PREFACE

This Report for the year ended March 2016 has been prepared for submission to the Governor of Tamil Nadu under Article 151 of the Constitution of India, for being laid before the State Legislature.

The Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India contains the results of Performance Audit of 'Flood management and response in Chennai and its suburban areas' covering the period from 2011-12 to 2015-16.

The instances mentioned in the Report are those, which came to notice in the course of the performance audit conducted during June 2016 to November 2016. Matters relating to the periods outside the audit period have also been reported in places where they were found necessary.

The Audit has been conducted in conformity with the Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India.

Audit wishes to acknowledge the cooperation received from Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Housing and Urban Development Department, Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department and Public Works Department.

