 2017-18

(₹in crore)

	FC XIV projection	Budget estimates	Revised estimates	Actuals
Tax revenue	6874	4800	4847	4732
Non-tax revenue	932	2848	2856	3033

(Source: Finance Accounts 2017-18, Budget estimates, FC XIV report)

The actual tax revenue of the State in 2017-18 was lower than the projections made in the FC XIV, BE and RE. The actual tax revenue was lower than RE mainly due to less collection of Stamps and Registration Fees (₹ 71 crore) and State Goods and Services Tax (₹ 247 crore). The actual non-tax revenue was more than the BE and RE which was mainly due to increase in collections under 'Power' (₹ 300 crore).

<sup>\*</sup>GSDP growth rate in 2013-14 being negative, buoyancy ratios cannot be calculated

Table 1.9: Growth rate of tax/non-tax revenue during the period 2013-18

	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Tax revenue (₹in crore)	3582	3896	3975	4261	4732
Rate of growth (in per cent)	21.84	8.77	2.03	7.19	11.05
Non-tax revenue	1662	2326	2432	2712	3033
(₹in crore)					
Rate of growth (in per cent)	(-)9.33	39.95	4.56	11.52	11.84

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

It may be seen that the rate of growth of tax revenue during 2017-18 over previous year increased by around four *per cent*. The rate of growth of non-tax revenue increased marginally by 0.32 *per cent* over the previous year.

#### 1.3.4 Tax revenue

The main components of the State's tax revenue during 2013-14 to 2017-18 are given in **Table 1.10.** 

Table 1.10: Main components of State's tax revenue

Revenue head	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	Percentage increase (+) decrease(-)		
		(₹in crore)						
Goods and Services Tax <sup>9\$</sup>		Not Ap	plicable		1464	26.58		
Taxes on sales, trade etc.	1708	1860	2116	2438	1622	20.38		
State Excise	236	268	319	321	410	27.73		
Taxes on Vehicles	154	181	196	244	314	28.69		
Stamp duty and Registration fee	396	660	525	365	530	45.21		
Land Revenue	454	25	24	39	42	7.69		
Taxes on goods and passengers	386	404	464	454	210	(-)53.74		
Other taxes	248	498	331	400	140	(-)65.00		
Total	3582	3896	3975	4261	4732	11.05		

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

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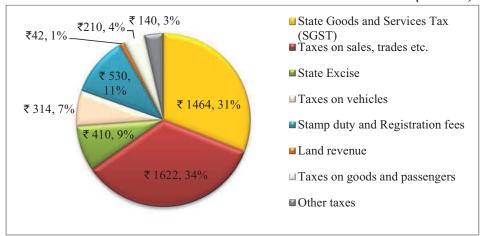
<sup>§</sup> Includes Advance apportionment from IGST and Apportionment of IGST- Transfer-in of Tax Component to SGST

<sup>9</sup> Implemented w.e.f. 01 July 2017

The components of tax revenue for the year 2017-18 are presented in **Chart 1.10.** 

Chart 1.10: Sector-wise components of tax revenue for the year 2017-18

(₹in crore)



(Source: Finance Accounts of the State)

The State's own tax revenue in 2017-18 increased by ₹ 471 crore (11.05 per cent) over the previous year. Taxes on Sales, Trade etc. and SGST accounted for nearly 34 per cent and 31 per cent of the total tax revenue. The 33 per cent decrease in receipts from Taxes on Sales, Trade etc. over the previous year was due to implementation of GST from 01 July 2017. The overall receipts from taxes subsumed¹⁰ into GST decreased by ₹ 1,321 crore (66.07 per cent) over the previous year.

State excise increased by  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{?}}$  89 crore (27.73 per cent) over the previous year, even as the collections under medicinal and toilet preparations containing alcohol, opium etc. declined by  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{?}}$  two crore as these were subsumed in SGST.

During 2017-18, own tax revenue as a percentage of GSDP (6.73 per cent) was lower than the normative assessment of FC XIV (8.31 per cent). Own Tax revenue relative to GSDP of the State at 6.73 per cent was better than the neighboring States of Maharashtra (6.70 per cent), Gujarat (5.40 per cent) and Karnataka (6.60 per cent).

#### Implementation of Goods and Services Tax

Goa implemented GST with effect from 01 July 2017. GST is levied on *intra-State* supply of goods or services (except alcohol for human consumption and five<sup>11</sup> specified petroleum products) and its components are shared by the Centre (CGST) and the State (SGST). Further, IGST is levied and collected by the Central Government on *inter-State* supply of goods and services. The IGST so collected is apportioned between the Centre and the concerned State where the goods and services are consumed.

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<sup>10</sup> Taxes on Sales, Trade etc.; entry tax; entertainment tax/luxury tax; and taxes from medicinal and toilet preparations containing alcohol, opium etc.

<sup>11</sup> Petroleum crude, High speed diesel, Motor spirit (Petrol), Natural gas and aviation turbine fuel

The GoI enacted the Goods and Services Tax (Compensation to States) Act, 2017 to compensate the States, should the share of a State falls short of the revenue earned in the pre-GST regime. The compensation was to be given by considering the base figure of revenue of a State for the year 2015-16, escalated by 14 *per cent* per annum for the next five years commencing from 01 July 2017. For the State of Goa, the audited base year (2015-16) revenue to be subsumed<sup>12</sup> by the GST regime was fixed by GoI at ₹ 2,181.38 crore. Thus, the protected revenue for Goa worked out to ₹ 2,126.19 crore<sup>13</sup> for the period 01 July 2017 to 31 March 2018.

GoI released compensation of ₹ 357.63 crore to the State in the form of grants-in-aid. The actual amount of compensation would be worked out after the amount released by GoI as provisional/advance apportionment of IGST is finally settled and the assessment of revenue on account of VAT and Central tax collected in respect of alcoholic liquor for human consumption and five specified petroleum products is completed.

During 2008-09 to 2016-17, the CAGR of tax revenue (12.22 per cent) was slower than the growth rate of GCS (14.90 per cent). Compared to 2016-17, the growth rate of own tax revenue in 2017-18 (11.05 per cent) was lower than the growth of GCS (12.20 per cent) (**Appendix 1.1**).

#### 1.3.5 Non-tax revenue

The main components of the State's non-tax revenue receipts during 2013-14 to 2017-18 are shown in **Table 1.11.** 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Taxes that have been subsumed under GST were Value Added Tax, Central Sales Tax, Entertainment Tax, Luxury Tax, Entry tax, Cesses & Surcharges, Duties on Excise on medicinal and toilet preparations excluding VAT and CST on alcohol for human consumption and five specified petroleum products

<sup>13</sup> Base year revenue of ₹ 2,181.38 crore escalated at compound rate of 14% annually for two years (2016-17 and 2017-18) worked out to ₹ 2,834.92 crore for 2017-18. Therefore, the *pro-rata* protected revenue for nine months (01 July 2017 to 31 March 2018) was ₹ 2,126.19 crore

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Pre-GST collection (from 01/04/2017 to 30/06/2017): ₹ 424.07 crore; SGST collection by State: ₹ 918.45 crore; Provisional apportionment of IGST: ₹ 450.29 crore; Advance apportionment of IGST: ₹ 95 crore. Provisional apportionment and Advance apportionment of IGST are released by GoI

Table 1.11: Main components of State's non-tax revenue

(₹ in crore)

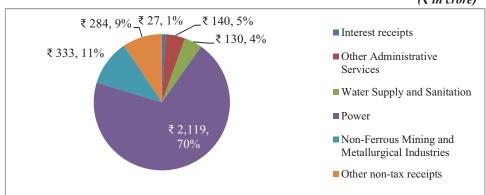
Revenue head	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	Percentage increase(+)/ decrease(-) in 2017-18 over 2016-17
Interest receipts	14	17	18	20	27	35.00
Other Administrative Services	88	123	109	152	140	(-)7.89
Water Supply and Sanitation	104	102	115	120	130	8.33
Power	1188	1322	1709	1766	2119	19.98
Non-Ferrous Mining and Metallurgical Industries	46	531	217	348	333	(-)4.31
Other non-tax receipts	221	231	264	306	284	(-)7.19
Total non-tax revenue	1661	2326	2432	2712	3033	11.84

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

During 2013-14 to 2017-18, non-tax revenue showed a continuous increase from ₹ 1,661 crore in 2013-14 to ₹ 3,033 crore in 2017-18. The components of non-tax revenue for the year 2017-18 are presented in **Chart 1.11** below.

Chart 1.11: Components of non-tax revenue

(₹in crore)



During 2008-09 to 2016-17, the CAGR of non-tax revenue (10.32 per cent) was higher than the growth rate of GCS (9.50 per cent). Compared to 2016-17, the growth rate of non-tax revenue in 2017-18 (11.84 per cent) was almost twice the growth rate of GCS (5.90 per cent) (Appendix 1.1).

#### 1.3.6 Grants-in-aid from Government of India

Details of Grants-in-aid from GoI are shown in **Table 1.12**.

Table 1.12: Grants-in-aid from Government of India

	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	Percentage increase during the year
		(	₹in crore)			
Grants for State Plan Schemes	185.88	116.55	45.21	90.95	20.47	(-)77.49
Non-Plan grants	95.60	257.23	21.19	17.16	66.20	285.78
Grants for Central Plan Schemes	6.28	40.30	28.22	26.03	23.66	(-)9.10
Grants for Centrally Sponsored Schemes	69.44	152.48	126.56	158.47	276.66	74.58
Compensation for loss of Revenue arising out of implementation of GST		Not App	357.63			
Total	357.20	566.56	221.18	292.61	744.62	154.48
Total grants as a percentage of Revenue Receipts	5.54	7.37	2.59	3.06	6.74	

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

The grants-in-aid from GoI increased by ₹ 452 crore (155 *per cent*) in 2017-18 over the previous year. This increase was mainly due to allocations for Smart City Mission (₹ 110 crore) and 'Compensation for loss of Revenue arising out of implementation of GST' (₹ 358 crore). The increase was partially offset by reduction in grants under Central Road Fund (₹ 14 crore) and National Cyclone Risk Mitigation (₹ 24 crore).

#### 1.3.7 Central tax transfers

Consequent upon acceptance of the recommendations of the FC XIV (award period 2015-16 to 2019-20) by GoI, the devolution to States with effect from 2015-16 was increased from 32 per cent to 42 per cent. The State's share in the net proceeds of Central tax and Service tax has been fixed at 0.378 per cent and 0.379 per cent respectively. The devolution of components of the State's share of Union taxes and duties from GoI during the period 2013-14 to 2017-18 is given in **Table 1.13**.

Table 1.13: Devolution of different components of Central taxes and duties from GoI

	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	Percentage of increase during the year
		(	₹in crore)			
Central GST		Not App	licable		351.48	Not Applicable
Integrated GST		Not App	257.03	Not Applicable		
Corporation tax	285.42	314.46	609.34	738.76	779.68	5.54
Taxes on income other than corporation tax	187.94	224.61	426.38	513.44	658.39	28.23
Taxes on wealth	0.78	0.90	0.10	1.69	(-)0.02	(-)101.18
Customs	138.46	145.69	307.39	317.78	187.65	(-)40.95
Union Excise duties	97.78	82.23	253.10	362.89	194.37	(-)46.44
Service tax	138.15	132.69	326.47	364.63	115.68	(-)68.27
Others taxes and duties on commodities and services	Nil	Nil	0.98	0.01	Nil	(-)100
Total share of net proceeds of tax	848.53	900.58	1923.76	2299.20	2544.26	10.66
Devolution as a percentage of revenue receipts	13.16	11.71	22.50	24.03	23.02	

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

In 2017-18, the State Government's share of Union taxes and duties increased by ₹ 245 crore over the previous year and constituted 23 *per cent* of revenue receipts.

#### 1.3.8 Grants awarded by the Fourteenth Finance Commission

The FC XIV had recommended only three types of grants-in-aid to States *viz*. local Government, disaster management and post-devolution revenue deficit. For the period 2017-18, the State received two types of grants from GoI *i.e.* grants for local Government and disaster management amounting ₹ 31.43 crore. The FC XIV did not recommend the post-devolution revenue deficit grant to the State Government, being a revenue surplus State. The details of amounts awarded and received for the year 2017-18 are shown in **Table 1.14**.

Table 1.14: Details of amounts awarded and received for the award period 2017-18

(₹in crore)

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Sl. No.	Transfers	Amount awarded	Amount received
1	Local bodies		
	General Basic Grants to Panchayati Raj Institutions	23.10	11.55
	General Performance Grants to Panchayati Raj	2.97	Nil
	General Basic Grants to Urban Local Bodies	33.76	16.88
	General Performance Grants to Urban Local Bodies	9.76	Nil
2	State Disaster Relief Fund	3	3
	Total	73.59	31.43

(Source: Information provided by Directorate of Municipal Administration and Director of Panchayats)

The local bodies received only first installment of General Basic Grants of ₹ 28.43 crore from the Central Government for the year 2017-18 due to late submission of Utilisation Certificates of previous years. Further, the local bodies also failed to meet certain conditions<sup>15</sup> prescribed by FC XIV and therefore, not eligible for General Performance Grants of ₹ 12.73 crore for the year 2017-18.

#### 1.4 Capital receipts

The capital receipts of the State include non-debt and debt receipts, whose composition is discussed in **Paragraph 1.2**. The Public debt receipt during the year (₹ 2,006 crore) comprised internal debt of ₹ 1,928 crore (96 per cent) and loans and advances from GoI ₹ 78 crore (four per cent). Market borrowings (₹ 1,800 crore) had a predominant share of 90 per cent in the total borrowings while the remaining ₹ 128 crore (six per cent) and ₹ 78 crore (four per cent) comprised of negotiated loans and loans from GoI respectively. The trends and composition of capital receipts are shown in **Table 1.15.** 

Table 1.15: Trends in growth and composition of capital receipts

(₹ in crore)

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Sources of capital receipts	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Capital receipts	1362	1277	1857	1528	2013
Public debt receipts	1349	1267	1847	1519	2006
Non-debt capital receipts	13	10	10	9	7
Consisting of					
a) Miscellaneous capital receipts	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
b) Recovery of loans and advances	13	10	10	9	7
Rate of growth of capital receipts (per cent)	(-)12.24	(-)6.24	45.42	(-)17.72	31.74
Rate of growth of GSDP(per cent)	(-)5.77	33.11	14.58	13.78	12.72
Rate of growth of public debt receipts					
(per cent)	(-)12.23	(-)6.08	45.78	(-)17.76	32.06
Rate of growth of non-debt capital receipts					
(per cent)	(-)13.33	(-)23.08	Nil	(-)10.00	(-)22.22

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

Capital receipts increased by ₹ 485 crore (31.74 per cent) from ₹ 1,528 crore in 2016-17 to ₹ 2,013 crore in 2017-18. Non-debt capital receipts registered a negative growth of 22 per cent from ₹ nine crore in 2016-17 to ₹ seven crore in 2017-18. The share of public debt receipts to capital receipts stood at 99.65 per cent in 2017-18.

The trends in public debt receipts during the last five years are shown in **Table 1.16**.

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<sup>15</sup> Completed audited annual accounts; Increase in own revenue sources; and Publishing of service level benchmarks

Table 1.16: Trends in public debt receipts

(₹in crore)

Public debt receipts	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Open market borrowings	990	800	1450	1320	1800
open market contowings	(76)	(63)	(78)	(87)	(90)
National small savings fund	50	115	165	0.00	0.00
National Sman Savings fund	(4)	(9)	(9)	(0)	(0)
Loans from other financial	107	149	121	107	128
institutions	(8)	(12)	(7)	(7)	(6)
Total internal debt	1147	1064	1736	1427	1928
Total internal dept	(88)	(84)	(94)	(94)	(96)
Loans and advances from GoI	150	203	111	92	78
Loans and advances from Got	(12)	(16)	(6)	(6)	(4)
Total public debt receipts	1297	1267	1847	1519	2006
Public debt repayments	385	366	439	468	790

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)
Figures in parenthesis indicate percentage to public debt receipts

The share of open market borrowings in public debt receipts has steadily increased in the last five years except in 2014-15. As per FC XIV recommendations, the involvement of the State in the National Small Savings Fund (NSSF) Scheme is limited solely to discharging the debt obligations already incurred by it till April 2015. During 2017-18, the amount discharged towards NSSF was ₹ 190.21 crore.

The share of internal debt in total public debt receipts increased from 88 *per cent* in 2013-14 to 96 *per cent* in 2017-18. The share of loans and advances by the GoI in public debt receipts decreased from 12 *per cent* in 2013-14 to four *per cent* in 2017-18 due to discharge of debt from previous loans and less receipt of loans from GoI.

During 2017-18, the public debt receipts increased by 32 *per cent* (₹487 crore) and public debt repayment increased by 69 *per cent* (₹322 crore), resulting in a net increase of ₹165 crore in public debt receipts over the previous year.

#### 1.5 Public account receipts

Receipts and disbursements in respect of certain transactions such as small savings, provident funds, reserve funds, deposits, suspense, remittances *etc.*, which do not form part of the consolidated fund are kept in the public account set up under Article 266(2) of the Constitution and are not subject to vote by the State Legislature. Here, the State Government acts as a banker/trustee for public money. The balances after disbursements are the funds available with the State Government for use for various activities. The net transactions under public account covering the period 2013-18 are indicated in **Table 1.17**.

Table 1.17: Net transactions under public account

(₹in crore)

Resources under various heads	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Net public account receipts					
a. Small savings, provident fund <i>etc</i> .	115	112	113	123	236
b. Reserve fund	112	128	286	169	184
c. Deposits and advances	336	110	(-)72	(-)2	177
d. Suspense and miscellaneous	(-)179	(-)180	(-)185	(-)51	(-)25
e. Remittances	85	(-)113	(-)94	(-)139	(-)164
Total	469	57	48	99	408

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for the respective years)

The net public account receipts increased from ₹99 crore in 2016-17 to ₹ 408 crore in 2017-18. The net public account receipts available for use to the State Government during 2017-18 stood at ₹ 408 crore.

#### 1.6 **Application of resources**

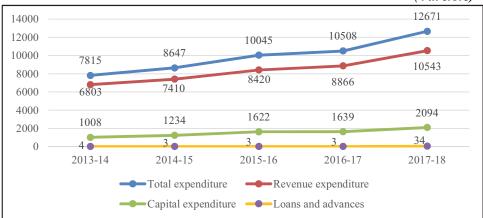
Since major expenditure responsibilities are entrusted to the State Government, allocation of expenditure at the State Government level assumes significance. Within the framework of fiscal responsibility legislations, there are budgetary constraints in raising the public expenditure financed by deficit or borrowings. It is therefore, important to ensure that the ongoing fiscal correction and consolidation process at the State level is not at the cost of expenditure, especially directed towards development and social sector.

#### 1.6.1 Total expenditure

**Chart 1.12** presents the trends in total expenditure over a period of five years (2013-18), and its composition both in terms of 'economic classification' and 'expenditure by activities' are depicted in Table 1.18 and Table 1.19 respectively.

Chart 1.12: Trends in various components of total expenditure

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(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

Total expenditure of the State increased at an average annual growth rate of 12.71 per cent during 2013-18. During 2017-18, it increased by ₹ 2,163 crore (20.58 per cent) over the previous year on account of an increase in revenue

expenditure by  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{?}}}$ 1,677 crore, capital expenditure by  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{?}}}$ 455 crore and disbursement of loans and advances by  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{?}}}$ 31 crore.

Table 1.18: Trends in total expenditure in terms of economic classification

(Share in per cent)

Components of total expenditure	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Revenue expenditure	87.05	85.69	83.82	84.37	83.20
Capital expenditure	12.90	14.27	16.15	15.60	16.53
Loans and advances	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.27

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

During 2013-18, the share of revenue expenditure to total expenditure decreased continuously, except for a marginal increase in 2016-17. The share of revenue expenditure to total expenditure in 2017-18 stood at 83.20 *per cent*. The share of capital expenditure to total expenditure increased continuously during 2013-18, except for a marginal decrease in 2016-17.

In term of activities, total expenditure could be considered as being composed of expenditure on general services including interest payments, social and economic services, grants-in-aid and loans and advances. Relative share of these components in total expenditure are indicated in the **Table 1.19**.

Table 1.19: Trends in total expenditure in terms of expenditure by activities

(Share in per cent)

	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
General Services	29.04	30.96	28.17	29.27	30.98
Social Services	26.05	25.52	25.23	25.68	26.73
Economic Services	32.82	31.70	34.65	32.41	29.12
Grants-in-aid	12.04	11.79	11.92	12.61	12.91
Loans and Advances	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.27

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

It may be seen from above that while share of general services, social services, loans and advances and grants-in-aid in total expenditure increased during 2017-18, there was a decrease in the share of economic services. Further, during 2013-18, economic services had the largest share amongst all three services. However, during 2017-18, the highest expenditure was under general services followed by economic services.

The share of loans and advances in total expenditure increased from 0.03 per cent in 2016-17 to 0.27 per cent in 2017-18. The increase was mainly on account of loans given to housing boards (₹ 32 crore).

The increase in social services expenditure during 2017-18 was mainly under Water Supply, Sanitation, Housing and Urban Development (₹ 398 crore); Education, Sports, Art and Culture (₹ 338 crore); and Health and Family Welfare (₹ 252 crore). Under general services, the increase was mainly under Pension (₹ 319 crore); Miscellaneous General Services (₹ 143 crore); Police (₹ 130 crore); and Interest Payments (₹ 96 crore). The decrease in economic services expenditure during 2017-18 was mainly under Industry and Minerals (₹ 31 crore).

