## **PREFACE**

This Report for the year ended March 2014 has been prepared for submission to the President under Article 151 of the Constitution.

The Report includes matters arising from test audit of the Finance Accounts and the Appropriation Accounts of the Union Government for the year ended March 2014.

The observations arising from the audit of various financial transactions of the Ministries are included in a separate report. Separate reports are also presented to Parliament for the Union Government: Scientific Departments, Defence Services – Army and Ordnance Factories, Defence Services–Air Force and Navy, Railways, Indirect Taxes – Customs, Central Excise and Service Tax and Direct Taxes.