

Preface

This Report for the year ended 31 March 2004 has been prepared for submission to the Governor under Article 151(2) of the Constitution of India.

The audit of revenue receipts of the State Government is conducted under Section 16 of the Comptroller and Auditor General's (Duties, Powers and Conditions of Service) Act, 1971. This Report presents the results of audit of receipts comprising taxes on sales, trade etc., stamp duty and registration fee, State excise duty, electricity duty, taxes on motor vehicles, passengers and goods tax, entertainment duty and show tax, agriculture (purchase tax and crop husbandry) and non-tax receipts of the state.

The cases mentioned in this Report are among those, which came to notice in the course of test audit of records during the year 2003-2004 as well as those noticed in earlier years but could not be included in previous Reports.