#### 1.6.2 Revenue expenditure

In the context of State finances, the quality of expenditure has always been an important issue. During the current year, revenue expenditure increased by ₹ 1,677 crore (19 per cent) over 2016-17, due to increase in expenditure on general services (₹ 644 crore), social services (₹ 810 crore) and economic services (₹ 223 crore). As compared to previous year, the growth rate of general services, social services and economic services (including grants-in-aid) was 22 per cent, 24 per cent and eight per cent respectively.

The overall revenue expenditure, its rate of growth and ratio to GSDP are indicated in **Table 1.20**.

 Table 1.20:
 Revenue expenditure – basic parameters

	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Revenue expenditure (RE)	6803	7410	8420	8866	10543
(₹in crore)					
Rate of growth of RE (per cent)	12.24	8.92	13.63	5.30	18.91
RE/GSDP (per cent)	18.94	15.50	15.37	14.22	15.00

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

Revenue expenditure increased continuously from ₹ 6,803 crore in 2013-14 to ₹ 10,543 crore in 2017-18 and grew by 18.91 *per cent* (₹ 1,677 crore) during 2017-18 over the previous year. The major heads that registered increase during 2017-18 include Pension and Other Retirement Benefits (₹ 319 crore), General Education (₹ 272 crore), Power (₹ 107 crore), Medical and Public Health (₹ 228 crore) and Police (₹ 130 crore).

The growth rate of revenue expenditure fluctuated widely from 5.30 *per cent* in 2016-17 to a high of 18.91 *per cent* in 2017-18. Revenue expenditure as a *per cent* of GSDP stood at 15 *per cent* during 2017-18.

#### 1.6.3 Capital expenditure

Capital expenditure (₹ 2,094 crore) constituted 16.53 per cent of the total expenditure in 2017-18. The increase of ₹ 455 crore (27.76 per cent) in capital expenditure during 2017-18 over previous year was mainly on account of increase in expenditure on capital outlay on Water Supply, Sanitation, Housing, and Urban Development (₹ 185 crore); Health and Family Welfare (₹ 21 crore); and Transport (₹ 98 crore) offset by decrease in Energy (₹ 53 crore).

The percentage share of capital expenditure to total expenditure increased from 15.60 *per cent* in 2016-17 to 16.53 *per cent* in 2017-18. However, during the five year period 2013-18, capital expenditure increased by 107.73 *per cent*, while the total expenditure increased by 62.14 *per cent* during the same period. During 2017-18, capital expenditure ( $\mathfrak{F}$  2,094 crore) exceeded the total public debt receipts ( $\mathfrak{F}$  2,006 crore) by  $\mathfrak{F}$  88 crore.

Capital expenditure relative to GSDP of the State at 2.98 *per cent* was better than the neighboring States of Maharashtra (1.10 *per cent*), Gujarat (2.00 *per cent*) and Karnataka (2.70 *per cent*).

During 2008-09 to 2016-17, the CAGR of Capital expenditure (7.83 per cent) was lower than the growth rate of GCS (14.0 per cent). However, compared to 2016-17, the growth rate of Capital expenditure in 2017-18

(27.77 per cent) was substantially higher than the growth rate of GCS (one per cent) (Appendix 1.1).

#### 1.6.4 Subsidies

Subsidies given during the years 2013-18 are presented in **Table 1.21**.

**Table 1.21: Subsidies** 

(₹in crore)

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	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Cubaidiaa	160.15	192.55	244.21	247.90	262.66
Subsidies	(2.48)	(2.50)	(2.85)	(2.59)	(2.38)
Total revenue expenditure	6803	7410	8420	8866	10543
Revenue receipts	6450	7689	8552	9565	11054

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

(Figures in parenthesis indicate percentage w.r.t to revenue receipts)

The expenditure on subsidies increased by 5.95 *per cent* from ₹ 247.90 crore in 2016-17 to ₹ 262.66 crore in 2017-18. The major recipients of subsidy during 2017-18 were Agriculture and Allied Activities (₹ 124.58 crore) and Transport (₹ 84.67 crore). During the current year, subsidies constituted 2.38 *per cent* of revenue receipts and about 2.49 *per cent* of the total revenue expenditure.

#### 1.6.5 Committed expenditure

The committed expenditure of the State Government on revenue account mainly consists of interest payments, expenditure on salaries and wages and pensions. **Table 1.22** and **Chart 1.13** present the trends in the expenditure on these components during 2013-14 to 2017-18.

Table 1.22: Components of committed expenditure

(₹ in crore)

Components of committed expenditure	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
	1611.99	1804.25	1979.70	2132.79	2827.20*
Salaries and wages	(24.99)	(23.47)	(23.15)	(22.30)	(25.58)
Interest necessary	890.66	1007.53	1074.70	1148.03	1244.28
Interest payment	(13.81)	(13.10)	(12.57)	(12.00)	(11.26)
Pension	564.99	659.96	716.85	844.33	1163.59
Pelision	(8.76)	(8.58)	(8.38)	(8.83)	(10.53)
Total committed	3067.64	3471.74	3771.25	4125.15	5235.07
expenditure	(47.56)	(45.15)	(44.10)	(43.13)	(47.36)
Non-committed	3735.64	3938.51	4648.31	4740.83	5307.82
expenditure	(57.92)	(51.22)	(54.35)	(49.56)	(48.02)
Total revenue expenditure	6803.28	7410.25	8419.56	8865.98	10542.89
Revenue receipts	6449.77	7688.69	8552.24	9564.97	11053.52
Committed expenditure as percentage of revenue expenditure	45.09	46.85	44.79	46.53	49.65

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for the respective years) Figures in parentheses indicate percentage to Revenue Receipts

\*Salaries: ₹ 2797.65 crore + Wages: ₹ 29.55 crore

Chart 1.13: Trends of committed and non-committed expenditure during 2013-18

(₹ in crore) 6,000 5.308 5,000 4.741 3.938 3,736 4.000 2 827 3,000 2.133 1 804 2.000 1,612 ,244 / 1,164 1,148 1,000 2013-14 2014-15 2017-18 2015-16 2016-17 ■ Salaries ■ Interest Payment Expenditure on Pension ■ Non-committed expenditure

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

The committed expenditure amounted to ₹ 5,235.07 crore in 2017-18, which was 47.36 *per cent* of revenue receipts and 49.65 *per cent* of the revenue expenditure.

#### Salaries and Wages

The expenditure on salaries and wages during 2013-18 increased at an average annual growth rate of 14.56 per cent. In 2017-18, expenditure on salaries increased by 32.56 per cent over 2016-17, as compared to an increase of 7.73 per cent in 2016-17 over 2015-16. The increase in expenditure towards Administrative salary and wages was mainly under (₹ 175 crore); Education, Sports, Art and Culture (₹ 115 crore); and Health and Family Welfare (₹ 134 crore). Expenditure on salaries and wages (₹ 2,827 crore) in 2017-18 was higher by ₹ 333 crore against the projections made in RE (₹ 2,494 crore). As a percentage of revenue receipts, expenditure on salary and wages increased from 22.30 per cent in 2016-17 to 25.58 per cent in 2017-18.

#### Pension payments

The expenditure on pension payments during 2013-18 increased at an average annual growth rate of 19.39 *per cent*. There was an increase in pension payments of ₹319 crore (37.81 *per cent*) during 2017-18 over the previous year, mainly on account of implementation of seventh pay commission. Expenditure on pension in 2017-18 accounted for 10.53 *per cent* of the total revenue receipts of the State.

A comparative analysis of actual pension payments with the assessment/projection made by FC XIV shows that the actual pension payment (₹ 1,164 crore) during 2017-18 exceeded normative assessment of FC XIV (₹ 714 crore) by 63 *per cent*. Expenditure on pension and other retirement benefits to the State Government employees was 11 *per cent* of total revenue expenditure.

#### Migration to New Pension Scheme

In order to limit future pension liabilities, the State Government introduced the Defined Contribution Pension Scheme known as New Contributory Pension Scheme (NPS) for employees recruited after 05 August 2005. As per Scheme guidelines, it is mandatory for every employee to contribute 10 *per cent* of his/her basic pay and dearness allowance every month which is matched by the State Government and the entire amount is transferred to the designated fund manager through National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL)/Trustee Bank. The State Government signed (January 2010) an agreement with the NPS trust for fund management of the Scheme and adopted the Central framework for implementation of the Scheme.

During the year 2017-18, the State Government collected ₹ 120.07 crore from the employees as contribution towards NPS and also contributed an equal amount of ₹ 120.07 crore as its share towards the scheme. Further, against the total collected funds of ₹ 417.06 crore (including previous year's balance of ₹ 176.92 crore), the State Government transferred only ₹ 289.96 crore to the designated authority (NSDL) and did not transfer ₹ 127.10 crore to NSDL for further investment as per provisions of the Scheme. Thus, there was a short-transfer of ₹ 127.10 crore to the NSDL during 2017-18. The current liability of 2017-18 (₹ 127.10 crore) together with an interest liability of ₹ 11.10 crore (for late transfer) totaling ₹ 138.20 crore was discharged during 2018-19 in four installments between April and September 2018.

The Directorate of Accounts, Government of Goa stated (April 2019) that the process of developing software (in consultation with NIC) for enabling transfers to NSDL on a monthly basis had been taken up.

Recommendation 1: The State Government needs to ensure that the entire contribution (made by the employees and the Government) is transferred to NSDL in a timely manner so as to avoid interest liability on the State exchequer as well as to provide an assurance to the pensioners about the returns on their investment.

#### Interest payments

Interest payments increased at an average annual growth rate by 9.24 *per cent* from ₹891 crore in 2013-14 to ₹1,244 crore in 2017-18. During 2017-18, interest payments increased by ₹96 crore (8.36 *per cent*) over the previous year. Component-wise details of interest payments made by the State Government during 2013-18 are shown in **Table 1.23**.

Table 1.23: Component-wise details of interest payments made by the State Government during 2013-18

(₹in crore)

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Particulars	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Interest payments	891	1008	1075	1148	1244
Of which, interest payments made on					
1. Internal debt	656	749	814	907	981
i. Market loans	325	416	478	579	669
ii. National small savings fund (NSSF)	292	288	284	276	265
iii. National bank for agriculture and rural development (NABARD)	27	34	40	41	39
Loans from other financial institutions	11	9	7	5	5
Ways and means advances	Nil	1	4	4	1
Management of debt (payable to RBI for open market borrowings)	1	1	2	2	2
2. Loans from GoI	23	23	21	19	18
Deposits, small savings and PF etc.	212	236	239	222	245
i. Small savings and PF	140	148	159	156	172
ii. Deposits	72	88	80	66	73

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

Interest payments of ₹ 1,244 crore during 2017-18 constituted interest on internal debt (₹ 981 crore), loans and advances from Central Government (₹ 18 crore) and interest on small savings, PF *etc.* (₹ 245 crore).

The interest on internal debt increased by ₹ 74 crore (8.16 *per cent*) from ₹ 907 crore in 2016-17 to ₹ 981 crore in 2017-18 on account of increase in payment of interest on market loans (₹ 90 crore) offset by a decrease in payment of interest on NSSF (₹ 11 crore), NABARD (₹ two crore), ways and means advances (₹ three crore). During 2013-18, ₹ 5,366 crore had been spent on interest payments, indicating that 12.39 *per cent* of the total revenue receipts of last five years (₹ 43,310 crore) had been utilised on debt servicing.

## 1.6.6 Financial assistance by State Government to local bodies and other institutions

Financial assistance to local bodies and other institutions constituted 15.55 *per cent* of the revenue expenditure during 2017-18.

The quantum of assistance provided by way of grants and loans to local bodies and other institutions during 2017-18 relative to the previous years is presented in **Table 1.24** below.

Table 1.24: Financial assistance to local bodies and other institutions

(₹in crore)

Sl. No.	Institutions	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
1	Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs)	65.57	36.35	81.18	96.62	92.31
2	Urban Local Bodies (ULBs)	50.55	49.81	59.09	75.52	180.48
3	Public Sector Undertakings	42.49	49.79	63.43	73.65	60.25
4	Autonomous Bodies	641.53	701.83	768.23	862.18	990.41
5	Others	144.90	184.75	227.10	219.12	315.54
	Total	945.0416	1022.5317	1199.0318	1327.0919	1638.99*
	Assistance as percentage of RE	13.89	13.80	14.24	14.97	15.55

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

<sup>\*</sup> Excludes ₹3.74 crore pertaining to refund of grants-in-aid of previous years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Excludes ₹ 4.02 crore pertaining to refund of grants-in-aid of the previous years

<sup>17</sup> Excludes ₹ 2.99 crore pertaining to refund of grants-in-aid of the previous years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> Excludes ₹ 2.45 crore pertaining to refund of grants-in-aid of the previous years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> Excludes ₹ 1.79 crore pertaining to refund of grants-in-aid of the previous years

Financial assistance to local bodies and other institutions continuously increased from ₹945.04 crore in 2013-14 to ₹1,638.99 crore in 2017-18. The assistance in 2017-18 increased by 23.50 *per cent* compared to previous year. As a percentage of revenue expenditure, the assistance increased from 13.89 *per cent* in 2013-14 to 15.55 *per cent* in 2017-18.

During the year 2017-18, financial assistance given to ULBs increased by ₹ 105 crore mainly due to release of more financial assistance to Municipal Corporation and Municipal Councils.

#### 1.6.6.1 State Finance Commission

The Second State Finance Commission (SSFC) recommended (December 2007) devolution of all the 11 functions to ULBs for economic development and social justice as listed in the Goa Municipalities Act, 1968. However, only seven functions and one activity in one function have been transferred as of July 2019. In addition, the function of Urban Poverty Alleviation and the activity of Solid Waste Management under Public Health and Sanitation not recommended by SSFC have also been transferred to ULBs.

Similarly, the SSFC recommended devolution of all the 28 functions and 74 activities to Village Panchayats (VPs) and 25 functions and 47 activities to Zilla Panchayats (ZPs) for economic development and social justice as listed in Schedule I and II of the Goa Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 respectively.

The Government constituted a Committee of Group of Ministers (February 2013) to study/examine the recommendations of the SSFC on activity mapping and prepare explanatory memorandum on the recommendations of the SSFC. The report of the Committee was awaited (July 2019).

The Third State Finance Commission was constituted (January 2017); it was to submit its report within one year. The report of the commission was awaited (July 2019).

#### 1.6.6.2 Audit arrangements

The audit of ULBs and VPs is carried out by the Comptroller and Auditor General (CAG) of India under Section 14 of CAG's (Duties, Powers and Conditions of Service) Act, 1971. The Government of Goa has entrusted Technical Guidance and Supervision over accounts and audit of Local Bodies to the CAG in November 2006. By virtue of Section 194 of the Goa Panchayat Raj Act, 1994, the CAG is the sole auditor for ZPs. The audit is conducted under Section 20 (1) of the CAG's DPC Act, 1971.

#### 1.7 Quality of expenditure

The availability of better social and physical infrastructure in the State generally reflects the quality of its expenditure. The improvement in quality of expenditure basically involves three aspects *viz.*, adequacy of the expenditure, efficiency of expenditure use and its effectiveness.

#### 1.7.1 Adequacy of public expenditure

Expenditure responsibilities relating to social sector and the economic infrastructure are assigned to the State Governments as these are largely State subjects. Enhancing human development levels requires the States to step up their expenditure on key social services like education, health *etc*. Low fiscal priority is attached to a particular sector, if it is below the respective national average. **Table 1.25** shows the fiscal priority of the State with regard to aggregate expenditure, development expenditure, social sector expenditure, economic sector expenditure and capital expenditure *vis-à-vis* GCS during 2013-18.

Table 1.25: Fiscal priority of the State in 2013-14 and 2017-18

Fiscal priority by the State	Aggregate expenditure/ GSDP	Development expenditure#/ Aggregate Expenditure	Social sector expenditure / Aggregate Expenditure	Economic sector expenditure / Aggregate Expenditure	Capital expenditure / Aggregate expenditure	Education, sports, art and culture/ Aggregate expenditure	Health and family welfare/ Aggregate expenditure
General category states Average (Ratio) 2013-14	14.70	66.50	37.60	28.90	13.60	17.20	4.50
Goa's Average (Ratio) 2013-14	21.75	70.91	35.92	35.00	12.90	16.41	5.91
General Category States Average (Ratio) 2017-18	16.10	67.90	36.70	29.60	14.40	15.50	4.90
Goa's Average (Ratio) 2017-18	18.03	69.00	38.21	30.79	16.53	15.07	7.28

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for 2013-14 and 2017-18)

Analysis of the fiscal priorities of the State as shown in **Table 1.25** reveals the following:

- The ratio of Aggregate Expenditure (AE) to GSDP for Goa in 2013-14 and 2017-18 was higher as compared to GCS. This meant that Goa was spending more as a proportion of its GSDP when compared to GCS.
- Development expenditure (DE) as a proportion of AE for Goa was higher than GCS in 2013-14 and 2017-18. DE consists of both economic sector expenditure and social sector expenditure. The ratio of social sector expenditure to AE was lower in 2013-14 but improved in 2017-18 as compared to GCS. The expenditure on economic sector as a proportion of AE in the State was higher than the GCS average in 2013-14 and in 2017-18.
- Capital expenditure (CE) increases the asset creation which will generate opportunities for higher growth. In respect of CE to AE, the State improved its position during 2017-18 compared to GCS.

<sup>#</sup> Development Expenditure includes Development Revenue Expenditure, Development Capital Expenditure and Loans and Advances disbursed

- Goa's spending on Education, Sports, Art and Culture as a proportion of AE was less than GCS in 2013-14 and 2017-18.
- The State Government has given higher fiscal priority to health and family welfare during 2013-14 and 2017-18, as their ratios to AE were significantly higher than that of GCS.

#### 1.7.2 Efficiency of expenditure use

In view of the importance of public expenditure on development heads from the point of view of social and economic development, it is important for the State Governments to take appropriate expenditure rationalisation measures and lay emphasis on provision of core public<sup>20</sup> and merit goods<sup>21</sup>. Apart from improving the allocation towards development expenditure<sup>22</sup>, the efficiency of expenditure use is also reflected by the ratio of capital expenditure to AE (and/or GSDP) and proportion of revenue expenditure on operation and maintenance of the existing social and economic services. The higher the ratio of these components to AE (and/or GSDP), the better would be the quality of expenditure. **Table 1.26** presents the trends in DE relative to the AE of the State during the period 2013-18.

**Table 1.26: Development expenditure** 

(₹in crore)

Components of development expenditure	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
a) Development revenue	4727	5040	5856	5993	7026
expenditure	(60.48)	(58.28)	(58.30)	(57.03)	(55.45)
b) Development capital	815	928	1351	1435	1685
expenditure	(10.42)	(10.73)	(13.45)	(13.66)	(13.30)
c) Development loans and	0	0	0	0	32
advances	(0.00)	(0.00)	(0.00)	(0.00)	(0.25)
Development expenditure	5542	5968	7207	7428	8743
(a+b+c)	(70.91)	(69.01)	(71.75)	(70.69)	(69.00)
Total expenditure	7815	8647	10045	10508	12671

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

Figures in the parentheses indicate the percentage to total expenditure

#### Development expenditure

Development expenditure comprises revenue expenditure, capital expenditure and loans and advances on social and economic services. During 2017-18, growth rate of total expenditure was 20.58 *per cent* while the growth rate of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> Core public goods are those which all citizens enjoy in common in the sense that each individual's consumption of such goods leads to no subtractions from any other individual's consumption of those goods, e.g. enforcement of law and order, security and protection of citizen's rights, pollution free air and other environmental goods and road infrastructure etc.

<sup>21</sup> Merit goods are commodities that the public sector provides free or at subsidised rates because an individual or society should have them on the basis of some concept of need, rather than ability and willingness to pay the Government and therefore wishes to encourage their consumption. Examples of such goods include the provision of free or subsidised food for the poor to support nutrition, delivery of health services to improve quality of life and reduce morbidity, providing basic education to all, drinking water and sanitation etc.

<sup>22</sup> The expenditure data is segregated into development and non-development expenditure. All expenditure relating to Revenue Account, Capital Outlay and Loans and Advances are categorised into Social Services, Economic Services and General Services. Broadly, the Social and Economic Services constitute development expenditure, while expenditure on General Services is treated as non-development expenditure.

development expenditure was 17.70 *per cent* over the previous year. As a percentage of total expenditure, it decreased from 70.91 *per cent* during 2013-14 to 69 *per cent* during 2017-18. Of the total expenditure incurred during 2017-18, development revenue expenditure accounted for 55.45 *per cent* and development capital expenditure accounted for 13.30 *per cent*.

#### Development revenue expenditure

Development revenue expenditure increased by ₹ 1,033 crore (17.24 per cent) from ₹ 5,993 crore in 2016-17 to ₹ 7,026 crore in 2017-18. The increase was due to increase of expenditure under social services by ₹ 810 crore and economic services by ₹ 223 crore. In Social Services, the increase was mainly under sub-sectors Education, Sports and Art and Culture (₹ 325 crore) and Health and Family Welfare (₹ 230 crore).

