## **Preface**

This Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended 31 March 2022 has been prepared for submission to the Governor of Uttar Pradesh under Article 151 of the Constitution of India.

The Report contains the results of the Performance Audit on 'Welfare of Building and Other Construction Workers', covering the period 2017-22. The instances mentioned in this Report are those which came to notice in the course of test-audit for the period 2017-22. Instances relating to the period subsequent to 2021-22 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.