

PREFACE

1. This Report has been prepared for submission to the Governor under Article 151 of the Constitution.
2. Chapters I and II of this Report respectively contain Audit observations on matters arising from examination of Finance Accounts and Appropriation Accounts of State Government for the year ended 31 March 2003.
3. The remaining chapters deal with the findings of performance audit and audit of transactions in various departments including the Public Works and Irrigation Departments, audit of Stores and Stock, audit of Autonomous Bodies and departmentally run commercial undertakings.
4. The Report containing points arising from audit of the financial transactions relating to Zilla Panchayats is being presented separately.
5. The Report containing the observations arising out of Statutory Corporations, Boards and Government Companies and the Report containing such observations on Revenue Receipts are presented separately.
6. The cases mentioned in the Report are among those which came to notice in the course of test audit of accounts during the year 2002-03 as well as those which had come to notice in earlier years but could not be dealt with in previous Reports; matters relating to the periods subsequent to 2002-03 have also been included, wherever, necessary.