Out of the total development revenue expenditure of ₹ 7,026 crore incurred during 2017-18, salaries and wages accounted for ₹ 1,452 crore (20.67 per cent).

#### Development capital expenditure

The development capital expenditure increased by  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{$\sim}} 250$  crore (17.42 *per cent*) from  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{$\sim}} 1,435$  crore in 2016-17 to  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{$\sim}} 1,685$  crore in 2017-18. The increase in development capital expenditure was mainly seen under Water Supply, Sanitation, Housing and Urban Development ( $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{$\sim}} 185$  crore) and Energy ( $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{$\sim}} 53$  crore).

#### Development loans and advances

Development expenditure in respect of loans and advances during 2017-18 was ₹ 32.06 crore as against the projected BE of ₹ 102 crore and RE of ₹ 42 crore for the year 2017-18.

## 1.7.2.1 Efficiency of expenditure use in select social and economic services

**Table 1.27** shows the share of capital expenditure in total expenditure and that of salaries in revenue expenditure during 2016-18 in select sub-sectors under social and economic services.

Table 1.27: Efficiency of expenditure use in select social and economic services

(in per cent)

Social/Economic Services	2016	-17	2017-	18
	Share of CE to TE in the sub-sector	Share of salaries in RE	Share of CE to TE in the sub-sector	Share of salaries in RE
Social Services (SS)				
Education, Sports, Art and Culture	6.69	25.03	6.19	26.90
Health and Family Welfare	8.84	71.37	8.72	67.71
Water supply, Sanitation, Housing and Urban Development	40.39	10.92	42.69	9.29
Total (SS)	11.43	27.93	13.60	29.26
Economic Services (ES)				
Agriculture and Allied Activities	19.07	35.28	16.86	42.95
Irrigation and Flood Control	52.72	34.88	47.53	37.13
Energy	12.45	14.65	9.19	19.53
Transport	58.64	25.04	60.33	29.34
Total (ES)	27.48	19.57	26.42	24.76
Total (SS+ES)	19.32	24.24	19.35	27.42

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for 2016-17 and 2017-18)

TE: Total expenditure in the concerned sub-sector; CE: Capital Expenditure; RE: Revenue Expenditure

The trends presented in **Table 1.27** reveal that development capital expenditure as a percentage to total expenditure in select sub-sectors showed a marginal increase from 19.32 *per cent* in 2016-17 to 19.35 *per cent* in 2017-18. The share of salaries in revenue expenditure showed an increase from 24.24 *per cent* in 2016-17 to 27.42 *per cent* in 2017-18.

The percentage of capital expenditure to total expenditure on social services in the sub-sector increased from 11.43 *per cent* in 2016-17 to 13.60 *per cent* in 2017-18. The increase was mainly seen under Water Supply, Sanitation, Housing and Urban Development. The percentage of capital expenditure to total expenditure on Economic Services in the sub-sector decreased from 27.48 *per cent* in 2016-17 to 26.42 *per cent* in 2017-18. The decrease was mainly seen under Irrigation and Flood Control and Energy.

#### 1.8 Analysis of Government expenditure and investments

The State is expected to keep its fiscal deficit (and borrowings) not only at low levels but also to meet its capital expenditure/investment (including loans and advances) requirements. In addition, instead of complete dependence on market-based resources, State Government needs to initiate measures to earn adequate returns on its investments and recover its cost of borrowed funds rather than bearing the same on its budget in the form of implicit subsidy and take requisite steps to infuse transparency in financial operations. This section presents the broad financial analysis of investments and other capital expenditure undertaken by the State Government during the current year *vis-à-vis* previous years.

#### 1.8.1 Financial results of irrigation works

The financial results in respect of irrigation works have not been worked out by the State Government. The State Government incurred an expenditure of ₹ 79.58 crore on maintenance of irrigation projects in the State during 2017-18, which was ₹ 12.64 crore more than the maintenance expenditure incurred during the previous year (₹ 66.94 crore).

#### 1.8.2 Incomplete projects

Department-wise information of incomplete projects is given in **Table 1.28**.

Table 1.28: Department-wise profile of incomplete projects

(₹in crore)

Department	Number of incomplete projects	Initial budgeted cost	Cumulative actual expenditure as on 31 March 2018
Roads, Bridges and Buildings	111	437.47	331.34
Irrigation, Water Supply and Sanitation	42	434.99	872.88
Total	153	872.46	1204.22

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State and information received from Water Resources Department)

As of 31 March 2018, there were 153 incomplete projects valuing more than ₹ one crore each on which ₹ 1,204.22 crore had already been spent. Significant time and cost escalation was noticed in Tillari Irrigation project (a joint venture of Government of Maharashtra and Government of Goa) which remained incomplete due to delay in land acquisition. The cost escalation (if any) in other projects was not provided by Directorate of Accounts in the Finance Accounts.

Recommendation 2: As delay in completion of projects entail the risk of cost escalation and denial of intended benefits to the beneficiaries, the State Government may re-evaluate the cost of all incomplete projects and evolve a mechanism for timely completion of projects.

#### 1.8.3 Investments and returns

Statement No. 19 of the Annual Finance Accounts contains the details of investments made by the State Government in Statutory Corporations, Joint Stock Companies and Co-operative Banks and Societies. As of 31 March 2018, the State Government invested ₹ 613 crore in these entities (**Table 1.29**).

The average return on investments was 0.27 per cent during 2013-18 while the State Government paid an average interest rate of 7.03 per cent to 7.59 per cent on its borrowings during the same period.

Table 1.29: Return on investment

Investment/Return/Cost of borrowings	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Investment at the end of the year (₹ in crore)	449.13	488.00	525.00	560.94	613.02
Return (₹in crore)	1.10	1.82	1.43	0.86	1.96
Return (in percentage)	0.24	0.37	0.27	0.15	0.32
Average rate of interest on Government borrowings (in percentage)	7.44	7.59	7.30	7.09	7.03
Difference between interest rate and return(in percentage)	7.20	7.22	7.03	6.94	6.71

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

The table shows that during 2013-18, the State Government's investments increased by ₹ 164 crore. The increase in investments by ₹ 52.08 crore during 2017-18 over the previous year was mainly on account of increased capital

contributions in Kadamba Transport Corporation Limited (KTCL) (₹ 13.81 crore), Konkan Railway Corporation limited (₹ 18.60 crore) and Apex Co-operative Bank (₹ 15 crore). In respect of KTCL, it was seen that its net worth eroded to the extent of (-) ₹ 118.61 crore as on 31 March 2018. However, the State Government invested ₹ 13.81 crore during the year. This should have been accounted for as a grant-in-aid rather than capital expenditure.

The State Government acquired shares totaling ₹ 3.60 lakh in Joint Stock Companies during the takeover of assets of the Hospicio Trust. The acquired shares include shares of several different companies like Associated Cement Company, M/s Mahindra and Mahindra, Hindustan Unilever Limited, Forbes Gokak Limited, Bombay Dyeing, Bombay Suburban Electricity Supply Company Limited, Wimco Limited *etc*. The State Government has not earned any return on these investments<sup>23</sup> as it has failed to get the shares acquired transferred to its name.

Recommendation 3: Since the chances of obtaining return on investment, made in Companies incurring losses and where the accumulated losses has resulted in erosion of the net-worth, are remote, the State Government should consider making future payments to these Companies in form of Grants instead of Share Capital so as to reduce the disparity in investment vis-à-vis return.

#### 1.8.4 Departmental commercial undertakings

There are two departmentally managed quasi-commercial undertakings *viz.*, the Electricity Department and the River Navigation Department in the State. **Table 1.30** depicts the Department-wise position of investments made by the State Government up to the year for which proforma accounts have been audited, net profits/loss as well as return on capital invested in these undertakings.

Table 1.30: Summarised financial Statement of departmentally managed quasi-commercial undertakings

(₹in crore)

Sl. No.	Name of the under- taking	Period of accounts audited	Amount invested by Govern- ment	Turn- over/ income	Net profit/ loss	Accumulated profit/ loss	Interest on capital	Total return	Percent- age of return on capital
1	Electricity Department	2014-15	1357.52	1245.49	(-)203.18	(-)323.13	-	(-)203.18	(-)14.97
2	River Navigation Department	2005-06	108.29	1.07	(-) 10.53	(-) 106.68	0.41	(-) 10.12	Nil

An amount of ₹ 1,465.81 crore had been invested by the State Government in the Electricity Department and the River Navigation Department (RND) at the end of the financial year up to which their accounts were finalised. As per the accounts for the year 2014-15, the Electricity Department suffered a net

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> Except for dividends received from Laxmi Mills Company Limited and Peria Karmalai Tea and Produce Company Limited during 2016-17

loss of  $\ref{203.18}$  crore against a capital investment of  $\ref{1,357.52}$  crore, thereby yielding negative return of 15 per cent.

The RND was incurring losses every year and the accumulated loss as at the end of the year 2005-06 was ₹ 106.68 crore against the total investment of ₹ 108.29 crore.

Recommendation 4: The State Government needs to review the working of the departmentally managed quasi-commercial undertakings so as to wipe out their losses in the short run and to make them self-sustaining in the medium to long-term.

#### 1.8.5 Loans and advances by State Government

In addition to investments in Co-operative Societies, Corporations and Companies, the State Government has also been providing loans and advances to many of these institutions/organisations. **Table 1.31** presents the outstanding loans and advances as on 31 March 2018, interest receipts *vis-à-vis* interest payments during the last three years.

Table 1.31: Average interest received on loans and advances given by the State Government

(₹in crore)

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Quantum of loans/interest receipts/cost of borrowings	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Opening Balance	83.65	76.14	71.03
Amount advanced during the year	2.69	3.41	33.93
Amount repaid during the year	10.20	8.52	7.15
Closing Balance	76.14	71.03	97.81
of which, Outstanding balance for which terms and	-	-	-
conditions have been settled			
Net addition	(-)7.51	(-)5.11	26.78
Interest Receipts	2.58	2.30	1.79
Interest receipts as <i>per cent</i> to average of outstanding	3.22	3.12	2.12
Loans and advances			
Interest payments as per cent to outstanding fiscal	6.90	6.82	6.71
liabilities of the State Government			
Difference between interest payments and interest	(-)3.68	(-)3.70	(-)4.59
receipts (per cent)			

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

The total amount of outstanding loans and advances increased from ₹ 76.14 crore in 2016-17 to ₹ 97.81 crore in 2017-18. Loans advanced during the year increased from ₹ 3.41 crore in 2016-17 to ₹ 33.93 crore in 2017-18 mainly on account of loans and advances (₹ 32.00 crore) disbursed to Housing Boards in the State and ₹ 1.87 crore to Government Servants for purchase of motor conveyances and computers. The average interest earned by the State on loans decreased from 3.22 per cent to 2.12 per cent during 2015-18 while the State Government paid an average interest of 6.71 per cent to 6.90 per cent on its borrowings.

Interest spread on Government borrowings was negative during the period 2015-18 which indicated that the State borrowings were more expensive than the loans advanced by it.

#### 1.8.6 Cash balances and investment of cash balances

**Table 1.32** depicts the cash balances and investments made by the State Government out of cash balances during the year.

Table 1.32: Cash balances and investment of cash balances

(₹in crore)

			(X in crore)
	Opening balance on	Closing balance on	Increase(+)/ Decrease (-)
	1 April 2017	31 March 2018	
(a) General Cash Balance		2010	ı
Cash in Treasuries	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deposits with Reserve Bank	(-)126.49	(-)6.51	119.98
Remittances in transit - Local	0.00	0.00	0.00
Investments held in cash balance investment account	344.25	153.16	(-)191.09
Total (a)	217.76	146.65	(-)71.11
(b) Other cash balances and investments			
Cash with departmental officers <i>viz.</i> , Public Works Department Officers, Forest Department Officers, District Collectors <i>etc.</i>	1.48	1.48	0.00
Permanent advances for contingent expenditure with departmental officers	0.29	0.30	0.01
Investment of earmarked funds	762.67	847.34	84.67
Total (b)	764.44	849.12	84.68
Grand total (a)+ (b)	982.20	995.77	13.57
Interest realised	3.78	8.99	5.21

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State)

The State Government's cash balances of  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{\checkmark}}$  996 crore at the end of the current year showed an increase of  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{\checkmark}}$  13.57 crore (1.38 *per cent*) over the previous year. During the year, the State Government invested  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{\checkmark}}$  153 crore in GoI Treasury Bills which earned an interest of  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{\checkmark}}$  8.99 crore. Further,  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{\checkmark}}$  847 crore was invested in earmarked/reserve funds which earned an interest of  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{\checkmark}}$  54.67 crore<sup>24</sup> during the year. The transactions under earmarked/reserve funds are discussed in **Paragraph 1.9.3**.

There was also an outstanding balance under 'Cheques and Bills' amounting to ₹ 15.15 crore. Hence, the resultant effective cash balance of the State Government as on 31 March 2018 was ₹ 133.28 crore<sup>25</sup> which was 1.05 *per cent* of the total expenditure of the State Government (₹ 12,671 crore) during the year.

During 2017-18, the State Government obtained ways and means advances on 88 occasions totaling ₹ 1,155.07 crore. This was repaid to RBI during the year. The State Government paid ₹ 0.80 crore as interest on these ways and means advances. No overdrafts were availed of by the State Government during the year.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> State Disaster Response Fund: ₹ 2.19 crore; Consolidated Sinking Fund: ₹ 35.53 crore; Guarantee Redemption Fund: ₹ 16.95 crore

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> Cash balance (₹ 995.77 crore)- Investment in earmarked funds (₹ 847.34 crore)- Outstanding balance under 'Cheques and bills' (₹ 15.15 crore)

#### 1.8.7 Outstanding balances under the head 'Cheques and Bills'

The Major Head-8670-Cheques and Bills is an intermediary account head for initial record of transactions representing the amount of un-encashed cheques which are to be cleared eventually. As on 31 March 2018, there was an outstanding balance of ₹ 15.15 crore under this Major Head. The outstanding balance in the current year reduced by ₹ 24.47 crore compared to the previous year.

#### 1.9 Assets and Liabilities

#### 1.9.1 Growth and composition of assets and liabilities

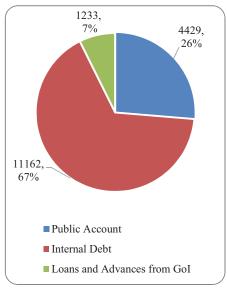
In the existing Government accounting system, comprehensive accounting of fixed assets like land and buildings owned by the Government is not done. However, the Government accounts do capture the financial liabilities of the Government and the assets created out of the expenditure incurred. **Appendix 1.3, Part B** gives an abstract of such liabilities and the assets as on 31 March 2018, compared with the corresponding position as on 31 March 2017. While the liabilities consist mainly of internal borrowings, loans and advances from the GoI, receipts from the public account and reserve funds, the assets mainly comprise the capital outlay and loans and advances given by the State Government and cash balances.

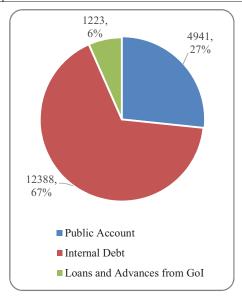
#### 1.9.2 Fiscal liabilities

The composition of fiscal liabilities<sup>26</sup> during 2017-18 vis- $\dot{a}$ -vis the previous year is presented in **Charts 1.14 and 1.15**.

**Chart 1.14:** Composition of outstanding fiscal liabilities as on 31 March 2017

**Chart 1.15:** Composition of outstanding fiscal liabilities as on 31 March 2018





(Source: Finance Accounts of the State)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> Internal debt (market loans, loans from NSSF, ways and means advances and loans from other financial institutions), loans and advances from GoI, liabilities arising from the transactions in the Public Account of the State

**Chart 1.15** shows that the outstanding fiscal liabilities of the State Government at the end of financial year 2017-18 (₹ 18,552 crore) comprised internal debt of ₹ 12,388 crore (67 *per cent*), public account of ₹ 4,941 crore (27 *per cent*) and loans and advances from GoI of ₹ 1,223 crore (six *per cent*). The internal debt largely comprised of market loans (₹ 9,160 crore), special securities issued to NSSF (₹ 2,540 crore) and NABARD (₹ 620 crore).

The trends in fiscal liabilities related to GSDP, revenue receipts and own resources are shown in **Table 1.33**.

	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Fiscal liabilities (₹in crore)	12695	13877	15575	16824	18552
Rate of growth (per cent)	13.03	9.31	12.24	8.02	10.27
Ratio of fiscal liabilities to:					
GSDP (per cent)	35.34	29.02	28.43	26.99	26.40
Revenue receipts (per cent)	196.82	180.48	182.12	175.89	167.83
Own resources (per cent)	242.09	223.03	243.09	241.27	238.93
Buoyancy of fiscal liabilities to					
GSDP (ratio)	*	0.28	0.84	0.58	0.81
Revenue receipts (ratio)	1.25	0.48	1.09	0.68	0.66
Own resources (ratio)	1.32	0.50	4.12	0.91	0.90

Table 1.33: Fiscal liabilities – basic parameters

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

**Table 1.33** shows that the overall fiscal liabilities of the State increased by 10.27 *per cent* from ₹ 12,695 crore in 2013-14 to ₹ 18,552 crore at the end of 2017-18. Over a period of five years, the ratio of fiscal liabilities to GSDP reduced from 35.34 *per cent* in 2013-14 to 26.40 *per cent* in 2017-18. This was only marginally higher than the target fixed (25 *per cent*) in the Goa FRBM (First Amendment) Act, 2014 and 25.31 *per cent* projected by FC XIV. The fiscal liabilities were nearly 1.68 times the revenue receipts and more than twice the State's own resources during 2017-18.

#### 1.9.3 Transactions under reserve funds

There were eight reserve funds earmarked for specific purposes during 2017-18 of which, four funds were inoperative with a balance of ₹ 24.68 crore. The total accumulated balance in these funds as on 31 March 2018 was ₹ 1,719.77 crore of which, ₹ 847.34 crore was invested. Transactions under reserve fund during 2017-18 are shown in **Appendix 1.6**. An account of these funds is included in Statement No. 22 of Finance Accounts 2017-18.

Recommendation 5: The State Government may review the inoperative reserve funds and take necessary action to close these inoperative reserve funds.

#### 1.9.3.1 State disaster response fund

As per recommendation of the Thirteenth Finance Commission, the State Government had been operating the 'State disaster response fund' with effect from 2010-11. In terms of GoI guidelines (September 2010), the Central and

<sup>\*</sup>Growth rate of GSDP being negative for 2013-14, buoyancy cannot be calculated

State Governments were required to contribute to the fund in the ratio of 75:25.

As on 01 April 2017, the fund had an opening balance of  $\gtrless$  40.39 crore. During 2017-18, the State Government transferred  $\gtrless$  6.19 crore (Central share:  $\gtrless$  three crore, State share:  $\gtrless$  one crore and interest:  $\gtrless$  2.19 crore) to the fund. Of the total available balance of  $\gtrless$  46.58 crore, an expenditure of  $\gtrless$  0.42 crore was incurred during the year, leaving a balance of  $\gtrless$  46.16 crore in the fund at the end of March 2018. Out of  $\gtrless$  46.16 crore, the Government invested  $\gtrless$  27.89 crore during the year and the remaining  $\gtrless$  18.27 crore was held in cash.

#### 1.9.3.2 Consolidated sinking fund

The State Government constituted a consolidated sinking fund from 1999-2000 for amortisation of outstanding liabilities. The Scheme for 'Constitution and Administration of the Consolidated Sinking Fund of Government of Goa' notified on 17 December 2009 provided for a minimum annual contribution by the State Government at 0.5 *per cent* of the outstanding liabilities at the end of the previous financial year.

The fund had an opening balance of ₹ 491.01 crore on 01 April 2017. The State Government made a contribution ₹ 20 crore to the fund during 2017-18. Interest credited to the fund during the year was ₹ 35.53 crore. The fund had a balance of ₹ 546.54 crore as on 31 March 2018.

#### 1.9.4 Contingent liabilities

#### Status of guarantees

Guarantees are liabilities contingent on the Consolidated Fund of the State in cases of defaults by borrowers for whom guarantees have been extended by the State Government. The maximum amount for which guarantees were given by the State Government and outstanding guarantees for the last three years is given in **Table 1.34**.

Table 1.34: Guarantees given by the Government of Goa

(₹in crore)

			(Vin Crore)
Guarantees	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Ceiling limit on Government guarantees	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00
Maximum amount guaranteed	712.65	932.01	961.75
Outstanding amount of guarantees	622.55	841.91	740.94
Percentage of outstanding amount of guarantees to total revenue receipts	7.28	8.80	6.70

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

The Goa Legislature fixed (September 2015) a limit of ₹ 1,500 crore on the outstanding guarantees. The outstanding guarantees at ₹ 741 crore during 2017-18 were well within the ceiling limit specified by the Legislature. Of the total outstanding guarantees of ₹ 741 crore, ₹ 372 crore (50.20 per cent) pertained to Goa State Infrastructure Development Corporation, and ₹ 69 crore (9.31 per cent) pertained to Sewage and Infrastructure Development Corporation. The outstanding guarantees accounted for 6.70 per cent of the total revenue receipts of the State Government

(₹ 11,054 crore). The State Government has exempted the borrowing institutions from the payment of guarantee fee.

