## **State Plans Division**

The State Plans Division deals with the following: -

- 1. Policy matters relating to preparation, finalization, approval and implementation of Five-Year Plans and Annual Plans of States/Union Territories.
- 2. Formulation and issue of Guidelines relating to process of formulation, approval and implementation of Five Year Plan and Annual Plan of States/Union Territories.
- 3. Working Groups for considering Five-Year Plan and Annual Plan Proposals of States/Union Territories.
- 4. Deputy Chairman's level meetings for finalisation of the Five Year Plans and Annual Plans including preparation of background notes for the meetings and issue of minutes and approval letters.
- 5. Formal approvals of State Plan outlays, sectoral outlays and recommendation for release of additional central assistance.
- Monitoring and review including Quarterly Performance Reviews (QPRs) of implementation of Annual Plans and Five- Year Plans of States and Union Territories.
- 7. Preparation of State Development Reports for providing quality reference document on the development profile and setting out strategies for accelerating the growth rate of States and Union Territories.
- 8. Sponsoring of studies and research in specific areas of relevance to States and State Plans.
- 9. Arrangement of logistic support to State Plans Advisers in regard to their tours to States on matters relating to Annual Plan and Five Year Plan of States and Union Territories.