

Preface

This report deals with the results of audit of Government companies and Statutory corporations for the year ended 31 March 2016.

The accounts of Government companies (including companies under Section 139 (5) and 139 (7) of the Companies Act, 2013) are audited by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India (CAG) under the provisions of section 143 (6) of the Companies Act, 2013. The accounts certified by the Statutory Auditors (Chartered Accountants) appointed by the Comptroller and Auditor General under the Companies Act are subject to supplementary audit by officers of the CAG and the CAG gives his comments or supplements the reports of the Statutory Auditors. In addition, these Companies are also subject to test audit by the CAG.

Reports in relation to the accounts of a Government company or Statutory corporation are submitted to the Government by CAG for laying before State Legislature under the provisions of Section 19A of the Comptroller and Auditor General's (Duties, Powers and Conditions of Service) Act, 1971.

The instances mentioned in this Report are those, which came to notice in the course of test audit for the period 2015-16 as well as those, which came to notice in earlier years, but could not be reported in the previous Audit Reports; matters relating to the period subsequent to 2015-16 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.