The State Government set up a guarantee redemption fund during 2003-04 with the objective of meeting payment obligations arising out of guarantees issued by it. At the beginning of the year, ₹ 245.96 crore was available in the fund. With contribution of ₹ 10 crore and interest received on the investment at the end of the year (₹ 16.95 crore), the closing balance in the fund was ₹ 272.91 crore. The entire balance of ₹ 272.91 crore was reinvested in Government securities. During 2017-18, no amount was paid by the State Government on account of invocation of guarantees.

#### 1.10 Debt management

#### 1.10.1 Debt sustainability

Debt sustainability implies State's ability to service the debt in future. Apart from the magnitude of debt of the State Government, it is important to analyse various indicators that determine the debt sustainability of the State. Analysis of various debt sustainability indicators for the period from 2013-14 to 2017-18 is given in **Table 1.35**.

Table 1.35: Debt Sustainability: Indicators and trends

(₹in crore)

Indicators of debt sustainability	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Interest Payment	891	1008	1075	1148	1244
Burden of interest payment in <i>per cent</i> (IP/RR)	13.81	13.11	12.58	12.00	11.25
Debt repayment	880	2075	3595	3183	2888
Debt receipts	2343	3257	5293	4432	4616
Net debt available to the State	572	174	623	101	484

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for the respective years)

#### Net availability of borrowed funds

Net availability of borrowed funds is defined as the ratio of the debt redemption (principal and interest payments) to total debt receipts and indicates the extent to which the debt receipts were used for redemption of old debts. During 2017-18, net availability of borrowed funds increased from ₹ 101 crore in 2016-17 to ₹ 484 crore in 2017-18.

#### Interest burden

The ratio of interest payments to revenue receipts is one of the indicators that determine the debt sustainability of the State. The ratio of interest payments to revenue receipts, during the year 2017-18 was 11.25 *per cent*. This was less than the projected ratio (12.04 *per cent*) prescribed by the FC XIV.

#### Servicing of Public Debt

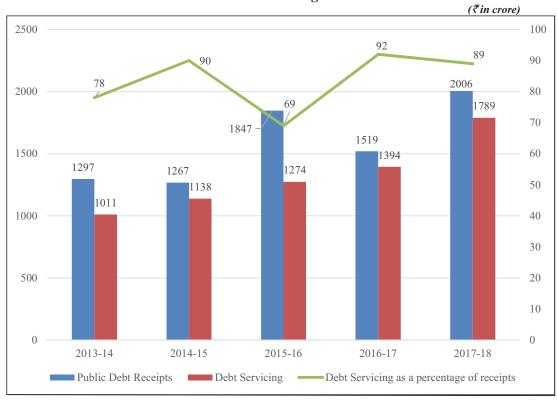
The interest payment and repayment of principal on public debt for the period from 2013-14 to 2017-18 is given in **Table 1.36**.

Table 1.36: Servicing of Public Debt

(₹in crore) **Public Debt Debt servicing** Repayment of (Repayment of principal **Public Debt Receipts** Interest payment Principal + interest payment) As a Period percent-Loans Loans Loans Loans age of Internal Internal Internal Internal Total Total Total Total from from from from receipts debt debt debt debt GoI GoI 150 1147 1297 26 23 2013-14 306 332 656 679 962 49 1011 78 2014-15 1064 203 1267 338 28 366 749 23 772 1087 51 1138 90 2015-16 1736 111 1847 412 27 439 814 21 835 1226 48 69 1274 2016-17 1427 27 907 19 1348 92 441 1519 468 926 92 46 1394 2017-18 1928 78 2006 702 88 790 981 18 999 1683 106 1789 89 Total 7936 2395 4211 6606 83

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for the respective years)

Chart 1.16: Servicing of Public debt



It can be seen from **Table 1.36** and **Chart 1.16** that during 2013-18, 78 per cent to 92 per cent of the public debt receipts were used for debt servicing. In 2017-18, the debt servicing out of public debt receipts was 89 per cent as against 92 per cent in 2016-17. Thus, the average expenditure on debt servicing during 2013-18 was ₹ 1,321 crore which accounted for 83 per cent of average public debt receipts (₹ 1,587 crore) during the same period, implying that a larger percentage of debt was being used for debt servicing. This also indicated that a very insignificant portion of the debt was available for meeting developmental expenditure to promote growth. However, increase in public account balances provides the other source to meet the deficit.

#### 1.10.2 Debt maturity profile

Of the total outstanding liabilities of  $\stackrel{?}{\underset{?}{?}}$  18,552 crore as at the close of 2017-18,  $\stackrel{?}{\underset{?}{?}}$  4,941 crore pertained to 'Other Liabilities'. The maturity profile of the remaining public debt ( $\stackrel{?}{\underset{?}{?}}$  13,611 crore) is shown in **Table 1.37** and **Chart 1.17**.

Table 1.37: Maturity profile of State debt

Maturity Profile (in years)	Amount (₹ in crore)	Per cent
0 – 1	887.53	6.52
1 – 3	1676.06	12.31
3 – 5	2125.89	15.62
5 – 7	2403.93	17.66
7 and above	6426.39	47.22
Loans pertaining to Ex-Union Territory	91.30	0.67
Total	13611.10	100

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State)

Chart 1.17: Maturity profile of the State debt

(₹in crore) 6426 7000 6000 5000 4000 2404 2126 3000 1676 2000 888 1000 7 years and above 0-1 year 1-3 year 3-5 year 5-7 year (2023-25)(2018-19)(2019-21)(2021-23)(2025-26 and beyond)

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State)

The maturity profile of the State debt indicates that the liability of the State to repay the debt during the periods 2018-19, 2019-21 and 2021-23 would be ₹888 crore, ₹1,676 crore and ₹2,126 crore respectively, which may put a strain on the Government budget during that period. Further, ₹7,093.41 crore *i.e.* 52.11 *per cent* of the total public debt would be repayable within the next seven years. Therefore, the State Government would have to work out a well-thought out borrowing-repayment strategy to avoid falling into a debt trap.

Recommendation 6: The State Government may consider developing a debt sustainability framework for achieving improved long-term sustainability in fiscal deficit management and to guide the borrowing decisions of the State in a way that matches their financing needs with current and prospective repayment.

#### 1.11 Fiscal Imbalances

Three key fiscal parameters *viz.*, 'revenue, fiscal and primary deficits' indicate the extent of overall fiscal imbalances in the finances of the State Government during a specified period. The deficit in the Government

accounts represents the gap between its receipts and expenditure. The nature of deficit is an indicator of the prudence of fiscal management of the Government. Further, the ways in which the deficits are financed and the resources raised and applied are important pointers to its fiscal health. This section presents the trends, nature, magnitude and the manner of financing these deficits and also the assessment of actual levels of revenue and fiscal deficits vis-à-vis the targets set under Goa FRBM (First Amendment) Act, 2014.

#### 1.11.1 Trends in deficits

Chart 1.18 presents the trends in deficit indicators over the period 2013-18.

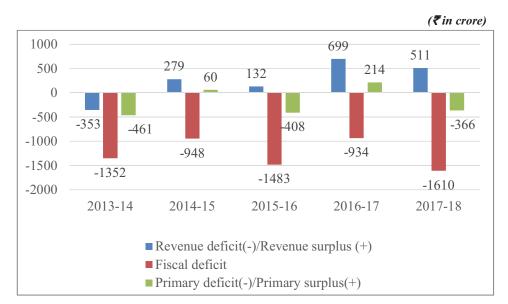


Chart 1.18: Trends in deficit indicators

The revenue surplus of ₹ 132 crore in 2015-16 increased to ₹ 699 crore in 2016-17 and decreased to ₹ 511 crore during 2017-18. The decrease in revenue surplus during the current year was on account of increase of ₹ 1,677 crore (18.91 *per cent*) in the revenue expenditure against increase of ₹ 1,489 crore (15.56 *per cent*) in revenue receipts.

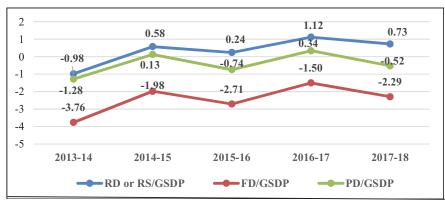
Fiscal deficit normally represents the net incremental liabilities of the Government or its additional borrowings. The shortfall could be met either by additional public debt (internal or external) or by the use of surplus funds from Public Account. The fiscal deficit showed a fluctuating trend during the last five years. It declined from ₹ 1,352 crore in 2013-14 to ₹ 948 crore in 2014-15. Thereafter, the fiscal deficit increased to ₹ 1,483 crore in 2015-16 and again decreased to ₹ 934 crore in 2016-17. During 2017-18, the fiscal deficit (₹ 1,610 crore) increased by ₹ 676 crore (72.38 per cent) over the previous year on account of increase in capital expenditure by ₹ 455 crore, net loans and advances by ₹ 33 crore and decrease in revenue surplus by ₹ 188 crore.

However, the fiscal deficit as a percentage of GSDP (2.29 per cent) in the current year was within the limit of three per cent fixed by the Goa FRBM (First Amendment) Act, 2014 and the FC XIV.

An increase of  $\stackrel{?}{\underset{?}{?}}$  676 crore in fiscal deficit during 2017-18 together with an increase of  $\stackrel{?}{\underset{?}{?}}$  96 crore in interest payment over the previous year turned the primary surplus of  $\stackrel{?}{\underset{?}{?}}$  214 crore in 2016-17 to primary deficit of  $\stackrel{?}{\underset{?}{?}}$  366 crore in 2017-18.

Chart 1.19 shows the trends in deficit indicators related to GSDP.

Chart 1.19: Trends in deficit indicators relative to GSDP



(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

RD: Revenue deficit; RS: Revenue surplus; FD: Fiscal deficit; PD: Primary deficit

#### 1.11.2 Composition of fiscal deficit and its financing pattern

The financing pattern of fiscal deficit during 2013-18 is reflected in **Table 1.38**.

Table 1.38: Components of fiscal deficit and its financing pattern

(₹in crore)

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	Particulars	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Compo	osition of fiscal deficit*	(-)1352	(-)948	(-)1483	(-)934	(-)1610
1	Revenue deficit(-)/surplus(+)	(-)353	279	132	699	511
2	Net capital expenditure <sup>27</sup>	(-)1008	(-)1234	(-)1622	(-)1639	(-)2094
3	Net loans and advances	9	7	7	6	(-)27
Financ	ing pattern of fiscal deficit*					
1	Market borrowings	881	667	1285	1171	1400
2	Special securities issued to NSSF	(-)83	(-)15	11	(-)194	(-)190
3	Loans from financial institutions	41	74	28	9	16
4	Loans from GoI	124	175	84	65	(-)10
5	Small savings, PF etc.	115	112	113	122	236
6	Deposits and advances	336	110	(-)72	(-)2	177
7	Suspense and miscellaneous	(-)179	(-)180	(-)186	(-)51	(-)25
8	Remittances	86	(-)114	(-)93	(-)139	(-)164
9	Reserve fund	111	128	286	169	184
10	Contingency fund	(-)1	-	-	-	-
11	Total (1 to 10)	1431	957	1456	1150	1624
12	Increase(+)/Decrease(-) in cash	79	9	(-)27	216	14

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State Government for respective years)

<sup>\*</sup>Figures are net of disbursements/outflows during the year

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> Net capital expenditure is the total of miscellaneous capital receipts minus capital expenditure

**Table 1.38** reveals that during the last five years, market borrowings and net accretions to Public Account (small savings, reserve fund *etc.*) had been the main sources utilised by the State Government to finance fiscal deficit. During 2017-18, net market borrowings (₹ 1,400 crore) and net accretions to small savings, PF *etc.* (₹ 236 crore) were used for bridging the fiscal deficit of the State.

During 2017-18, the State Government raised ₹ 1,800 crore as market loans at an average rate of 7.70 *per cent*, ₹ 128 crore from NABARD at 4.78 *per cent*. The State Government also received loans amounting to ₹ 78 crore from GoI during the year for externally aided projects.

#### Quality of deficit/surplus

The ratio of revenue deficit to fiscal deficit and the bifurcation of primary deficit into primary revenue deficit and capital expenditure (including loans and advances) indicate the quality of deficit in the State's finances. The ratio of revenue deficit to fiscal deficit indicates the extent to which borrowed funds were used for current consumption. Persistent high ratio of revenue deficit to fiscal deficit indicates that the asset base of the State is continuously shrinking and a part of the borrowings (fiscal liabilities) did not have adequate assets backup.

The bifurcation of the primary deficit (**Table 1.39**) indicated the extent to which the deficit was on account of increase in capital expenditure, which may be desirable to improve the productive capacity of the State's economy.

Table 1.39: Primary deficit/surplus – bifurcation of factors

(₹in crore)

Year	Non- debt receipts	Primary revenue expenditure	Capital expen- diture	Loans and advances disbursed	Primary expend- iture	Primary revenue deficit(-)/ surplus(+)	Primary deficit (-)/ surplus (+)
1	2	3	4	5	6(3+4+5)	7(2-3)	8(2-6)
2013-14	6463	5912	1008	4	6924	551	(-)461
2014-15	7699	6402	1234	3	7639	1297	60
2015-16	8562	7345	1622	3	8970	1217	(-)408
2016-17	9574	7718	1639	3	9360	1856	214
2017-18	11061	9299	2094	34	11427	1762	(-)366

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

Non-debt receipts of the State were sufficient to meet the primary expenditure requirements under revenue account. During 2013-14, 2015-16 and 2017-18, non-debt receipts were insufficient to meet the primary expenditure resulting in primary deficit. However, during 2014-15 and 2016-17, incremental non-debt receipts were sufficient to meet the primary expenditure resulting in primary surplus in these two years.

#### 1.12 Follow up

The State Finances Audit Report is being presented to the State Legislature from 2008-09 onwards. The Public Accounts Committee (PAC) discussed the paragraphs from the State Finances Audit Reports for the years 2008-09 and 2009-10, and recommendations of the PAC have been issued for these Reports.

# CHAPTER – II

# FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AND BUDGETARY CONTROL

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#### 2.1 Introduction

- **2.1.1** Appropriation accounts are the accounts of expenditure of the Government for each financial year, compared with the amounts of the grants voted and appropriations charged for different purposes as specified in the schedules appended to the Appropriation Act. These accounts depict distinctly the original budget estimates, supplementary grants, surrenders and re-appropriations and indicate actual capital and revenue expenditure on various specified services *vis-à-vis* those authorised by the Appropriation Act. Appropriation accounts, thus, facilitate understanding of utilisation of funds and monitoring of budgetary provisions and are, therefore, complementary to the Finance Accounts.
- **2.1.2** Audit of appropriation accounts by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India seeks to ascertain whether the expenditure actually incurred under various grants is within the authorisation given under the Appropriation Act and that the expenditure required to be charged under the provisions of the Constitution is so charged. It also ascertains whether the expenditure so incurred is in conformity with the laws, relevant rules, regulations and instructions.
- **2.1.3** The Finance Department of the State Government is responsible for preparation of the annual budget by obtaining estimates from various Departments. The Departmental estimates of receipts and expenditure are prepared by controlling officers on the advice of the heads of Departments and submitted to the Finance Department on prescribed dates. The Finance Department scrutinises the estimates and prepares the detailed estimates called 'Demand for Grants'. In the preparation of the budget, the aim should be to achieve as close an approximation to the actuals as possible. This demands the exercise of the utmost foresight both in estimating revenue and anticipating expenditure. The budget procedure envisages that the sum provided in an estimate of expenditure on a particular item must be that sum which can be expended in the year and neither larger nor smaller. The budget estimates of receipts should be based on the existing rates of taxes, duties, fees *etc*.

Deficiencies in budgetary control are discussed in the subsequent paragraphs.

#### 2.2 Summary of appropriation accounts

There are 59 Departments in the State at the Secretariat level each headed by a Principal Secretary/Secretary. Each Department is operating one or more demands and the demand for grant generally reflects the allocation for a Department. The summarised position of actual expenditure during 2017-18 against 85 grants/appropriations is as given in **Table 2.1**.

Table 2.1: Summarised position of actual expenditure vis-à-vis original/supplementary provisions

(₹ in crore)

	Nature of expenditure	Original grant/ appropriation	Supplementary grant/ appropriation	Total	Actual expenditure	Saving (-)/ Excess(+)
Voted	I. Revenue	9436.69	942.69	10379.38	9334.68	(-)1044.70
	II. Capital	4287.26	508.24	4795.50	2116.34	(-)2679.16
	III. Loans and advances	104.63	0.70	105.33	33.93	(-)71.40
Total vote	ed	13828.58	1451.63	15280.21	11484.95	(-)3795.26
Charged	I. Revenue	1321.24	32.33	1353.57	1286.98	(-)66.59
	II. Capital	0.00	3.70	3.70	2.14	(-)1.56
	III. Public debt	877.18	730.00	1607.18	1945.16	337.98
Total charged		2198.42	766.03	2964.45	3234.28	269.83
Grand total		16027.00	2217.66	18244.66	14719.23	(-)3525.43

(Source: Appropriation Accounts 2017-18)

**Note:** The expenditure includes the recovery adjusted as reduction of expenditure under revenue expenditure amounting to  $\ref{7}8.77$  crore and capital expenditure amounting to  $\ref{2}4.41$  crore as detailed in Appendix II of Appropriation Accounts

Supplementary provisions of  $\mathbb{Z}$  2,217.66 crore obtained during the year constituted 13.84 *per cent* of the original provision against 8.19 *per cent* in the previous year.

As may be seen from **Table 2.1**, against the original provision of  $\not\equiv$  16,027 crore, the actual expenditure incurred was  $\not\equiv$  14,719.23 crore (91.84 *per cent*).

#### 2.3 Financial accountability and budget management

#### 2.3.1 Excess expenditure over appropriation not regularised

As per Article 205 of the Constitution of India, it is mandatory for a State Government to get the excess expenditure over a grant/appropriation regularised by the State Legislature. However, excess expenditure amounting to ₹ 5,865.65 crore in 14 grants and nine appropriations for the years 2008-09 to 2017-18 was yet to be regularised, as detailed in **Table 2.2**.

Table 2.2: Excess over provision requiring regularisation

(₹in crore)

Year	No. of grant	No. of appropriation	Amount of excess over provision
2008-09	2	-	0.01
2009-10	1	-	7.57
2010-11	1	1	2.74
2011-12	-	1	18.88
2012-13	-	1	52.10
2013-14	3	1	97.51
2014-15	1	2	1161.23
2015-16	1	1	2330.45
2016-17	2	1	1683.20
2017-18	3	1	511.96
Total	14	9	5865.65

(Source: Appropriation Accounts of the State for respective years)

The excess expenditure of ₹ 5,865.65 crore requires regularisation under Article 205 of the Constitution of India. The major defaulting Departments during the last five years were Finance Department and Treasury and Accounts Administration, North Goa. This is in violation of Article 204 of the Constitution which provides that no money shall be withdrawn from the Consolidated Fund of State except under appropriation made by Law by the State Legislature.

#### 2.3.2 Appropriations vis-à-vis allocative priorities

During 2017-18, total gross savings under various grants/appropriations amounted to  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{$\sim}}$  4,037.40 crore, which was 22 *per cent* of the total authorisation ( $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{$\sim}}$  18,244.67 crore).

Of the total gross savings of  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{?}}$  4,037.40 crore, savings of  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{?}}$  100 crore or more amounting to  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{?}}$  1,779.77 crore (44 *per cent*) had occurred in five grants as shown in **Table 2.3**.

Table 2.3: Details showing grants/appropriations where savings exceeded ₹ 100 crore

(₹in crore)

Sl. No.	Grant/Appropriation	Total provision	Actual expenditure	Savings				
Revent	Revenue (Voted)							
1	55- Municipal Administration	315.44	200.64	114.80				
Capital	Capital (Voted)							
2	13- Transport	153.15	47.73	105.42				
3	21- Public Works Department	1550.07	712.46	837.61				
4	32- Finance	750.00	321.45	428.55				
5	76- Electricity	462.42	169.03	293.39				
	Total	3231.08	1451.31	1779.77				

(Source: Appropriation Accounts of the State)

The reason furnished for unspent provisions under these grants as reported in appropriation accounts of 2017-18 were as under:

- **55- Municipal Administration:** The savings of ₹ 114.80 crore was attributed to non-receipt of proposal from Goa State Urban Development Authority for implementation of Schemes like Integrated Development of Major Towns and Rajiv Awas Yojana. Other reason for savings was low demand for grants from Municipal Councils.
- **13- Transport**: The savings of ₹ 105.42 crore in the capital head of account was mainly attributed to less demand for investments from Kadamba Transport Corporation Limited and Konkan Railway Corporation Limited.
- **21- Public Works Department**: The main reasons for savings (₹ 837.61 crore) were due to non-receipt of cash assignment from Government and non-implementation of new Schemes during the year.
- **32- Finance**: The savings of ₹ 428.55 crore were mainly due to fewer claims made by Goa State Infrastructure Development Corporation against the funds provisioned by the State Government for infrastructure development.
- **76- Electricity:** Main reasons for savings (₹ 293.39 crore) were non-implementation of Schemes, less works undertaken by the Electricity Department and non-finalisation of tenders in time.

