Preface

This Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the years ended March 2020 and March 2021 has been prepared for submission to the Governor of Andhra Pradesh under Article 151 of the Constitution of India for being laid before Legislature of the State.

The Report contains significant results of Compliance Audit of the Departments of Health, Medical & Family Welfare; Higher Education; Labour, Employment, Training & Factories; Municipal Administration & Urban Development (MA&UD); Panchayat Raj & Rural Development (PR&RD); School Education, Social Welfare and Environment, Forest, Science & Technology and their field offices including State Development Authorities of the Government of Andhra Pradesh.

The instances mentioned in this Report are those which came to notice in the course of test audit during the period 2019-21, as well as those which came to notice in earlier years, and those could not be reported in the previous Audit Reports. Instances relating to the period subsequent to 2019-21 have also been included, wherever necessary.

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