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This Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India has been prepared for submission to the Governor of Jharkhand under Article 151 (2) of the Constitution of India, for being laid before the State Legislative Assembly.

Two Performance Audits viz., '*Implementation of Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme in Jharkhand*' and '*Implementation of Jal Jeevan Mission in Jharkhand*', covering the period from April 2019 to March 2024, were carried out to highlight deficiencies, suggest remedial action, and recommend measures to strengthen the outcomes of the Scheme.

The instances mentioned in this Report are among those which came to notice in the course of test audit for the period 2019-20 to 2023-24 as well as those which came to notice in earlier years but could not be reported in previous Audit Reports. Instances relating to the period subsequent to 2023-24 have also been included, wherever necessary.

The Audit has been conducted in conformity with the Auditing Standards, Performance Auditing Guidelines and Regulation on Audit and Accounts issued by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India.