#### 2.3.3 Unnecessary/excessive supplementary provisions

Supplementary provisions (₹ 10 crore or more in each case) aggregating ₹ 693.31 crore obtained in 17 cases during the year proved unnecessary. The expenditure incurred (₹ 3,700.91 crore) did not reach the levels of original provision of ₹ 5,076.09 crore as detailed in **Appendix 2.1**. Some cases are briefly discussed below.

- **32- Finance Department (Revenue-Voted):** Supplementary provision of ₹ 10 crore was made to meet increased expenditure under reimbursement of infrastructure tax. However, at the end of the year, there were savings of ₹ 62.33 crore from the original provision of ₹ 65.36 crore. Hence, the supplementary provision remained un-utilised.
- **47-** Goa Medical College (Capital-Voted): Supplementary provision of ₹ 21.67 crore was made. However, at the end of the year, the expenditure fell short of the original provision of ₹ 70.20 crore by ₹ 50.76 crore, resulting in unnecessary supplementary provision.

#### 2.3.4 Insufficient/unnecessary re-appropriation of funds

Re-appropriation is transfer of funds within a grant from one unit of appropriation, where savings are anticipated to another unit where additional funds are needed. Re-appropriation of funds proved injudicious in many cases in view of final excesses and savings over the grants. Instances of re-appropriation resulting in final excesses or savings of ₹ five crore or more in each case are detailed in **Appendix 2.2**.

#### 2.3.5 Substantial surrenders

While preparing the budget estimates utmost care should be taken to ensure that the estimates are as close as possible to the likely expenditure during the year. In 24 cases, out of the total provision of  $\mathbb{Z}$  3,838.84 crore, substantial surrenders amounting to  $\mathbb{Z}$  2,331.21 crore (61 *per cent*) were made either on

account of non-implementation or slow implementation of Schemes/Programmes. In these cases, the surrenders were above ₹ 10 crore and also more than 50 *per cent* of the total provisions. The details are given in **Appendix 2.3**.

#### 2.3.6 Unnecessary surrenders

In four grants/appropriations, ₹ 6.58 crore was surrendered though excess expenditure of ₹ 511.96 crore was incurred, indicating lack of proper budgetary control. Details are given in **Table 2.4**.

Table 2.4: Unnecessary surrender of grants/appropriations

(₹ in crore)

Number and name of the grant/	Total grant	Excess	Amount
appropriation			surrendered
1-Legislature Secretariat (Revenue-Voted)	24.35	0.20	0.17
8-Treasury and Accounts Administration	1059.39	173.55	0.12
(North Goa) (Revenue-Voted)			
A-2-Appropriation-Debt Services	1607.18	337.98	6.10
(Capital-Charged)			
50-Goa College of Pharmacy	8.99	0.23	0.19
(Revenue-Voted)			
Total	2699.91	511.96	6.58

(Source: Appropriation Accounts of the State)

The reason for surrender of grants in spite of excess expenditure against the provision, though called for, was not furnished by the Director of Accounts (March 2019).

#### 2.3.7 Savings not surrendered/partly surrendered

Rule 56 of the General Financial Rules, 2005 provides that the spending Departments are required to surrender the grants/appropriations or portions thereof to the Finance Department as and when savings are anticipated. Further, surrender of funds should be done as soon as these are foreseen without waiting for the end of the financial year, to enable the Finance Department to utilise the funds on other Schemes.

At the close of the year 2017-18, in six cases, savings amounting to ₹87.04 crore was not surrendered by the concerned Departments even though these were anticipated. The details are shown in **Table 2.5**.

Table 2.5: Grants/appropriations in which anticipated savings were not surrendered

(₹in crore)

Sl. No.	Number and name of grant	Saving
1	4 - District and Sessions Court - South Goa (Revenue-Voted)	1.57
2	29 - Public Grievances (Revenue-Voted)	0.91
3	33 - Revenue (Revenue-Voted)	20.00
4	33 - Revenue (Capital-Voted)	51.87
5	46 - Museum (Capital-Voted)	9.83
6	60 - Employment (Revenue-Voted)	2.86
	Total	87.04

(Source: Appropriation Accounts of the State)

Further, out of total savings of ₹ 1,743.72 crore in 23 cases, only ₹ 1,466.67 crore was surrendered, leaving ₹ 277.05 crore which was not surrendered (savings exceeding ₹ one crore in each case)during 2017-18. The details are given in **Appendix 2.4**.

Besides, in 35 cases, savings in excess of  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{?}}$  20 crore aggregating  $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{?}}$  3,136.76 crore (**Appendix 2.5**) was surrendered in the last month of the financial year (March 2018), indicating inadequate financial control as well as denial of allocation of these funds for other development purposes.

#### 2.3.8 Surrender in excess of actual savings

In five grants during 2017-18, against the savings of ₹ 161.20 crore, an amount of ₹ 197.71 crore was surrendered, which was in excess by ₹ 36.51 crore (savings exceeding ₹ one crore in each case) indicating that the Departments failed to exercise necessary budgetary controls as shown in **Table 2.6**.

Table 2.6: Details of surrenders in excess of actual savings

(₹in crore)

Sl.No.	Grant No	Name of grant/appropriation	Savings	Surrender	Savings surrendered in
					excess
1	21 (Revenue-Voted)	Public Works	69.66	71.43	1.77
2	34 (Revenue-Voted)	School Education	59.26	75.90	16.64
3	56 (Revenue-Voted)	Information and Publicity	13.58	14.77	1.19
4	74 (Revenue-Voted)	Water Resources	3.52	18.62	15.10
5	81 (Capital-Voted)	Tribal Welfare	15.18	16.99	1.81
	To	161.20	197.71	36.51	

(Source: Appropriation Accounts of the State)

#### 2.3.9 Unexplained re-appropriations

As per paragraph 1(d) of Appendix III of the Comptroller and Auditor General's Manual of Standing Orders (Accounts and Entitlement), general terms of re-appropriation should not be employed. For example, it is not an adequate explanation of a saving in the provision of purchases of stores to state that 'fewer stores were purchased'. The reasons for the smaller purchases should be given.

Scrutiny of 405 re-appropriation orders issued by various Departments during 2017-18 revealed that in 174 orders (43 *per cent*), general expressions such as, "due to inadequate budget", "due to economy measures", "due to less expenditure than anticipated", "due to non-filling of vacant posts", *etc.* were used.

#### 2.4 Outcome of review of selected grants

The authority administering a grant is responsible for watching the progress of expenditure under its control and for keeping it within the sanctioned grant or appropriation. The duties and responsibilities of the authorities include preparing the estimates timely and accurately and also to ensure that the grants placed at their disposal are spent only on the objects for which it has been provided and to surrender savings if no longer required.

With a view to ascertaining how far the authorities were adhering to these instructions, Audit selected the following two grants:

**Grant No. 35- Higher Education:** The Directorate of Higher Education is responsible for release of salary and maintenance grants to Goa University, six State Government colleges and 22 Non-Government aided colleges affiliated to Goa University. This grant includes five Major Heads namely 2075-Miscelleneous General services, 2202-General Education, 2205-Art and Culture, 2235-Social Security and Welfare and 4202-Capital Outlay on Education, Sports, Art and Culture.

**Grant No. 48- Health Services:** The Directorate of Health Services performs an important role in health delivery by providing preventive, promotive, curative and rehabilitative health services to the people through primary health care. This Grant consists of three Major Heads namely 2210-Medical and Public Health, 2211-Family Welfare and 4210-Capital Outlay on Medical and Public Health.

#### 2.4.1 Budget and expenditure

The overall budget provision, actual disbursement and savings under the functional Heads of these two grants for the years 2015-16 to 2017-18 are given in **Table 2.7**.

Table 2.7: Summary of budgetary provisions and actual expenditure under Grant No. 35 and 48

(₹in crore)

						(X in crore)			
Year	Original	Supplementary	Total	Actual	Savings	Percentage			
	provision	provision		expenditure		of savings			
Grant No. 3	Grant No. 35: Higher Education (Revenue-voted)								
2015-16	199.44	28.63	228.07	210.83	17.25	7.56			
2016-17	227.51	15.00	242.51	221.63	20.88	8.61			
2017-18	245.06	64.73	309.79	306.70	3.09	1.00			
Grant No. 3	Grant No. 35: Higher Education (Capital-voted)								
2015-16	12.50	0.00	12.50	12.09	0.41	3.28			
2016-17	8.50	0.00	8.50	8.00	0.50	5.88			
2017-18	10.25	0.18	10.43	10.43	0.00	0.00			
Grant No. 4	8: Health S	ervices (Revenue-	voted)						
2015-16	360.60	0.37	360.97	261.70	99.27	27.50			
2016-17	442.90	63.00	505.90	305.25	200.65	39.66			
2017-18	448.84	70.34	519.18	450.05	69.13	13.32			
Grant No. 48: Health Services (Capital-voted)									
2015-16	22.90	8.10	31.00	17.08	13.93	44.94			
2016-17	29.81	92.50	122.31	20.98	101.33	82.84			
2017-18	64.25	29.90	94.15	54.33	39.82	42.29			

(Source: Appropriation Accounts of the State for respective years)

It may be seen from **Table 2.7** that there were persistent savings ranging from 13 *per cent* to 40 *per cent* (under revenue section) and 42 *per cent* to 83 *per cent* (under capital section) during 2015-18 in Grant No. 48. Further, unnecessary supplementary provisions were made under this grant even though actual expenditure did not come up to the level of original provisions under revenue section (2015-17) and capital section (2015-18).

#### 2.4.2 Non-utilisation of entire provision

In seven sub-heads (Revenue-voted) under Grant No. 35 and four sub-heads (Revenue-voted) under Grant No. 48, there were 100 *per cent* savings against the provisions made during 2015-18. The provisioned amount remained unutilised due to non-implementation of Schemes/Programmes and the entire amount was surrendered at the end of March 2018, as shown in **Table 2.8**.

Table 2.8: Non-utilisation of entire provision

(₹ in lakh)

Sl.	Name of the Scheme	Buc	dget provis	sion	Reasons for surrender
No.		2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	10100000
Grant	No. 35 (Revenue-voted)	1			
1	2202-03-103-02-State Council for	1	1		Selection not held (15-16);
1	Higher Education/State Awards for				No claims received (16-17);
	Meritorious College Teachers	10.00	10.00	10.00	Non-implementation of Scheme
					(17-18).
2	2202-03-800-12- Establishment of	20.00	20.00	20.00	Non-implementation of Scheme
	Smart Class Rooms	20.00	20.00	20.00	(all three years).
3	2202-03-800-17- State Innovation				Non-implementation of
	Council	20.00	20.00	20.00	Scheme (15-16 &16-17);
					Non-receipt of applications from beneficiaries (17-18).
4	2202-03-800-20- Goa Institute of				Non-implementation of Scheme
	Administrative Careers	25.00	25.00	25.00	(15-16 &16-17);
					No claims received (17-18).
5	2202-03-800-28- Financial				These schemes were introduced
	Assistance to Students- One		30.00	30.00	during 2016-17 but not
	Semester Abroad				implemented during that year.
6	2202-03-800-29-Engaging		25.00	25.00	In 2017-18, no claims were
7	Resourceful Retired Teachers 2202-03-800-30-Scheme for				received.
/	Evening Colleges		20.00	20.00	
	Total	75.00	150.00	150.00	
Const		75.00	130.00	130.00	
	No. 48 (Revenue-voted)	T			
1	2210-06-101-19 National Mental		7.62	20.19	Transfer or retirement of staff and
2	Health Programme 2210-06-101-23 Goa State Illness				non-filling of vacant posts.  Non-implementation of Scheme.
2	Assistance Society		60.00	60.00	Non-implementation of scheme.
3	2210-80-800-22 New Born Babies				Non-receipt of claims.
3	Screening		50.00	10.00	Tion receipt of claims.
4	2210-80-800-23 Blood Bank/NAT		10.00	<b>7.00</b>	Non-implementation of Scheme.
	Test		10.00	5.00	1
	Total		127.62	95.19	

(Source: Appropriation Accounts of the State for respective years)

#### 2.4.3 Inappropriate re-appropriations

In six sub-heads under Major Head-4210 in Grant No. 48 (capital section), budget allocations by re-appropriation at the end of the year was less than the final expenditure which resulted in expenditure exceeding the available allocations by ₹ 107.65 lakh. The details are shown in **Table 2.9**.

Table 2.9: Inappropriate re-appropriations

(₹in lakh)

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Sl.	Year	Head of account	Original	Funds after	Final	Excess		
No.			budget	re-appropriation	expenditure	expenditure		
Gran	Grant No. 48 (Capital-voted)							
1	2015-16	4210-01-110-01 Buildings	100.00	425.40	446.96	21.56		
2	2015-16	4210-01-103-01 Buildings (Health	85.00	12.47	37.00	24.53		
		Services)						
3	2015-16	4210-01-104-01 Buildings (Health	10.01	0.00	6.08	6.08		
		Services)						
4	2015-16	4210-80-789-01 Scheduled Caste Dev.	10.01	0.00	6.17	6.17		
		Scheme						
5	2016-17	4210-02-103-01 Buildings (Health	230.00	67.31	69.90	2.59		
		Services)						
6	2017-18	4210-01-110-01 Buildings	700.00	348.38	395.10	46.72		
		Total	1135.02	853.56	961.21	107.65		

(Source: Appropriation Accounts of the State for the respective years)

#### 2.5 Personal Deposit Accounts

The Personal Deposit (PD) Accounts/Personal Ledger Accounts (PLA) are Deposit Accounts kept in Treasuries in the name of the Administrators<sup>1</sup> of the Accounts. The money is placed under 8443-Civil Deposits, 106-Personal Deposit. These accounts can be opened with the approval of the Finance Department. As per Rule 179 to 182 of Receipts and Payments Rules, 1997, Government of Goa, the Administrators are entitled to credit receipts into and effect withdrawals directly from the Treasury account for a specific purpose. The Administrators thereof shall only be Government officers acting in their official or any other capacity. Every PLA/PD Account so authorised to be opened will form part of the Government account under the Public Account.

The year-wise position of PLA/PD Accounts from 2015-16 to 2017-18 is given in **Table 2.10**.

Table 2.10: Year-wise details of PLA/PD Accounts during 2015-18

(₹in crore)

					( \ in crore)
	Year	Opening	Receipts	Disbursements	Closing
		balance			balance
•	2015-16	21.63	47.28	31.85	37.06
•	2016-17	37.06	114.69	85.15	66.60
	2017-18	66.60	77.71	59.62	84.69

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for respective years)

A sum of ₹84.69 crore was held under 119 PLA/PD Accounts by 16 Departments which was not transferred to the Consolidated Fund of the State (CFS) before the closure of the financial year. These balances have also not been reconciled with the Administrators of the Accounts. Of the 119 Accounts, 18 Accounts held by nine Departments having a balance of ₹0.16 crore were inoperative for over five years.

Non-transfer of unspent balances lying in PD Accounts to CFS before the closure of financial year and non-reconciliation of balances in PD Accounts periodically entails the risk of misuse of public funds, fraud and misappropriation.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> PD Account holders

#### 2.6 Un-reconciled Expenditure

Departmental officers are required to reconcile the Departmental expenditure every month and before the close of the accounts of a year with those recorded in the books of the Director of Accounts. This enables the Controlling Officers of Departments to exercise effective control over expenditure, to keep it within the budget grants and to ensure accuracy of their accounts. The PAC in its 48th Report (1992) recommended punitive action to be taken against erring Budget Controlling Authorities (BCAs). Even though non-reconciliation of Departmental expenditure was pointed out regularly in Audit Reports, lapses on the part of Controlling Officers in this regard continued to persist during 2017-18.

During 2017-18, 35 out of 86 BCAs did not carry out any reconciliations in respect of 1,048 units under their control involving ₹ 1,699.07 crore. Of the 51 BCAs who carried out reconciliations, two² carried out reconciliations only for part of the year in respect of 49 units under their control involving ₹ 18.41 crore. The details of 14 major BCAs (out of 37) who did not reconcile their expenditure (₹ 1,560.22 crore) are indicated in **Table 2.11**.

Table 2.11: Major Budget Controlling Authorities who did not reconcile their expenditure

(₹in crore)

Sl. No.	Budget Controlling Authorities who did not reconcile their expenditure	Amount not reconciled
1	Director of Women and Child Development	391.78
2	Secretary, Water Resources	327.40
3	Under Secretary, Finance (Bud)	324.48
4	Director of Panchayats	142.22
5	Director of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services	96.37
6	Director of Science, Technology and Environment	61.57
7	Commissioner of Labour and Employment	38.06
8	Director of Institute of Psychiatry and Human Behaviour	28.54
9	District and Session Judge (North Goa)	27.19
10	Collector of North Goa	27.09
11	Inspector General of Prisons	26.66
12	Commissioner of Commercial Taxes	24.52
13	Principal, Goa Dental College and Hospital	23.46
14	District and Session Judge (South Goa)	20.88
	Total	1560.22

(Source: Directorate of Accounts)

#### 2.7 Conclusion and Recommendations

During 2017-18, expenditure of ₹ 14,719.23 crore was incurred against the total grants and appropriations of ₹ 18,244.66 crore resulting in savings of ₹ 3,525.43 crore. The overall savings were the net result of savings of ₹ 4,037.39 crore, offset by an excess of ₹ 511.96 crore in three grants and one appropriation. The excess expenditure of ₹ 511.96 requires regularisation under Article 205 of the Constitution of India. Further, excess over provisions

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Registrar of Co-operative Societies and Secretary, State Election Commission

relating to previous years (2008-09 to 2016-17) amounting to ₹ 5,353.69 crore had not been regularised.

All the existing cases of excess expenditure need to be got regularised at the earliest and in future, such unvoted expenditure may be completely stopped, except in case(s) of dire and extreme emergency, the cost of which cannot be met from contingency fund.

Of the total savings of ₹ 4,037.40 crore during 2017-18, savings of ₹ 100 crore or more amounting to ₹ 1,779.77 crore (44 *per cent*) had occured in five grants pertaining to Municipal Administration (₹ 114.80 crore), Transport (₹ 105.42 crore), Public Works Department (₹ 837.61 crore), Finance (₹ 428.55 crore) and Electricity (₹ 293.39 crore).

In 17 cases, supplementary provisions (₹ 10 crore and above in each case) of ₹ 693.31 crore were obtained which proved unnecessary. The expenditure incurred (₹ 3,700.91 crore) did not even reach the level of original provision (₹ 5,076.09 crore).

The Controlling/Disbursing Officers may keep a close and constant watch over the progress of expenditure against the sanctioned provisions in order to avoid savings/excesses especially in Departments where large savings/excesses were noticed. They may also specifically strengthen their control on monthly expenditure and monitoring mechanism.

# CHAPTER – III FINANCIAL REPORTING

#### **CHAPTER-III**

#### FINANCIAL REPORTING

A sound internal financial reporting and the availability of relevant and reliable information contributes to efficient and effective governance by the State Government and is important for the State Governments in meeting its basic stewardship responsibilities, strategic planning and decision-making. It also forms the basis of sound internal controls. This chapter provides an overview and status of the State Government's compliance with various financial rules, procedures and directives applicable to financial reporting during the year 2017-18.

#### 3.1 Delays in furnishing Utilisation Certificates

Rule 212 of the General Financial Rules, 2005 provides that for grants provided for specific purposes, Utilisation Certificates (UCs) should be obtained by the Departmental officers from the grantees. The certificates so obtained are to be verified by the Departmental officers and forwarded to the Director of Accounts within 12 months from the dates of sanction of grants unless specified otherwise.

At the end of 2017-18, 12,236 UCs for an amount of ₹ 1,914.70 crore were outstanding for grants disbursed upto 2016-17. The Department-wise break-up of outstanding UCs is given in **Appendix 3.1** and the age-wise position is shown in **Table 3.1**.

Table 3.1: Age-wise position of outstanding UCs as of 31 March 2018

Sl. No.	Range of delay in number	Utilisation certificates outstanding		
	of years	Number	Amount (₹in crore)	
1	1-3	2583	601.24	
2	3-5	2329	654.65	
3	5-7	1422	279.77	
4	7 and above	5902	379.04	
	Total	12236	1914.70	

(Source: Compiled from information furnished by Director of Accounts)

As may be seen from **Table 3.1**, 4,912 UCs (40 *per cent*) involving ₹ 1,255.89 crore (66 *per cent*) were pending from one to five years while 7,324 UCs involving ₹ 658.81 crore were pending for more than five years. Major cases of non-submission of UCs pertained to Directorate of Art and Culture (34 *per cent*), Directorate of Panchayats (North) (23 *per cent*) and Directorate of Panchayats (South) (15 *per cent*).

In the absence of UCs there is no assurance that the moneys disbursed have been used for the purpose for which they have been given. High pendency of UCs was fraught with the risk of misappropriation and fraud.

## 3.2 Delay in submission of accounts/audit reports by autonomous bodies

Several autonomous bodies have been set up by the State Government in the fields of education, irrigation, housing *etc*. Of these, audit of accounts of 13 bodies in the State has been entrusted to the CAG. These bodies are audited

by the CAG by verification of their accounts, financial transactions, operational activities, internal management and financial control system and procedures.

The status of entrustment of audit, rendering of accounts to audit, issuance of Separate Audit Reports (SARs) and their placement in the Legislature are indicated in the **Appendix 3.2**. The delay in submission of accounts to Audit and placement of SARs in the Legislature by the autonomous bodies is summarised in **Table 3.2**.

