

PREFACE

This Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended 31 March 2020 has been prepared in accordance with Article 151 of the Constitution of India. As per the decision of the Government of India, Ministry of Finance (June 1994), wherever President's Rule is extended beyond one year, the C&AG's Report relating to the State would be placed in Parliament. Hence, this Report is being sent to President for laying in the Parliament. Consequent to the reorganisation of the State of Jammu and Kashmir, under the Jammu & Kashmir Reorganisation Act, 2019, the Report is also being sent to the Lieutenant Governors of the successor Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir and Union Territory of Ladakh.

This Report contains six chapters in **three** parts.

Part-A: Revenue Sector

This part contains significant findings of audit of receipts and expenditure of major revenue earning departments conducted under the Comptroller and Auditor General's (Duties, Powers and Conditions of Service) Act, 1971.

Part-B: Social, General and Economic Sectors (Departments)

This part contains significant results of compliance audit of the departments/ autonomous bodies of the Government of Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir under the Social, General and Economic Sectors, conducted as per provisions of the Comptroller and Auditor General's (Duties, Powers and Conditions of Service) Act, 1971.

Part-C: Social, General and Economic Sectors (Public Sector Undertakings)

This part deals with the results of test audit of Government Companies and Statutory Corporations for the year ended March 2020.

The accounts of Government Companies (including companies deemed to be Government Companies as per provisions of the Companies Act) are audited by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India (CAG) under the provisions of Section 619 of the Companies Act 1956 and Sections 139 and 143 of the Companies Act 2013. The audit of Statutory Corporations is conducted under their respective legislation.

The instances mentioned in this Report are those which came to notice in the course of test audit during the period 2019-20 as well as those which came to notice in earlier years but could not be reported in the previous Audit Reports. Instances relating to the period subsequent to 2019-20 have also been included, wherever necessary.

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

