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Subject: Constitution of a High Level Expert Committee to suggest measures for efficient management of public expenditure.

The Eleventh Plan document has discussed at length the various anomalies and inconsistencies that arise out of the present classification of expenditure into the categories of plan and non-plan. These anomalies have hindered the efficient management of public resources. The Plan document has also referred to the major changes in the implementation machinery of the Plan that have occurred in the past several years and has emphasized the need to clarify the scope of the public sector plan.

2. Keeping the above in view, it has been decided to set up a High Level Expert Committee, with the following composition, to suggest measures for the efficient management of public sector expenditure.


- (1) Dr. C. Rangarajan, Chairman, Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister- **Chairman**
- (2) Member (FR), Planning Commission
- (3) Secretary, Planning Commission
- (4) Deputy Governor, Reserve Bank of India
- (5) Secretary, Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance
- (6) Chief Economic Adviser, Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance
- (7) Controller General of Accounts, Ministry of Finance
- (8) Representative of Comptroller and Auditor General of India
- (9) Dr. M.G. Rao, Director, National Institute of Public Finance and Policy, New Delhi
- (10) Dr. Nitin Desai, Honorary Professor, ICRIER, New Delhi
- (11) Prof. D.K. Srivastava, Director, Madras School of Economics
- (12) Prof. Ravinder Dholakia, Professor, IIM Ahmedabad
- (13) Principal Finance Secretary, Government of West Bengal
- (14) Principal Finance Secretary, Government of Tamil Nadu
- (15) Principal Finance Secretary, Government of Madhya Pradesh
- (16) Principal Finance Secretary, Government of Assam
- (17) Principal Finance Secretary, Government of Maharashtra
- (18) Adviser (FR), Planning Commission – **Member Secretary**

3. **The Terms of Reference of the Committee are as follows:**

- (i) To clearly define the scope of the Public Sector Plan and the expenditures incurred there-under keeping in view the changes in the administrative

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