Table 3.2: Delays in submission of accounts and tabling of SARs

Submission of Ac	ecounts for Audit	Presentation of Report in Legislature		
Delay(in months) Number of		Delay (in years)	Number of	
	autonomous bodies		autonomous bodies	
0-3	1	0-1	3	
3-6	2	1-3	-	
6-9	4	3-5	1	
9-25	3	5 years and above	4	
25 months and above	3	-	-	

(Source: Compiled from records received from various autonomous bodies)

The submission of accounts of 13 autonomous bodies was delayed by one to 69 months while presentation of four of 13 accounts in the State Legislature was delayed by more than five years. The reasons for delays though called for were not intimated by the respective autonomous bodies.

The inordinate delay in submission of accounts and presentation of the reports to the State Legislature resulted in delayed scrutiny of the functioning of these bodies, where Government investments are made. Further, necessary remedial action, if any, required to be taken by the Government was also delayed.

#### 3.3 Departmental Commercial Undertakings

The Departmental undertakings of certain Government Departments performing activities of quasi-commercial nature are required to prepare *proforma* accounts in the prescribed format annually, showing the working results of financial operations so that the Government can assess their working. The accounts of Departmentally managed commercial and quasi-commercial undertakings reflect their overall financial health and efficiency in conducting their business. In the absence of timely finalisation of such *proforma* accounts, the viability of these undertakings remains outside the scrutiny of the Audit/State Legislature. Consequently, corrective measures, if any required, for ensuring viability and improving efficiency cannot be taken in time.

Heads of Departments in the Government have to ensure that the undertakings prepare such accounts and submit the same to the Accountant General for audit within a specified timeframe. As of October 2018, there were two¹ such undertakings, one of which had heavy arrears in accounts. The Department-wise position of arrears in preparation of *proforma* accounts and

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> River Navigation Department and Electricity Department

investments made by the Government in these two undertakings is given in Table 3.3.

Table 3.3: Position of arrears as on 31 October 2018 in preparation of **Proforma** Accounts

Department	No. of undertakings under the Department	Name of undertaking	Year up to which accounts finalised	Investment as per last accounts (₹ in crore)		
Inland Water	1	River Navigation	2005-06	108.29		
Transport		Department				
Power	1	Electricity Department,	2014-15	1357.52		
		Government of Goa				
	Total					

(Source: Information furnished by concerned Departments)

#### Misappropriations, losses and defalcations

Rule 33 of the General Financial Rules, 2005 provides that any loss or shortage of public money, revenue or receipts has to be immediately reported by the subordinate authority concerned to the next higher authority as well as to the Statutory Audit Officer and the concerned Principal Accounts Officer. The State Government reported 29 cases of misappropriation, defalcation etc., involving Government money totaling ₹ 2.30 crore up to June 2018 on which final action was pending. The Department-wise break-up of pending cases is given in **Appendix 3.3**.

The age profile of the pending cases and the number of pending misappropriation cases are summarised in Table 3.4.

**Table 3.4: Profile of misappropriation** 

Age profile and nature of pending cases							
Range in years No. of cases		Amount involved (₹in lakh)	Nature/characteristics of the cases				
0-5	8	62.33	Misappropriation of				
5-10	13	24.07	cash/stores				
10 years and above	8	143.11					
Total	29	229.51					

(Source: Information furnished by concerned Departments)

Of the 29 cases, 10 cases pertained to Director of Panchayats, Panaji and six pertained to office of Chief Electrical Engineer, Panaji. Of these 16 cases, five cases<sup>2</sup> were pending for more than 10 years.

First information reports (FIR) were lodged in 18 of 29 cases. The remaining 11 cases pertain to three Departments (Directorate of Panchayats – 08 cases, Goa Medical College – 02 cases and Directorate of Sports and Youth Affairs – 01 case). Departmental proceedings in all the 11 cases of misappropriation are under progress, and FIRs should also be filed by the concerned Departments.

The reasons for which the cases were outstanding are classified under three categories as listed in **Table 3.5** below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Two cases from Director of Panchayats, Panaji and three cases from office of Chief Electrical Engineer, Panaji

Table 3.5: Reasons for outstanding cases of misappropriation

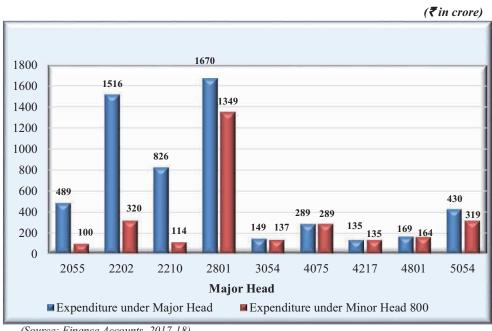
Reasons for the delay/outstanding pending cases	No. of cases	Amount (₹ in lakh)
Departmental action started but not finalised	21	175.10
Pending in the courts of law	3	45.74
Awaiting orders for recovery/write off	5	8.67
Total	29	229.51

(Source: Information furnished by concerned Departments)

#### Booking under Minor Head '800- Other Expenditure' 3.5

The omnibus Minor Head 800 is intended to be operated when the appropriate Minor Head has not been provided in the accounts. Finance Accounts 2017-18 of Government of Goa disclosed that expenditure aggregating ₹ 3,820.68 crore constituting 30 per cent of the total expenditure was classified under Minor Head '800-Other Expenditure' under 45 Major Heads in revenue and capital sections. 100 per cent of the expenditure on Capital Outlay on Other Miscellaneous General Services (Major Head 4075) for ₹289 crore, Capital Outlay on Urban Development (Major Head 4217) for ₹ 135 crore and Capital Outlay on Other Scientific and Environmental Research (Major Head 5425) for ₹ 35 crore were classified under omnibus Minor Head 800. The cases where expenditure of more than ₹100 crore was booked under Minor Head 800 under a particular Major Head is shown in **Chart 3.1**.

Chart 3.1: Major Heads where expenditure of more than ₹ 100 crore was booked under Minor Head 800



(Source: Finance Accounts, 2017-18)

Similarly, revenue receipts aggregating ₹352.80 crore, constituting 3.19 per cent of total revenue receipts, were classified under omnibus Minor Head '800-Other Receipts' in 22 Major Heads under revenue section.

The cases of receipts of more than ₹50 crore classified under Minor Head 800 were under MH 0070-Other Administrative Services (₹ 128 crore) and MH 0853- Non-Ferrous Mining and Metallurgical Industries (₹ 56 crore).

Accounting of large amounts under the omnibus Minor Head 800-Other Expenditure/Receipts affects the transparency in financial reporting, as it fails to indicate disaggregated information on different activities of the Government separately in the accounts.

### 3.6 Pendency in submission of Detailed Contingent bills against Abstract Contingent bills

The Controlling and Disbursing Officers of the Departments are authorised to draw sums of money by preparing Abstract Contingent (AC) bills, by debiting service heads. They are required to present Detailed Contingent (DC) bills (vouchers in support of final expenditure) to the Director of Accounts (DoA), Goa within three months from the date of drawal of funds on AC bill. If previous AC bills are outstanding over three months for want of DC bills, the proposal for drawal of further AC bills would require the sanction of Finance Department.

The details of submission of DC bills against AC bills drawn up to March 2018 are given in **Table 3.6**.

Table 3.6: Pendency in submission of DC bills against AC bills

(₹in crore)

Year	AC bills drawn		DC bills received		Outstanding AC bills	
	No. of bills	Amount	No. of bills	Amount	No. of bills	Amount
Up to 2015-16	7779	1902.20	7621	1876.80	158	25.40
2016-17	802	770.51	749	756.38	53	14.13
2017-18	869	698.92	731	645.23	138	53.69

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State)

As may be seen from Table 3.6 above, the Departments had drawn 869 AC bills for an amount of ₹ 698.92 crore in the financial year 2017-18 and submitted 731 DC bills for an amount of ₹ 645.23 crore. Thus, 138 DC bills amounting to ₹ 53.69 crore were not submitted for AC bills drawn in 2017-18. Therefore, there is no assurance that the expenditure of ₹53.69 crore has actually been incurred during the financial year for the purpose for which it was authorised by the Legislature. There is a possible overstatement of expenditure in the year 2017-18 by the same amount. In addition, 158 DC bills amounting to ₹25.40 crore for the years up to 2015-16 and 53 DC bills amounting to ₹ 14.13 crore pertaining to the year 2016-17 were yet to be submitted by the Departments. Thus, at the end of March 2018, 349 DC bills amounting to ₹933.22 crore were pending settlement. and accounted increases the not for possibility wastage/misappropriation/malfeasance etc.

Audit observed that majority of AC bills (85 AC bills for ₹16.88 crore) pertained to Collectorate, North Goa which were drawn between August 2008 to May 2017 and pending settlement as of 31 March 2018. Similarly, 16 AC bills for ₹10.24 crore drawn by Collectorate, South Goa between

December 1991 and August 2017 were pending settlement as of 31 March 2018.

Audit further observed that office of the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes (Department) drew seven AC bills for ₹ 15.40 lakh during 2017-18 for holding various events such as, trainings/workshops/seminars *etc*. However, scrutiny of DC bills submitted by the Department revealed the following:

- While the Department spent ₹ 8.27 lakh on various events during the year, it submitted the corresponding DC bills after time lapse of one to six months, along with the unutilised funds of ₹ 7.13 lakh. In effect, the Department held excess cash of ₹ 7.13 lakh for one to six months instead of refunding the same immediately.
- In four of seven cases, the Department drew AC bills (₹ 9.96 lakh) after conclusion of events, which was irregular.
- The cash drawn by the Department on AC bills was not entered/recorded in the cash book and thus, susceptible to fraud/misappropriation of public money.

The Department attributed (July 2019) delay in settlement of AC bills to late receipt of event bills. The reply is factually incorrect as the Department had delayed the submission of DC bills up to five months even after receipt of supporting event bills.

#### 3.7 Conclusion and Recommendations

Out of 12,236 Utilisation Certificates amounting to ₹ 1,914.70 crore pending as on 31 March 2018, 4,912 UCs involving ₹ 1,255.89 crore were pending from one to five years. Remaining 7,324 UCs involving ₹ 658.81 crore were pending for more than five years. In the absence of the requisite certificates, it could not be ascertained in audit whether the recipients had utilised the grants for the purpose for which these were given.

The sanctioning authorities/concerned Departments may evolve a mechanism to gather UCs promptly, verify their genuineness, including by way of sample inspection, and look into the delays in submission to identify the bottlenecks and address them for sound internal control and financial reporting. Unspent balances lying with the grantee institutions for long periods need review.

158 DC bills amounting to ₹ 25.40 crore for the years up to 2015-16 and 53 DC bills amounting to ₹ 14.13 crore pertaining to the year 2016-17 were not submitted by the Departments as of March 2018. Further, 138 DC bills amounting to ₹ 53.69 crore were not submitted before close of the financial year 2017-18.

The sanctioning authorities may ensure that amounts drawn on AC bills are settled expeditiously through submission of DC bills within the prescribed time limits. The Finance Department may also ensure that the pendency of AC bills is brought down.

(ASHUTOSH JOSHI) The 27 November, 2019

Countersigned

**Principal Accountant General** 

**New Delhi** The 29 November, 2019

Panaji

(RAJIV MEHRISHI) Comptroller and Auditor General of India

## **APPENDICES**

(Referred to in paragraph 1.1)

#### **PART-A (State Profile)**

A. Gen	eral Data					
Sl.No.	P	Figures				
1	Area					3702 sq.km.
2	Population					•
	a. As per 2001 Census	0.13 crore				
	b. As per 2011 Census					0.15 crore
3	Density of Population (as per 2001 censu	us)				364 persons
	(All India Density = 325 persons per sq.					per sq. km.
	Density of Population <sup>1</sup> (as per 2011 cens					394 persons
	(All India Density = 382 persons per sq.	km.)				per sq. km.
4	Population below poverty line <sup>2</sup> (BPL) (A	All Inc	lia Average	= 21.90 per cer	nt)	9.90 per cent
5	a. Literacy (as per 2001 Census) (A					82.01 per cent
	b. Literacy <sup>3</sup> (as per 2011 Census) (A					88.70 per cent
6	Infant mortality <sup>4</sup> (per 1000 live births) (A				ive births)	Eight
7	Life Expectancy at birth (All India Avera	age =	68.30 years)	)		68.50 years
8	Gini Coefficient <sup>5</sup>					
	a. Rural (All India = 0.276)					0.219
	b. Urban (All India = 0.371)					0.251
9	Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) 2	017-1	8 at current	price		₹ 70267 crore
10	Per capita GSDP CAGR		Goa		12.78 per cent	
	(2008-09 to 2017-18)(All India = 11.50	per	General Ca	ategory States		13.10 per cent
	cent)					
11	GSDP CAGR		Goa	11.96 per cent		
	(2008-09 to 2017-18)(All India = 12.90 p	per	General Ca	14.50 per cent		
12	Population Growth		Goa	8.13 per cent		
	(2008-17)(All India = 11.90 per cent)		General Ca	11.60 per cent		
B. Fina	ncial Data					
	Particulars		2008-09 to	2016-17		n rate during 017-18
		(	General	Goa	General	Goa
	CACD	(	Category		Category	
	CAGR		States		States	
				in per	r cent	
a.	of Revenue Receipts		15.10	13.28	11.30	15.56
b.	of Own Tax Revenue		14.90	12.22	12.20	11.05
c.	of Non Tax Revenue		9.50	10.32	5.90	11.84
d.	of Total Expenditure		15.80	11.65	4.70	20.58
e.	of Capital Expenditure		14.00	7.83	1.00	27.77
f.	of Revenue Expenditure on Education		14.50	13.10	6.20	22.15
g.	of Revenue Expenditure on Health		16.20	13.52	10.70	37.81
h.	of Salary and Wages		13.40	13.00	8.90	32.54
i.	of Pension		16.20	18.32	22.90	37.91

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Census info India 2011 Final population totals

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Tendulkar Poverty Estimates source, Niti Aayog

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Economic Survey 2017-18 for Goa State

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> SRS bulletin of September 2017, volume 51, No.1

http://planningcommission.nic.in/data/datatable/data\_2312/DatabookDec2014%20106.pdf Gini Coefficient is a measure of inequality of income among the population. Value rate is from zero to one. Value closer to zero indicates inequality is less and vice versa

#### Part B: Structure and Form of Government Accounts

Structure of Government Accounts: The accounts of the State Government are kept in three parts;

(i) Consolidated Fund, (ii) Contingency Fund and (iii) Public Account.

**Part I:** Consolidated Fund: All revenues received by the State Government, all loans raised by issue of treasury bills, internal and external loans and all moneys received by the Government in repayment of loans shall form one consolidated fund entitled 'The Consolidated Fund of State' established under Article 266(1) of the Constitution of India.

**Part II: Contingency Fund:** Contingency Fund of State established under Article 267(2) of the Constitution is in the nature of an imprest placed at the disposal of the Governor to enable him to make advances to meet urgent unforeseen expenditure, pending authorisation by the Legislature. Approval of the Legislature for such expenditure and for withdrawal of an equivalent amount from the Consolidated Fund is subsequently obtained, whereupon the advances from the Contingency Fund are recouped to the Fund.

**Part III: Public Account:** Receipts and disbursements in respect of certain transactions such as small savings, provident funds, reserve funds, deposits, suspense, remittances *etc.*, which do not form part of the Consolidated Fund, are kept in the Public Account set up under Article 266(2) of the Constitution and are not subject to vote by the State legislature.

Part C: Layo	out of Finance Accounts
Statement	About
1	Statement of Financial Position: Cumulative figures of Assets and Liabilities of the
	Government as they stand at the end of the year
2	Statement of Receipts and Disbursements: Contains the summarised Statement showing all
	receipts and disbursements of the Government during the year in all the three parts in which
	Government Accounts are kept
3	Statement of Receipts (Consolidated Fund): Contains revenue and capital receipts and
4	receipts from borrowings of the Government consisting of loans from GOI, Market loans etc.
4	Statement of Expenditure (Consolidated Fund) -By function and nature: Gives expenditure
-	by function and summarised expenditure by nature of activity
5	Statement of Progressive Capital Expenditure
6	Statement of Borrowings and other Liabilities: Contains borrowings of the Government
	comprising Market Loans raised by it and loans and advances received from GOI along with
	other liabilities which are the balances under various sectors in the Public Account
7	Statement of Loans and Advances given by the Government
8	Statement of Investments of the Government
9	Statement of Guarantees given by the Government: Guarantees given by the State
	Government for repayment of loans etc. raised by Statutory Corporations, Government
10	Companies, Local Bodies etc.
10	Statement of Grants-in-aid given by the Government
11	Statement of Voted and Charged Expenditure
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12	Account
13	Summary of Balances under Consolidated Fund, Contingency Fund and Public Account
14	Detailed Statement of Revenue and Capital Receipts by minor heads
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16	Detailed Statement of Capital Expenditure by minor heads and sub-heads
17	Detailed Statement of Borrowings and Other Liabilities
18	Detailed Statement on Loans and Advances given by the Government
19	Detailed Statement of Investments of the Government
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21	Detailed Statement on Contingency Fund and other Public Account transactions
22	Detailed Statement on Investments of Earmarked Balances

(Referred to in paragraph 1.1)

#### Part A: Methodology adopted for the assessment of Fiscal position

Assuming that GSDP is the good indicator of the performance of the State's economy, major fiscal aggregates like tax and non-tax revenue, revenue and capital expenditure, internal debt and revenue and fiscal deficits have been presented as percentage to the GSDP at current market prices. The buoyancy coefficients for relevant fiscal variables with reference to the base represented by GSDP have also been worked out to assess as to whether the mobilisation of resources, pattern of expenditure *etc.* are keeping pace with the change in the base or these fiscal aggregates are also affected by factor other than GSDP.

The trends in GSDP for last five years are indicated below.

(₹ in crore)

Sector wise details of GSDP	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
GSDP	35921	47814	54785	62336	70267
Growth Rate of GSDP (in per cent)	(-)5.77	33.11	14.58	13.78	12.72

(Source: Directorate of Planning, Statistics and Evaluation, Government of Goa)

#### Part B: Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management (FRBM) Act

The State Government has enacted the Goa Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management (FRBM) Act, 2006 to ensure prudence in fiscal management and to maintain fiscal stability in the State. To improve the fiscal position and to bring fiscal stability, the Act envisages progressive elimination of revenue deficit, reduction in fiscal deficit and prudent debt management consistent with fiscal sustainability. To ensure prudence the Act also provides for greater fiscal transparency in fiscal operation of the Government and conduct of fiscal policy in a medium term frame work and matter connected therewith or there to. The Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management (FRBM) rules were framed in November 2007. The FRBM Act, 2006 was amended in March 2014 and renamed as Goa Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management (First amendment) Act, 2014 having major changes with reference to fiscal targets. The major fiscal targets for the State were as under:

- a) reduce the revenue deficit to nil by 31 March 2015 and adhere to it thereafter;
- b) reduce the ratio of fiscal deficit to Gross State Domestic Product beginning from the financial year 2013-14 and strive to keep/maintain within the norm of three *per cent*;
- c) cap the total outstanding guarantees within the specified limit under the Goa State Guarantees Act, 1993 (Goa Act No. 16 of 1993); and
- d) ensure that by 31 March 2015, the ratio of Debt to Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) is brought down to 27 *per cent*, and thereafter bring it below 25 *per cent*.

