MOST URGENT

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM FINANCE (ECONOMIC AFFAIRS) DEPARTMENT SFC CELL

No.FEA (SFC) 57/2010/50

Dated Dispur the 22th June, 2010

To

The Director of Audit (Local Fund), Assam, Kar Bhawan

Sub: Questionnaire relating to the Fourth Assam State Finance Commission.

Ref: No.FEA (SFC) 57/2010/47 Dated 26.04.2010

Sir.

With reference to the letter cited above, the Fourth Assam State Finance Commission has been constituted by the Government of Assam vide notification No.FEA(SFC)110/209/114 dated 23rd April,2010 headed by Shri P.K.Bora, Ex-Chief Secretary, Govt of Assam and four other members.

In terms of the provision of Articles 243 I and 243 Y of the Constitution, the Commission is required to make recommendations as to the following:

- the principles of distribution between the State and the Panchayat and the Municipalities of the net proceeds of taxes and duties levied and collected by the Government of Assam.
- the determination of the taxes, duties, tolls and fees, which may be assigned to, or (ii) appropriated by the Panchayats/Municipalities.
- the grants-in-aid to the Panchayats/Municipalities from the Consolidated Fund of the (iii) State.
- The measures needed to improve the financial position of the Panchayats/ Municipalities. In accordance with the terms of reference (ToR) given to the Commission, among other (iv) things, it is also required to make a review of the receipts and expenditure of the Local Bodies as a whole and of each local body severally. In order to make an assessment of the financial position of the PRIs and ULBs at all levels, the Commission will require a lot of information and data each local body-wise. The details of such information and data are to be incorporated in a questionnaire framed separately for the Panchayats and Municipalities.

relating to SOURCE OF REVENUE A portion of the questionnaire Annexure -I /CAPITAL OF PRIs AND EXPENDITURE is appended here to with the request to get it circulated to district Assistant Director of Audit (Local Fund) and instruct them to fill the questionnaire in respect of each ZILLA PARISHAD AND ALL THE ANCHALIC PANCHAYAT .The filled in questionnaire sent back to you for consolidation and onward transmission to Government both hard and soft copies.

You are, therefore, requested kindly to ensure that replies to the questionnaire complete in all respect should reach SFC (Cell) of Finance (Economic Affairs) Department on or before 30th June, 2010.

Finance (Economic Affair) Department

Memo No.FEA (SFC) 57/2010/50-A Copy to:

1.All Assistant Director of Audit (Local Fund)

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