ORDER


In supersession of the earlier order No.20/1/2009-FR dated 1.09.2009 of Planning Commission constituting a Working Group on Centre’s Financial Resources for the formulation of the 12th Five Year Plan (2012-2017), it has been decided to constitute the Working Group for assessment of Centre’s Financial Resources in the following manner.

2. The composition of the Working Group on the assessment of the Centre’s Financial Resources is as under:

1. Chief Economic Adviser
   Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance
   Chairman

2. Chairman (CBDT)
   Central Board of Direct Taxes, Ministry of Finance
   Member

3. Chairman (CBEC)
   Central Board of Excise & Customs, Ministry of Finance
   Member

4. Chairman (RB)
   Railway Board, Ministry of Railways
   Member

5. Controller General of Accounts
   Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance
   Member

6. Joint Secretary (PF-II)
   Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance
   Member

7. Joint Secretary (Budget)
   Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance
   Member

8. Joint Secretary (TPL)
   Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance
   Member

9. Joint Secretary (TRU)
   Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance
   Member

10. Executive Director (RBI)
    Reserve Bank of India
    Member

11. Financial Adviser
    Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas
    Member

12. Financial Adviser
    Department of Fertilizer
    Member

13. Financial Adviser
    Department of Food
    Member

14. Financial Adviser
    Department of Telecom
    Member

15. Financial Adviser
    Ministry of Power
    Member

16. Prof. Pinski Chakravarty
    Professor, NIPFP
    Member

17. Adviser (PP)
    Planning Commission
    Member

18. Adviser (FR)
    Planning Commission
    Member

19. Shri H. K. Hajong
    Director (FR), Planning Commission
    Member

Secretary

2. The Terms of Reference of the Working Group are as follows:

(i) To analyze the resource position of the Centre in light of the implementation of the recommendations of the Thirteenth Finance Commission, fiscal responsibility legislation(s), recommendations of the High level Expert Committee chaired by Dr. C. Rangarajan, introduction of GST and other relevant policy changes;
(ii) On the basis of the above, to suggest the basis for making projections for 'resources' and 'expenditure' for the Centre for the 12th Plan period;

(iii) To prepare and present projection(s) on the scheme of financing for the 12th Plan for the Centre (including UTs without legislature).

3. The Chairman of the Working Group, if deemed necessary may constitute Sub-Groups and/or co-opt additional members.

4. The expenditure on TA/DA etc. of the official members in connection with the meeting of the Working Group will be borne by the respective Government/Department/Institutions to which the member belongs. Non-Official Member will be entitled to TA/DA as admissible to Grade I officers of the Government of India and this Expenditure will be paid by the Planning Commission.

5. The Working Group should submit its interim report within 3 months and final report within 5 months from the date of this order.

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Distribution:
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