The definitions of some of the selected terms used in assessing the trends and pattern of fiscal aggregates are given below:

Terms	Basis of calculation
Buoyancy of a parameter	Rate of Growth of the parameter/GSDP Growth
Buoyancy of a parameter (X) With respect to another parameter (Y)	Rate of Growth of parameter (X)/ Rate of Growth of parameter (Y)
Rate of Growth (RoG)	[(Current year Amount/Previous year Amount)-1]*100
Development Expenditure	Social Services + Economic Services
Average interest paid by the State	Interest payment/[(Amount of previous year's Fiscal Liabilities + Current year's Fiscal Liabilities)/2]*100
Interest received as <i>per cent</i> to Loans Outstanding	Interest Received/[(Opening balance + Closing balance of Loans and Advances)/2]*100
Revenue Deficit	Revenue Expenditure – Revenue Receipt
Fiscal Deficit	Revenue Expenditure + Capital Expenditure + Net Loans and Advances - Revenue Receipts - Miscellaneous Capital Receipts
Primary Deficit	Fiscal Deficit – Interest payments
Balance from Current Revenue (BCR)	Revenue Receipts <u>minus</u> Revenue Expenditure excluding expenditure recorded under the major head 2048 -Appropriation for reduction of Avoidance of debt.
Primary Revenue Balance (Deficit or Surplus)	Excess of Revenue Receipts over Revenue Expenditures other than interest.
Primary Revenue Expenditure	Total Revenue Expenditure minus Interest payments

(Referred to in paragraph 1.1.1)

#### PART A: Abstract of Receipts and Disbursements for the year 2017-18

(₹in crore)

	Receipts		Disbursements			
2016-17		2017-18	2016-17		2017-18	
Section-A	: Revenue					
9564.97	1. Revenue receipts	11053.52	8865.98	1. Revenue expenditure	10542.89	
4261.16	Tax revenue	4731.37	2872.68	General services	3517.00	
			3345.43	Social Services (inclusive of GIA and contribution)	4155.06	
2712.00	Non-tax revenue	3033.27	1466.73	Education, Sports, Art and Culture	1791.51	
			611.27	Health and Family Welfare	841.75	
2299.20	State's share of Union Taxes	2544.26	386.88	Water Supply, Sanitation, Housing and Urban Development	599.98	
			23.25	Information and Broadcasting	42.78	
17.16	Non-Plan grants	66.20	135.36	Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes	109.67	
90.95	Grants for State Plan Schemes	20.47	47.87	Labour and labour Welfare	60.00	
			671.96	Social Welfare and Nutrition	706.59	
184.50	Grants for Central and Centrally sponsored Plan Schemes	300.32	2.11	Others	2.78	
	Other Transfers to States with Legislatures	357.63	2647.87	Economic Services- (inclusive of GIA and contribution)	2870.83	
			293.07	Agriculture and Allied Activities	320.19	
			143.00	Rural Development	147.03	
			8.26	Special Areas Programmes	7.47	
			136.12	Irrigation and Flood control	167.73	
			1563.17	Energy	1671.19	
			103.59	Industry and Minerals	87.49	
			282.40	Transport Science, Technology and	328.00	
			6.59	Environment	26.56	
			111.67	General Economic Services	115.17	
			8865.98	Total	10542.89	
	II. Revenue deficit carried over to Section B		698.99	II. Revenue deficit/surplus carried over to Section B	510.63	
9564.97	Total	11053.52	9564.97	Total	11053.52	

	Receipts		Disbursements		
2016-17		2017-18	2016-17		2017-18
Section-B	: Other		1		
766.42	III. Opening Cash balance including Permanent Advances and Cash Balance Investment	982.20	-	III. Opening Overdraft from Reserve Bank of India	
	IV. Miscellaneous Capital receipts			IV. Capital Outlay	
	Capital receipts		203.57	General Services	408.71
			431.80	Social Services	654.29
			105.13	Education, Sports, Art and Culture	118.16
			59.28	Health and Family Welfare	80.37
			262.19	Water Supply, Sanitation, Housing and Urban Development	446.86
			-	Information and Broadcasting	-
			4.53	Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes	6.97
			0.17	Social Welfare and Nutrition	1.93
			0.50	Other Social Services	-
			1003.36	<b>Economic Services</b>	1031.07
			69.08	Agriculture and Allied Activities	64.94
			6.69	Rural Development	-
			1.82	Special Areas Programmes	2.56
			151.81	Irrigation and Flood Control	151.96
			222.33	Energy	169.03
			30.00	Industry and Minerals	15.78
			400.43	Transport	498.72
			33.87	Science, Technology and Environment	35.00
			87.33	General Economic Services	93.08
			1638.73	Total	2094.07
8.52	V. Recoveries of Loans and Advances	7.15	3.41	V. Loans and Advances disbursed	33.93
7.07	From Government Servants	5.50	3.27	To Government Servants	1.87
1.45	From Others	1.65	0.14	To Others	32.06
698.99	VI. Revenue Surplus brought down	510.63	-	VI. Revenue Deficit brought down	

	Receipts		Disbursements		
2016-17		2017-18	2016-17		2017-18
1518.98	VII. Public debt receipts	2005.77	467.75	VII. Repayment of Public debt	790.09
	External debt			External debt	
1427.11	Internal debt other than Ways and Means Advances and overdrafts	1927.74	441.10	Internal debt other than Ways and Means Advances and Overdrafts	702.11
-	Net transactions under Ways and Means Advances		-	Net transactions under Ways and Means Advances	
-	Net transactions under overdraft		-	Net transactions under overdraft	
91.87	Loans and Advances from Central Government	78.03	26.65	Repayment of Loans and Advances to Central Government	87.98
-	VIII. Appropriation to Contingency Fund	-	-	VIII. Appropriation to Contingency Fund	0
-	IX. Amount transferred to Contingency Fund	-	-	IX. Expenditure from Contingency Fund	0
11127.77	X. Public Account receipts	13377.25	11028.59	X. Public Account disbursements	12969.14
391.65	Small Savings and Provident Funds	554.80	269.15	Small Savings and Provident Funds	318.87
218.97	Reserve Funds	216.19	50.28	Reserve Funds	32.26
6064.89	Suspense and Miscellaneous	7829.30	6116.23	Suspense and Miscellaneous	7853.92
3949.91	Remittances	4113.31	4088.61	Remittances	4277.49
502.35	Deposits and Advances	663.65	504.32	Deposits and Advances	486.60
	XI. Closing Overdraft from Reserve Bank of India		982.20	XI. Cash Balance at end	995.77
			762.67	Investment of earmarked balance	847.34
			(-)126.49	Deposits with Reserve Bank	(-)6.51
			1.77	Departmental Cash Balance including permanent Advances	1.78
			344.25	Cash Balance Investment	153.16
23685.65	Total	27936.52	23685.65	Total	27936.52

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State for 2016-17 and 2017-18)

PART B: Summarised financial position of the Government of Goa as on 31 March 2018

				₹in crore)
As on 31 March 2017		Liabilities	As 31 Marc	
11162.39		Internal Debt		12388.02
	7760.00	Market Loans bearing interest	9160.00	
	-	Market Loans not bearing interest		
	7.75	Loans from LIC	6.11	
	3394.64	Loans from other institutions	3221.91	
	-	Ways and Means Advances/overdraft	-	
	-	Overdraft from Reserve Bank of India	-	
1233.03		Loans and Advances from Central Government		1223.08
		Pre 1984-85 loans	_	
	84.34	Non-Plan Loans	84.17	
	1140.38	Loans for State Plan Schemes	1130.60	
	0.03	Loans for Central Plan Schemes	0.03	
	8.28	Loans for Centrally Sponsored Plan Schemes	8.29	
100.00		Contingency Fund		100.00
2078.99		Small savings, Provident Fund etc.		2314.93
1576.32		Deposits		1753.39
1535.86		Reserve Funds		1719.78
(-)287.42		Remittance balances		(-)451.60
(-)1079.59		Suspense and Miscellaneous		(-)1104.21
16319.58				17943.38
		Assets		
15809.73		Gross Capital Outlay on Fixed Assets		17903.80
	560.94	Investment in shares of Companies, Corporation etc.	613.02	
	15248.79	Other Capital Outlay	17290.78	
71.03		Loans and Advances		97.81
		Loans for Power Projects		
	53.09	Other Development Loans	83.31	
	17.93	Loans to Government Servants and Miscellaneous	14.50	
	17.55	loans	11.50	
		Reserve Fund Investments		
0.52		Advances		0.53
0.00		Contingency fund		0.00
982.20		Cash		995.77
		Cash in Treasuries and Local Remittances		
	(-)126.49	Deposits with Reserve Bank	(-)6.51	
	1.48	Departmental Cash Balances	1.48	
	0.29	Permanent Advances	0.30	
	344.25	Cash Balance Investments	153.16	
	762.67	Earmarked Fund Investment	847.34	
()=1=00		Deficit on Government Accounts		()10-1
(-)543.90	4.4.5	Revenue Deficit of the current year	4.4.5	(-)1054.53
	1.16	Miscellaneous Deficit	1.16	
	(-)652.46	Accumulated deficit	(-)1163.09	
	100.00	Appropriation to Contingency Fund	100.00	
	401.00	Net effect of Balances taken over	454.55	
	431.66	Balances taken over on 30 May 1987 under capital	431.66	
	(-)424.26	Net result of allocation of Capital Expenditure	(-)424.26	
16319.58				17943.38

(Referred to in Para 1.1.4)

#### **Budget Estimates, Revised Estimates and Actuals for the year 2017-18**

	Budget	Revised	Actuals		Decrease -)	Increas	e/Decrease (-)
Fiscal parameters	estimates (₹ in crore)	estimates (₹in	(₹in crore)		crore)	(in per cent)	
	•	crore)		Actual to BE	Actual to RE	Actual to BE	Actual to RE
1	2	3	4	5 (4-2)	6 (4-3)	7	8
(1) Revenue receipts (a+b+c+d)	10873	10921	11054	181	133	1.66	1.22
(a) Tax revenue	4800	4847	4732	(-)68	(-)115	(-)1.42	(-)2.37
State Goods and Service Tax (SGST)	-	1711	1464	-	(-)247	-	(-)14.44
Taxes on sales, trade etc.	2582	1492	1622	(-)960	130	(-)37.18	8.71
State excise	386	386	410	24	24	6.22	6.22
Taxes on vehicles	234	234	314	80	80	34.19	34.19
Stamps and registration fees	601	601	530	(-)71	(-)71	(-)11.81	(-)11.81
Land revenue	62	62	42	(-)20	(-)20	(-)32.26	(-)32.26
Taxes on goods and passengers	503	180	210	(-)293	30	(-)58.25	16.67
Other taxes and duties on commodities and services	432	182	140	(-)292	(-)42	(-)67.59	(-)23.08
(b) Non-tax revenue	2848	2856	3033	185	177	6.50	6.20
Interest receipts	17	28	27	10	(-)1	58.82	(-)3.57
Police	9	9	4	(-)5	(-)5	(-)55.56	(-)55.56
Power	1819	1819	2119	300	300	16.49	16.49
Other administrative services	179	180	140	(-)39	(-)40	(-)21.79	(-)22.22
Miscellaneous general services	46	46	32	(-)14	(-)14	(-)30.43	(-)30.43
Education, sports, art and culture	29	31	26	(-)3	(-)5	(-)10.34	(-)16.13
Medical and public health	36	37	38	2	1	5.56	2.70
Water supply and sanitation	126	126	130	4	4	3.17	3.17
Urban development	64	61	43	(-)21	(-)18	(-)32.81	(-)29.51
Medium irrigation	20	20	45	25	25	125.00	125.00
Minor irrigation	10	10	8	(-)2	(-)2	(-)20.00	(-)20.00
Non-ferrous mining and metallurgical industries	378	378	333	(-)45	(-)45	(-)11.90	(-)11.90
Roads and bridges	28	28	35	7	7	25.00	25.00
Other non-tax revenue	87	83	53	(-)34	(-)30	(-)39.08	(-)36.14
(c) State's share of union taxes and duties	2551	2544	2544	(-)7	0	(-)0.27	0

(d) Grants-in-aid from GoI	674	674	745	71	71	10.53	10.53
(2) Public Debt	1692	1860	2006	314	146	18.56	7.85
(3) Recoveries of loans and advances	12	12	7	(-)5	(-)5	(-)41.67	(-)41.67
(4) Total receipts (1+2+3)	12577	12793	13067	490	274	3.90	2.14
(5) Revenue expenditure (a+b+c)	10670	10612	10543	(-)127	(-)69	(-)1.19	(-)0.65
(a) General services	3307	3307	3517	210	210	6.35	6.35
Administration of justice	74	74	68	(-)6	(-)6	(-)8.11	(-)8.11
Elections	24	24	13	(-)11	(-)11	(-)45.83	(-)45.83
Land revenue	15	15	13	(-)2	(-)2	(-)13.33	(-)13.33
Stamps and registration	13	13	12	(-)1	(-)1	(-)7.69	(-)7.69
State excise	17	17	20	3	3	17.65	17.65
Taxes on sales, trade etc.	25	25	23	(-)2	(-)2	(-)8.00	(-)8.00
Interest payments	1276	1276	1244	(-)32	(-)32	(-)2.51	(-)2.51
Secretariat- general services	56	56	54	(-)2	(-)2	(-)3.57	(-)3.57
District administration	49	49	55	6	6	12.24	12.24
Treasury and accounts administration	20	20	24	4	4	20.00	20.00
Police	419	419	489	70	70	16.71	16.71
Jails	15	15	13	(-)2	(-)2	(-)13.33	(-)13.33
Public works	105	105	117	12	12	11.43	11.43
Other administrative services	74	74	80	6	6	8.53	8.53
Pension and other retirement benefits	981	981	1164	183	183	18.65	18.65
Miscellaneous general services	55	55	40	(-)15	(-)15	(-)27.27	(-)27.27
Others	89	89	88	(-)1	(-)1	(-)1.12	(-)1.12
(b) Social services	4188	4177	4155	(-)33	(-)22	(-)0.79	(-)0.53
General education	1424	1424	1516	92	92	6.46	6.46
Technical education	100	98	103	3	5	3.00	5.10
Sports and youth services	72	69	63	(-)9	(-)6	(-)12.50	(-)8.70
Medical and public health	767	767	826	59	59	7.69	7.69
Family welfare	15	15	15	0	0	0.00	0.00
Water supply and sanitation	352	352	377	25	25	7.10	7.10
Housing	16	16	10	(-)6	(-)6	(-)37.50	(-)37.50
Urban development	236	236	213	(-)23	(-)23	(-)9.75	(-)9.75
Labour and employment	65	65	60	(-)5	(-)5	(-)7.69	(-)7.69
Social security and welfare	786	783	687	(-)99	(-)96	(-)12.60	(-)12.26

Welfare of scheduled							
castes, scheduled tribes, other backward classes and minorities	150	150	110	(-)40	(-)40	(-)26.67	(-)26.67
Relief on account of natural calamities	25	25	6	(-)19	(-)19	(-)76.00	(-)76.00
Others	180	177	169	(-)11	(-)8	(-)6.11	(-)4.52
(c) Economic services	3175	3128	2871	(-)304	(-)257	(-)9.57	(-)8.22
Crop husbandry	134	134	108	(-)26	(-)26	(-)19.40	(-)19.40
Animal husbandry	44	44	36	(-)8	(-)8	(-)18.18	(-)18.18
Forestry and wildlife	55	55	55	0	0	0.00	0.00
Co-operation	16	16	14	(-)2	(-)2	(-)12.50	(-)12.50
Rural employment	44	44	25	(-)19	(-)19	(-)43.18	(-)43.18
Other rural development programmes	136	133	122	(-)14	(-)11	(-)10.29	(-)8.27
Medium irrigation	66	66	86	20	20	30.30	30.30
Minor irrigation	47	47	51	4	4	8.51	8.51
Power	1675	1675	1670	(-)5	(-)5	(-)0.30	(-)0.30
Industries	94	92	50	(-)44	(-)42	(-)46.81	(-)45.65
Non-ferrous mining and metallurgical industries	55	55	15	(-)40	(-)40	(-)72.73	(-)72.73
Roads and bridges	145	145	149	4	4	2.76	2.76
Road transport	124	124	120	(-)4	(-)4	(-)3.23	(-)3.23
Secretariat- economic services	22	22	13	(-)9	(-)9	(-)40.91	(-)40.91
Census surveys and statistics	18	16	9	(-)9	(-)7	(-)50.00	(-)43.75
Civil supplies	13	9	8	(-)5	(-)1	(-)38.46	(-)11.11
Others	487	451	340	(-)147	(-)111	(-)30.18	(-)24.61
(d) Grants-in-aid and contributions	1758	1752	1635	(-)123	(-)117	(-)7.00	(-)6.68
(6) Capital expenditure	4193	3716	2094	(-)2099	(-)1622	(-)50.06	(-)43.65
Capital outlay on police	17	17	1	(-)16	(-)16	(-)94.12	(-)94.12
Capital outlay on public works	331	327	110	(-)221	(-)217	(-)66.77	(-)66.36
Capital Outlay on Misc. General Services	650	400	289	(-)361	(-)111	(-)55.54	(-)27.75
Capital outlay on education, sports, art and culture	286	263	118	(-)168	(-)145	(-)58.74	(-)55.13
Capital outlay on Health and Family welfare	178	153	80	(-)98	(-)73	(-)55.06	(-)47.71
Capital outlay on water supply and sanitation	809	809	312	(-)497	(-)497	(-)61.43	(-)61.43
Capital outlay on urban development	142	142	135	(-)7	(-)7	(-)4.93	(-)4.93

Capital outlay on welfare of scheduled castes, scheduled tribes, other backward classes and minorities	38	34	7	(-)31	(-)27	(-)81.58	(-)79.41
Capital outlay on crop husbandry	26	26	16	(-)10	(-)10	(-)38.46	(-)38.46
Capital outlay on medium irrigation	72	72	14	(-)58	(-)58	(-)80.56	(-)80.56
Capital outlay on minor irrigation	60	60	78	18	18	30.00	30.00
Capital outlay on flood control projects	53	53	56	3	3	5.66	5.66
Capital outlay on power projects	447	447	169	(-)278	(-)278	(-)62.19	(-)62.19
Capital outlay on civil aviation	101	26	16	(-)85	(-)10	(-)84.16	(-)38.46
Capital outlay on roads and bridges	532	522	430	(-)102	(-)92	(-)19.17	(-)17.62
Capital outlay on road transport	143	93	48	(-)95	(-)45	(-)66.43	(-)48.39
Capital outlay on tourism	116	116	93	(-)23	(-)23	(-)19.83	(-)19.83
Other capital outlays	192	156	122	(-)70	(-)34	(-)36.46	(-)21.79
(7) Repayment of public debt	877	907	790	(-)87	(-)117	(-)9.92	(-)12.90
(8) Disbursement of loans and advances	106	45	34	(-)72	(-)11	(-)67.92	(-)24.44
Total expenditure (5+6+7+8)	15846	15280	13461	(-)2385	(-)1819	(-)15.05	(-)11.90
(9) Interest Payment	1276	1276	1244	(-)32	(-)32	(-)2.50	(-)2.50
(10) Net Capital outlay	(-)4193	(-)3716	(-)2094	(-)2099	(-)1622	(-)50.06	(-)43.65
(11) Net Loans and Advances	(-)94	(-)33	(-)27	67	6	(-)71.28	(-)18.18
(12) Revenue surplus (+)/ deficits (-) (1-5)	203	309	511	308	202	151.72	65.37
(13) Fiscal deficits (-)/surplus (+) (12+11+10)	(-)4084	(-)3440	(-)1610	2474	1830	(-)60.58	(-)53.20
(14) Primary surplus (+)/ deficits(-)(13+9)	(-)2808	(-)2164	(-)366	2442	1798	(-)86.97	(-)83.09

(Source: Finance Accounts and budget documents of the State)

(Referred to in paragraph 1.3)

#### Time series data on the State Government finances

(₹ in crore)

		-		<b>(₹</b> in c	
	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Part A. Receipts					
1. Revenue Receipts	6450	7689	8552	9565	11054
(i) Tax Revenue	3582(56)	3896(51)	3975(46)	4261(45)	4732(43)
State Goods and Services Tax (SGST)	-	-	-	-	1464(31)
Taxes on Sales, Trade etc.	1708(48)	1860(48)	2116(53)	2438(57)	1622(34)
State Excise	236(6)	268(7)	319(8)	321(7)	410(9)
Taxes on Vehicles	154(4)	181(5)	196(5)	244(6)	314(7)
Stamp duty and Registration fee	396(11)	660(17)	525(13)	365(9)	530(11)
Land Revenue	454(13)	25(1)	24(1)	39(1)	42(1)
Taxes on goods and passengers	386(11)	404(10)	464(12)	454(11)	210(4)
Other Taxes	248(7)	498(13)	331(8)	400(9)	140(3)
(ii) Non-Tax Revenue	1662(26)	2326(30)	2432(28)	2712(28)	3033(27)
(iii) State's share in Union taxes and duties	849(13)	901(12)	1924(22)	2299(24)	2544(23)
(iv) Grants-in-aid from Government of India	357(5)	566(7)	221(3)	293(3)	745(7)
2. Misc. Capital Receipts	-	-	-	-	-
3. Recoveries of Loans and Advances	13	10	10	9	7
4. Total Revenue and Non-debt capital receipt (1+2+3)	6463	7699	8562	9574	11061
5. Public Debt Receipts	1297	1267	1847	1519	2006
Internal Debt (excluding Ways and Means Advances and Overdrafts)	1147	1064	1736	1427	1928
Net transactions under Ways and Means Advances and Overdraft	-	-	-	-	-
Loans and Advances from Government of India	150	203	111	92	78
6. Total Receipts in the Consolidated Fund (4+5)	7812	8966	10409	11093	13067
7. Contingency Fund Receipts	-	200	(-)130	-	-
8. Public Accounts receipts	8496	9290	10941	11128	13377
9. Total receipts of the State (6+7+8)	16308	18256	21220	22221	26444
Part B. Expenditure/Disbursement	7811	8644	10042	10505	12637
10. Revenue Expenditure	6803(87)	7410(86)	8420(84)	8866(84)	10543(83)
Plan	1711(25)	1701(23)	2099(25)	2126(24)	-
Non Plan	5092(75)	5709(77)	6321(75)	6740(76)	-
General Services (including Interests payments)	2076(30)	2370(32)	2564(30)	2873(32)	3517(34)
Social Services (including GIA and contributions)	2634(39)	2815(38)	3183(38)	3345(38)	4155(39)
Economic Services (including GIA and contributions)	2093(31)	2225(30)	2673(32)	2648(30)	2871(27)
11. Capital Expenditure	1008(13)	1234(14)	1622(16)	1639(16)	2094(17)
Plan	998(99)	1235(100)	1611(99)	1623(99)	-
Non Plan	10(1)	(-)1	11(1)	16(1)	-
General Services	194(19)	306(25)	271(17)	204(12)	409(20)
Social Services	172(17)	278(22)	343(21)	432(26)	654(31)
Economic Services	642(64)	650(53)	1008(62)	1003(61)	1031(49)

