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PLANNING & CO-ORDINATION DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

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No. 4458—PC-ES-ES-27/2013-P.—Government have been pleased to constitute the Monitoring Committee under the Chairmanship of the Director, Economics & Statistics, Odisha to improve the overall quality of estimates of State Domestic Product (SDP) and District Domestic Product (DDP) of Odisha.

1. Objectives

The objectives of the Monitoring Committee are as follows :

- (i) To minimize the data gaps faced in estimation of SDP & DDP as provided by source Departments/Offices/Agencies.
- (ii) To ensure the timeliness of availability of data
- (iii) To improve the methodological issues of data collection and compilation by source Agencies.
- (iv) To strengthen the lateral co-ordination among source Departments/Agencies for supplying timely and quality data.
- (v) To identify and recommend new area of scope, coverage, indicators, etc. of items for inclusion in source Departments/Agencies.
- (vi) To improve quality of data in source Departments/Agencies.

2. Composition of Monitoring Committee

The composition of the Monitoring Committee will be as follows :

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| 1. Director, Economics & Statistics, Odisha | .. | Chairman |
| 2. Representative, Agriculture & Food Production | .. | Member |
| 3. Representative, Office of the Director, A.H. & V.S. | .. | Member |
| 4. Representative, Office of the Director, Fishery | .. | Member |

5. Representative, Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forest	..	Member
6. Representative, Office of the Director, Mines	..	Member
7. Representative, Office of the Transport Commissioner, Odisha	..	Member
8. Representative, Office of the Commercial Tax Commissioner, Odisha	..	Member
9. Representative, EPM	..	Member
10. Representative, Horticulture	..	Member
11. Joint Director, Economics & Statistics	..	Member
12. Joint Director, Statistics Cell, P. & C. Department	..	Member
13. Deputy Director, State Income Division, DES, Odisha	..	Member- Convenor.

3. Terms of Reference

The terms of reference for the Monitoring Committee are as follows :

- (a) To carefully evaluate the progress of the current methodological issues, data collection & compilation mechanism actually followed by source Offices/Agencies & DES.
- (b) To monitor progress & find out alternative mechanism for timely availability of data from source Agencies.
- (c) To monitor the co-ordination among DPMUs, District Level Source Offices, State Level Source Office & DES for timely district level data flow.
- (d) To suggest appropriate modifications in the data and methodology for credible and reliable estimation of SDP & DDP and other related aggregates.
- (e) To make such other recommendations, as the Monitoring Committee deem fit for building capacity of the Statistical wing of source Offices/Agencies and Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Odisha for quality estimates of the SDP & DDP.

4. Rules of Business

- (a) The Committee may meet once in a month
- (b) The Chairman of the Committee may also co-opt. any of the Member of the Departments and may invite other experts in the field, or can form Sub-Committee to meet the requirement, if necessary.
- (c) The secretarial assistance will be provided to the Monitoring Committee by the DE & S, Odisha.
- (d) The expenditure for the purpose will be borne by DE & S, Odisha.

By order of the Governor

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