

PREFACE

A reference is invited to the prefatory remarks in Report No. 9 of 2007 – Union Government (Commercial) of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India where a mention was made that Report No.9 of Performance Audit contains reviews on some of the activities of the Companies and Corporations other than Companies under the Telecommunications Sector.

This Report contains reviews on the following activities of selected PSUs:

Name of the Ministry/Department	Title of the Review
Ministry of Coal	a) Rajrappa Project - Central Coalfields Limited b) Performance of Thermal Power Stations – Neyveli Lignite Corporation Limited
Ministry of Defence	a) Performance of Engine Division – Bharat Earth Movers Limited b) Outsourcing activities – Hindustan Aeronautics Limited
Ministry of Mines	Acquisition and operation of Rolled Product Unit – National Aluminium Company Limited
Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas	a) Solvent Dewaxing Unit of Digboi Refinery and Microcrystalline Wax Plant at Haldia Refinery– Indian Oil Corporation Limited b) Performance of offshore rigs in shallow water areas – Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited
Ministry of Shipping	System of collection and accounting of freight and other charges from agents – The Shipping Corporation of India
Ministry of Steel	Coal Dust Injection system in the blast furnaces – Steel Authority of India Limited