	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Part B. Expenditure/Disbursement					
12. Disbursement of Loans and Advances	4	3	3	3	34
13. Total (10+11+12)	7815	8647	10045	10508	12671
14. Repayments of Public Debt	332	366	439	468	790
Internal Debt (excluding Ways and Means Advances and Overdrafts)	306	338	412	441	702
Net transactions under Ways and Means Advances and Overdraft	-	-	-	-	-
Loans and Advances from Government of India	26	28	27	27	88
15. Appropriation to Contingency Fund	-	200	(-)130	-	-
16. Total disbursement out of Consolidated Fund (13+14+15)	8200	9213	10354	10976	13461
17. Net Loans and Advances	9	7	7	6	(-)27
18. Contingency Fund disbursements	-	-	-	-	-
19. Public Accounts disbursements	8027	9233	10893	11029	12969
20. Total disbursement by the State (16+18+19)	16227	18446	21247	22005	26430
Part C. Deficits					
21. Revenue Deficit(-)/Revenue Surplus (+)(1-10)	(-)353	279	132	699	511
22. Fiscal Deficit (4-13)	(-) 1352	(-)948	(-)1483	(-)934	(-)1610
23. Primary Deficit(-)/Surplus(+) (22+24)	(-)461	60	(-)408	214	(-)366
Part D. Other data					
24. Interest Payments (included in revenue expenditure)	891	1008	1075	1148	1244
24. Financial Assistance to local bodies etc.	941	1020	1197	1325	1671
25. Ways and Means Advances (WMA)/Overdraft availed (days)	17	121	240	188	88
Ways and Means advances availed	1	109	177	174	88
Overdraft availed	-	12	63	14	0
26. Interest on WMA/Overdraft	#	1	4	4	1
27. Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP)	35921	47814	54785	62336	70267
28. Outstanding fiscal liabilities (year end)	12695	13877	15575	16824	18552
29. Outstanding guarantees including interest (year end)	293	337	623	842	741
30. Maximum amount guaranteed (year end)	575	696	713	932	962
31. Number of incomplete projects	37	87	129	132	153
32. Capital blocked in incomplete projects	1628	697	1453	1509	1204

<sup>#₹3.64</sup> lakh as interest on Ways and Means advances

Таррети					
	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Part E. Fiscal Health Indicator (in per cent)					
I Resource Mobilisation					
Own Tax revenue/GSDP	9.97	8.15	7.26	6.84	6.73
Own Non-Tax Revenue/GSDP	4.63	4.86	4.44	4.35	4.32
Central Transfer/GSDP	2.36	1.88	3.51	3.69	3.62
II Expenditure Management					
Total Expenditure/GSDP	21.76	18.08	18.34	16.86	18.03
Total Expenditure/Revenue Receipts	121.16	112.46	117.46	109.86	114.63
Revenue Expenditure/Total Expenditure	87.05	85.69	83.82	84.37	83.21
Expenditure on Social Services/Total Expenditure	35.91	35.77	35.10	35.94	37.95
Expenditure on Economic Services/Total Expenditure	35.00	33.25	36.65	34.74	30.79
Capital Expenditure/Total Expenditure	12.90	14.27	16.15	15.60	16.53
Capital Expenditure on Social and Economic Services/Total Expenditure	10.42	10.73	13.45	13.66	13.30
III Management of Fiscal Imbalances					
Revenue deficit (surplus)/GSDP	(-)0.98	0.58	0.24	1.12	0.73
Fiscal deficit/GSDP	(-)3.76	(-)1.98	(-)2.71	(-)1.50	(-)2.29
Primary Deficit (surplus)/GSDP	(-)1.28	0.13	(-)0.74	0.34	(-)0.52
Revenue Deficit/Fiscal Deficit	26.11	(-)29.43	(-)8.90	(-)74.83	(-)31.73
Primary Revenue Balance/GSDP	1.50	2.69	2.20	2.96	2.50
IV Management of Fiscal Liabilities					
Fiscal Liabilities/GSDP	35.34	29.02	28.43	26.99	26.40
Fiscal Liabilities/RR	196.82	180.48	182.12	175.89	167.84
Primary deficit vis-a-vis quantum spread	(-)31.06	(-)1.85	47.32	(-)11.63	38.24
Debt Redemption (Principal+Interest)/Total Debt Receipts	94.59	108.45	81.97	106.37	101.40
V Other Fiscal Health Indicator					
			0.25	0.15	0.32
Return on Investment (in per cent)	0.24	0.37	0.27	0.15	0.32
Return on Investment (in <i>per cent</i> )  Balance from Current Revenue (₹in crore)	0.24 (-)323	309	132	729	541

(Source: Finance Accounts of the state for respective years)

(Referred to in para 1.9.3)

#### Transactions under reserve funds

(₹in crore)

Classification	Opening balance	Receipts	Payment	Closing balance					
	Active reserve funds								
8121-122-State Disaster	40.39	6.19	0.42	46.16					
Response Fund									
8222-101-Sinking Fund	491.01	55.53	-	546.54					
8229-110-Electricity	736.33	125.00	31.85	829.48					
Development Fund									
8235-117-Guarantee	245.96	26.95	-	272.91					
Redemption Fund									
Total	1513.69	213.67	32.27	1695.09					
	Inoperative res	serve funds							
8229-123-State Consumer	0.16	0.03	-	0.19					
Welfare Funds									
8235-119-National Calamity	2.99	-	-	2.99					
Contingency Fund									
8235-200-Beaches Improvement	21.42	-	-	21.42					
Fund									
8235-200-Special Fund for	0.08	-	-	0.08					
Compensatory Afforestation									
Total	24.65	0.03	-	24.68					
Grand Total	1538.34	213.70	32.27	1719.77					

(Source: Finance Accounts of the State)

**APPENDIX 2.1** 

(Referred to in Paragraph 2.3.3)

#### Unnecessary supplementary provisions of ₹10 crore or more during 2017-18

(₹in crore)

	_	(\ in crore)				
Sl.No.		Name of grant	Original	Actual	Savings out	Supplementary
	No.		provision	expenditure	of original	provision
					provision	
Reve	nue (v	oted)		1	ı	T
1	31	Panchayats	171.54	142.22	29.32	42.13
2	32	Finance	65.36	3.03	62.33	10.00
3	42	Sports	72.26	62.52	9.74	11.18
4	55	Municipal Administration	210.44	200.64	9.80	105.00
5	76	Electricity	1693.59	1684.30	9.29	43.64
6	78	Tourism	83.73	80.78	2.95	38.60
7	82	Information Technology	89.06	48.20	40.86	15.80
Capi	tal (vo	ted)				
8	13	Transport	143.15	47.73	95.42	10.00
9	21	Public Works	1325.96	712.46	613.50	224.11
10	34	School Education	47.00	8.15	38.85	25.00
11	42	Sports	134.16	85.40	48.76	15.08
12	47	Goa Medical College	70.20	19.44	50.76	21.67
13	48	Health Services	64.25	54.33	9.92	29.90
14	55	Municipal Administration	141.50	135.29	6.21	40.00
15	74	Water Resources	196.16	154.30	41.86	35.00
16	76	Electricity	451.22	169.03	282.19	11.20
17	78	Tourism	116.51	93.09	23.42	15.00
		Total	5076.09	3700.91	1375.18	693.31

(Referred to in Paragraph 2.3.4)

## Excess/Saving (more than $\ref{thm}$ five crore) resulting from unnecessary/insufficient re-appropriation of funds

(₹in crore)

(* in C						(in crore)			
Sl. No.	Grant No.	Grant Name	Description	Re- appropriation	Final Excess	Final Savings			
Unnec	Unnecessary – re-appropriation								
1	17	Police	2055-001-01 (Direction and Administration)	(-)0.10	9.38	0			
2	17	Police	2055-101-02 (Registration. and Surveillance of Foreigners)	(-)0.22	7.03	0			
3	34	School Education	2202-01-106-01 (Government Primary Schools)	(-)5.24	10.43	0			
4	74	Water Resources	2701-04-001-08 (Selaulim Irrigation Project)	(-)0.84	5.09	0			
5	74	Water Resources	2701-04-001-13 (Compensation to affected persons of Tillari Irrigation Project)	(-)1.00	9.00	0			
Insuffi	cient – re-	-appropriation							
6	17	Police	2055-109-01 (Police Force)	(-)8.43	0	9.01			
7	17	Police	2055-800-02 (Indian Reserve Batallion)	(-)1.37	0	6.97			
8	21	Public Works	4215-106-07 (Sewerage Schemes - SIDCL)	(-)136.39	0	35.28			
9	33	Revenue	2245-800-06 (Goa Abolition of Proprietorship of Titles and Grants of Land)	(-)1.40	0	18.60			
10	42	Sports and Youth Affairs	4202-800-10 (Grants to Sports Authority of Goa for Infrastructure Development)	(-)24.72	0	13.00			
11	56	Information & Publicity	4059-01-051-01 (IFFI Infrastructure and Secretariat)	(-)1.00	0	9.00			
12	62	Law	4059-01-051-05 (Construction of New High Court building, Porvorim)	(-)3.60	0	32.44			
13	70	Civil Supplies	4408-01-101-01 (Public Distributon Schemes)	(-)26.25	0	28.62			
14	70	Civil Supplies	4408-01-101-02 (Procurement of Levy Sugar)	14.64	14.50	0			

(Referred to in paragraph 2.3.5)

## Substantial surrenders above ₹ 10 crore and more than 50 per cent of the provisions made during 2017-18

(₹in crore)

₹ in cror								
Sl. No.	Number and title of grant	Total provision	Amount of surrender	Percentage of surrender				
Revenue (Voted)								
1	19 - Industries, Trade and Commerce	52.52	39.13	75				
2	32 - Finance	75.36	72.33	96				
3	54 - Town and Country Planning	34.10	21.84	64				
4	72 - Science, Technology and Environment	89.44	62.79	70				
5	82- Information Technology	104.86	57.39	55				
6	83- Mines	55.23	40.19	73				
Capital	(Voted)							
7	12- Commercial Taxes	30.35	30.35	100				
8	13 - Transport	153.15	105.44	69				
9	17 - Police	22.00	19.68	89				
10	21 - Public Works	1550.07	790.52	51				
11	26- Fire & Emergency Services	20.50	12.38	60				
12	31 - Panchayats	26.16	26.16	100				
13	32 - Finance	750.00	428.55	57				
14	34 - School Education	72.00	63.82	89				
15	36- Technical Education	11.61	11.40	98				
16	40- Goa College of Engineering	23.24	17.78	77				
17	45 - Archives and Archaeology	15.50	10.02	65				
18	47 - Goa Medical College	91.87	72.26	79				
19	51 - Goa Dental College	25.20	25.03	99				
20	61 - Craftsmen Training	23.17	19.54	84				
21	66- Fisheries	22.92	13.41	59				
22	67- Ports Administration	26.17	21.39	82				
23	76- Electricity	462.42	285.30	62				
24	84 - Airport	101.00	84.51	84				
/G	Total	3838.84	2331.21	61				

(Referred to in paragraph 2.3.7)

#### Details of savings of ₹ one crore and above not surrendered

(₹in crore)

	(₹ in cro					· in crorej
Sl. No.	Number and Name of grant	Total grant	Expenditure	Savings	Savings surrendered	Savings not surrendered
Reven	ue (Voted)					
1	4- District & Sessions Court (South Goa)	22.44	20.88	1.56	-	1.57
2	6- Election Office	24.49	12.71	11.78	8.48	3.30
3	23- Home	8.98	4.29	4.69	0.54	4.15
4	31- Panchayats	213.67	142.22	71.45	40.60	30.85
5	33- Revenue	26.45	6.45	20.00	-	20.00
6	55- Municipal Administration	315.44	200.64	114.80	111.93	2.87
7	60- Employment	4.74	1.88	2.86	-	2.86
8	65- Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services	113.54	95.28	18.26	14.03	4.23
9	81- Department of Tribal Welfare	140.48	94.84	45.64	35.83	9.81
Capit	al (Voted)					
10	8- Treasury & Accounts Administration, North Goa	4.25	0.08	4.17	1.15	3.02
11	17- Police	22.00	1.11	20.89	19.68	1.21
12	21- Public Works Department	1550.07	712.46	837.61	790.52	47.09
13	23- Home	5.00	-	5.00	2.00	3.00
14	26- Fire & Emergency Services	20.50	7.06	13.44	12.38	1.06
15	33- Revenue	55.00	3.13	51.87	-	51.87
16	40- Goa College of Engineering	23.24	2.72	20.52	17.78	2.74
17	42- Sports and Youth Affairs	149.24	85.40	63.84	49.89	13.95
18	46- Museum	10.00	0.17	9.83	-	9.83
19	56- Information & Publicity	10.00	-	10.00	1.00	9.00
20	62- Law	79.44	14.83	64.61	33.45	31.16
21	69- Dept of Handicraft, Textile and Coir	3.00	0.50	2.50	1.22	1.28
22	70- Civil Supplies	93.00	37.99	55.01	40.89	14.12
23	76- Electricity	462.42	169.03	293.39	285.30	8.09
	Total	3357.39	1613.67	1743.72	1466.67	277.05

(Referred to in paragraph 2.3.7)

#### Surrender of funds in excess of ₹ 20 crore in March 2018

(₹ in crore)

Sl. No.	Grant No.	Total grant	Expenditure	Savings surrendered	Percentage of total provision
Reven	ue (Voted)			l	_
1	19- Industries, Trade And Commerce	52.52	13.37	39.13	74.50
2	21- Public Works Department	759.47	689.82	71.43	9.41
3	31- Panchayats	213.67	142.22	40.60	19.00
4	32- Finance	75.36	3.03	72.33	95.98
5	34- School Education	1269.93	1210.67	75.90	5.98
6	42- Sports and Youth Affairs	83.44	62.52	21.26	25.48
7	48- Health Services	519.18	450.05	68.52	13.20
8	54- Town & Country Planning	34.10	12.59	21.84	64.05
9	55- Municipal Administration	315.44	200.64	111.93	35.48
10	58- Women & Child Development	471.01	389.85	80.82	17.16
11	64- Agriculture	140.74	113.44	27.03	19.21
12	72- Science, Technology and Environment	89.44	26.57	62.79	70.20
13	76- Electricity	1737.23	1684.30	52.32	3.01
14	78- Tourism	122.33	80.78	41.52	33.94
15	81- Tribal Welfare	140.48	94.84	35.83	25.51
16	82- Information Technology	104.86	48.20	57.39	54.73
17	83- Mines	55.23	15.04	40.19	72.77
Capit	tal (Voted)			ı	
18	12- Commercial Taxes	30.35	0.00	30.35	100
19	13- Transport	153.15	47.73	105.44	68.85
20	21- Public Works Department	1550.07	712.46	790.52	51.00
21	31- Panchayats	26.16	0.00	26.16	100.00
22	32- Finance	750.00	321.45	428.55	57.14
23	34- School Education	72.00	8.15	63.82	88.64
24	42- Sports and Youth Affairs	149.24	85.40	49.89	33.43
25	47- Goa Medical College	91.87	19.44	72.26	78.65
26	48- Health Services	94.15	54.33	39.74	42.21
27	51- Goa Dental College	25.20	0.17	25.03	99.33
28	55- Municipal Administration	181.50	135.29	46.21	25.46
29	62- Law	79.44	14.83	33.45	42.11
30	67- Ports Administration	26.17	4.30	21.39	81.73
31	70- Civil Supplies	93.00	37.99	40.89	43.97
32	74- Water Resources	231.16	154.30	76.74	33.20
33	76- Electricity	462.42	169.03	285.30	61.70
34	78- Tourism	131.51	93.09	38.41	29.21
35	82- Information Technology	85.00	43.22	41.78	49.15
	Total	10416.82	7139.11	3136.76	30.11

(Referred to in paragraph 3.1)

#### Department-wise break-up of outstanding Utilisation Certificates as on 31 March 2018

Sl. No.	Name of the Department	No. of utilisation certificates	Amount (₹in crore)
1	Directorate of Education	877	142.22
2	Directorate of Technical Education	3	0.43
3	Directorate of Higher Education	31	41.47
4	Department of Tribal Welfare	238	14.59
5	Town and Country Planning Department	24	12.00
6	Directorate of Municipal Administration	503	327.24
7	i) Directorate of Women and Child Welfare ii) Directorate of Social Welfare	311 297	6.61 28.83
8	Department of Science, Technology and Environment	201	18.63
9	i) Directorate of Panchayats (South)	1848	56.01
9	ii) Directorate of Panchayats (North)	2824	352.79
	i) General Administration Department (GAD)	12	1.02
10	ii) Directorate of Official Language	10	0.04
10	iii) Legislature Department	16	0.77
	iv) Human Resources Development	3	3.00
11	Directorate of Health Services	62	269.27
12	Institute of Psychiatry and Human Behaviour	1	0.01
13	Directorate of Small Savings and Lotteries	6	2.18
14	Directorate of Agriculture	85	0.32
15	Department of Forests	24	28.28
16	Goa Sate Legal Services Authority	18	2.16
17	Under Secretary, Finance (Home)	126	2.50
18	Under Secretary, Revenue	15	8.19
19	Under Secretary, Finance (R&C)	6	1.40
20	Public Health Department	6	0.03
21	Law Department	9	7.42
22	Public Works Department	33	117.34
23	North Goa District Legal Authority	1	0.05
24	Directorate of Sports and Youth Affairs	475	207.43
25	Directorate of Art and Culture	4169	258.49
26	Directorate of Archives and Archaeology	1	0.15
27	Director General of Police	1	3.83
	Total	12236	1914.70

(Source: Information furnished by Director of Accounts)

(Referred to in paragraph 3.2)

## Statement showing delay in submission of accounts of autonomous bodies and tabling of SARs in Legislature as of March 2019

SI. No.	Name of the body/authority	Period of entrustment of audit	Year for which accounts received	Delay in submission of accounts	Period of delay (in month)	Year up to which SARs issued	Placement of SARs before the Legislature (Year/Date)
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Goa University	01.04.2015 to 31.03.2020	2016-17	July 2017 to January 2018	7	2016-17	2015-16/20.02.2018
2	Goa Housing Board	01.04.2017 to 31.03.2022	2016-17	October 2017 to January 2018	4	2016-17	2015-16/21.02.2018
3	Goa Tillari Irrigation Development Corporation	01.04.2012 to 31.03.2016	2010-11	July 2011 to February 2014	32	2010-11	2010-11/18.08.2017
4	Khadi and Village Industries Board	01.04.2013 to 31.03.2018	2013-14	July 2014 to November 2015	17	2013-14	2013-14/09.08.2016
5	Goa State Commission for Backward Classes	01.04.2014 to 31.03.2019	2016-17	July 2017 to January 2018	7	2016-17	2015-16/24.07.2018
6	Goa Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education	01.04.2015 to 31.03.2020	2015-16	July 2016 to September 2017	15	2015-16	Not applicable
7	South Goa Zilla Panchayat	01.04.2014 to 31.03.2019	2016-17	July 2017	1	2016-17	Accounts from 2006- 07 to 2016-17 not yet placed in legislature
8	North Goa Zilla Panchayat	01.04.2014 to 31.03.2019	2008-09	July 2009 to March 2015	69	2008-09	2007-08/27.07.2015
9	Goa State Legal Services Authority	As per Act	2016-17	July 2017 to February 2018	8	2016-17	Accounts from 1997- 98 to 2016-17 not yet placed in legislature
10	District Legal Services Authority, South Goa	As per Act	2013-14	July 2014 to January 2018	43	2013-14	Accounts from 2006- 07 to 2013-14 not yet placed in legislature
11	District Legal Services Authority, North Goa	As per Act	2014-15	July 2015 to April 2016	10	2014-15	Accounts from 2006- 07 to 2014-15 not yet placed in legislature
12	Goa State Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management and Planning Authority	As per Act	2015-16	July 2016 to October 2016	4	2015-16	Not applicable
13	Goa Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan Society	01.04.2015 to 31.03.2020	2015-16	July 2016 to February 2017	8	2015-16	2015-16/04.08.2017

(Source: Information compiled by Audit)

(Referred to in paragraph 3.4)

Department-wise/duration-wise break-up of the cases of misappropriation, defalcation, etc. (Cases where final action was pending at the end of June 2018)

(Figures in brackets indicate ₹in lakh)

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Sl.	Name of the Department	Upto 5 years	5 to 10	10 years	Total No.	
No.			years	and above	of cases	
1	Director of Panchayats, Panaji	4(-*)	4*(1.70)	2(3.44)	10(5.14)	
2	Director General of Police	-	2@(0.14)	-	2(0.14)	
3	Director of Civil Supplies and Consumer	-	1(3.02)	2(2.90)	3(5.92)	
	Affairs					
4	Chief Electrical Engineer, Panaji	1(44.51)	2(6.96)	3(98.17)	6(149.64)	
5	Chief Engineer, PWD, Panaji	1(13.44)	-	1(38.60)	2(52.04)	
6	Dean, Goa Medical College, Bambolim	2(4.38)	1(3.20)	-	3(7.58)	
7	Director of Education, Panaji	-	1(7.00)	-	1(7.00)	
8	Directorate of Skill Development and	-	1(0.50)	-	1(0.50)	
	Entrepreneurship					
9	Director of Sports and Youth Affairs,	-	1(1.55)	-	1(1.55)	
	Panaji					
	Total	8(62.33)	13(24.07)	8(143.11)	29(229.51)	

<sup>\*</sup>Amount not assessed in five cases

<sup>@</sup>Amount not assessed in one case

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