

## Preface

The Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended March, 2011 containing the results of the Performance Audit of the Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) Scheme has been prepared for submission to the President of India under Article 151 of the Constitution.

The Performance Audit was conducted through test check of records of the Ministry of Women and Child Development and implementing agencies of the selected 13 State Governments. The period covered under the audit was 2006-07 to 2010-11. The Report was forwarded to the Ministry on 20 July 2012. The replies of the Ministry, received on 23 November 2012, have been considered and appropriately incorporated in the Report.