



**ABSTRACT**

Establishment – Departments of Economics and Statistics- State Income Unit –  
Compilation of the State Gross Domestic Product / Net State Domestic Product –  
Constitution of the Expert Group - Orders – Issued.

**PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT AND SPECIAL INITIATIVES (ST2&E)DEPARTMENT.**

**G.O.(Ms)No.68**

**Dated :19.09.2017**

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**Thiruvalluvarandu 2048**

**Read :**

From the Principal Secretary/Commissioner, Department of  
Economics and Statistics, D.O. Letter No.34771/AI-1/2017,  
Dated 10.08.2017.

**ORDER:**

In the letter read above, the Principal Secretary/Commissioner, Department of Economics and Statistics has sent a proposal to the Government to form the Expert Group for the estimation and compilation of Gross State Domestic Product / Net State Domestic product have been compiled with the base year as 2011-12. The new series of the Gross State Domestic Product/Net State Domestic Product estimates compiled with the base year as 2011-2012 and the estimates are being sent to Central Government and other State Governments and also to various other Departments. The Central Statistics Office has taken up the preliminary work for the new base 2017-2018 and as a part of base revision exercise, it has stressed the need for the States to carry out requisite State level sample surveys and type studies to improve the reliability of national level estimates.

2. The Government after careful examination, has decided to constitute of the expert group for the estimation and compilation of Gross State Domestic Product / Net State Domestic product compiled with the base year as 2011-12 and ordered accordingly. In order to understand the insight of various parameters involved in the estimation procedure of State Gross Domestic Product and also to analyze the methodological aspects on the compilation of Advance Estimates.

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3. Accordingly, the Government constitute an expert group with the following representative as members and the Principal Secretary/ Commissioner as its Chairman.

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Institution / Department</b>	<b>Members</b>	
1.	Principal Secretary / Commissioner, Department of Economics and Statistics	Chairman	Official Member
2.	Madras School of Economics	Representatives from the concerned Institution	Non- Official Member
3.	Indian Statistical Institute		
4.	Madras University		
5.	Retired ADG from CSO		
6.	DDG, NSSO, Chennai	Thiru Ekambaram	
7.	Department of Economics & Statistics	Thiru DuraiRaj	
7.	Department of Economics & Statistics	Additional Director (SIU)	Official Member
8.	Department of Economics & Statistics	Joint Director(SIU)	

4. The Committee will discuss the following factors viz.,

1. The methodological changes adopted in the new series and the improvement in the coverage, evaluation and analysis on the various methods that could be incorporated in the compilation of the Advance Estimates.
2. The impact of the methodological changes in the new series on the State GSDP estimation in the old and the new base with 2011-12.
3. To indicate the various parameters to fill the data gaps in order to improve the reliability of National and State level estimates.

5. The Non-Official members are eligible for sitting fees of Rs.2000/- per sitting vide G.O.Ms.No.317, Finance (Allowances) Dept., Dated 23.12.2015.

**(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)**

**S.KRISHNAN,  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

To  
The Principal Secretary/Commissioner,  
Department of Economics and Statistics, Chennai-6.

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**SECTION OFFICER.**