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GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA

CITIZEN CHARTER

OF

DIRECTORATE OF LOCAL FUND

ACCOUNTS AUDIT

(WITH OFFICER'S TELEPHONE NUMBERS & ADDRESS)

(Updated upto 01.05.2022)

**DIRECTORATE OF LOCAL FUND ACCOUNTS AUDIT DEPARTMENT ,
MAHARASHTRA STATE**

INTRODUCTION :

Audit of Local Authorities is under the control of State Government as per the provision in the Constitution of India , schedule seven, State list Item No.5.

Prior to year 1958 the Local Fund Audit Department was under the Administrative control of the Auditor General of India. The question whether the Local Fund Audit Department should be brought under the control of the State Government was under the consideration of the Government and it was decided under the Government of Bombay, Finance Department Resolution No TRO-1657 / 805-C / G-3, dated 30 April 1958 to bring the Local Fund Audit Department under control of the State Government with effects from 1st May 1958. The Department was accordingly brought under the control of the Bombay State on 1st May 1958 under section 6 of the Bombay Local Fund (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1960. The Examiner Local Fund Accounts was redesignated as the Chief Auditor Local Fund Accounts Audit Department.

Until 31st October 1964 the audit of Accounts of Village Panchayat was being conducted by the auditors working under the control of Collector of each district on the recommendation of the Committee of democratic decentralization of powers. The Government of Maharashtra decided to entrust the audit of Village Panchayat to the Chief Auditor, Local Fund Accounts, Maharashtra State, Bombay from 1st November 1964 Government of Maharashtra issued the Resolution Finance Department No MAS-1161 / 12791 / xv, dated 27/12/1961 by which the **Directorate of Accounts and Treasuries Maharashtra State** was established from 1st Jan 1962 under the administrative control of the Finance Department. **The Director**

of Accounts and Treasury as its head and the Local Fund Audit Department was brought under control of the Directorate, Accounts & Treasuries. Under the Government Resolution Finance Department No:- सेवाप्र-20.08 / प्र.क्र.79 / 2 / कोषा (प्र-3), dated 28 मे 2008 separate Directorate, Local Fund Accounts Department was established and under the Government Resolution Finance Department No सेवाप्र 20.08/ प्र.क्र.197 / कोषा (प्र-3) dated 1/8/2008 the Chief Auditor of Local Fund Accounts Audit was declared as Head of the Department. Also under the Government Resolution Finance Department No:- सेवाप्र-2011 / प्र.क्र.71 / कोषा प्रशा-3, दिनांक 18/4/2011 the name of Directorate was changed to Directorate, Local Fund Accounts Audit Department and at the same time designations such as Chief Auditor, Joint Chief Auditor, Deputy Chief Auditor (Senior), Deputy Chief Auditor (Junior) changed as Director, Joint Director, Deputy Director, Assistant Director respectively.

The Director of Local Fund Accounts Audit is the Head of the Department. The head quarter of Directorate is at New Bombay. The Directorate has six Regional Offices situated at Pune , Nasik, Aurangabad, Amravati, Nagpur and Navi Mumbai.


The main function of the Director is to supervise the Audit of Local Bodies with a view of ensuring that audit is conducted according to the provisions of Act & Rules.

There are 6 Regional Offices headed by Joint Director, a separate Joint Director Office for Municipal Corporation Audit at Raigad Bhavan, Navi Mumbai and 34 District Offices headed by Assistant Director in the State. Annual Inspection of any 12 District Offices & 6 Regional Offices is done by Director Local Fund Accounts Audit Department. There are in all 1298 posts sanctioned

vide Government Resolution Finance Department No सेवाप्र-20.08 / प्र.क्र.79 / 2 कोषा (प्र-3) dated 28/5/2008.

At the time of establishment of the Directorate as per Government Resolution क्र. सेवाप्र-२०.०८/ प्र.क्र.७९/२/कोषा (प्र-३), Dated 28/05/2008, Department of Finance a total of 1298 posts have been sanctioned. As per Department of Finance Government Resolution क्र. सेवाप्र-२०२०/प्र.क्र.१४/कोषा प्रशा-३, Dated 22/12/2021 the revised structure of the Directorate of Local Fund Audit as per the number of sanctioned posts in the department is 1419.

Every citizen in the state is connected indirectly with this Directorate through the audit of urban & rural local bodies. Hence it is decided to publish a ' Citizen Charter ' as part of responsive and transparent administration. It gives idea about functioning of Directorate and time limit, if any needed for rendering each of the function. It is hoped that it will inculcate a sense of responsibility among the concerned employees to function in time. It will also enable higher authorities to take action in case of non-functioning. By virtue of this the image of the administration will improve. The Citizen Charter will be helpful for the people to know the role of audit in evaluating financial status of Local Bodies, serious omissions and financial irregularities found in the Local Bodies.


 Director
 Directorate of Local Fund Accounts Audit,
 Maharashtra State.

OF DIRECTORATE :

1) The Audit of 34 Zilla Parishads, 351 Panchayat Samities, 27824 Village Panchayats, 243 Municipal Councils, 132 Nagar Panchayats, 27 Municipal Corporations, 6 Municipal Corporation Transport Institutions, 3 School Boards under Municipal Corporations, 4 Agriculture Universities, 1 Maharashtra Animal and Fishery Sciences University, 224 Other Miscellaneous Institutions is carried out as per the provisions of Maharashtra Local Fund Audit Act, 1930 and Bombay Local Fund Audit Rule, 1931.

2) Audit Review Report for Panchayat Raj Committee is prepared on the basis of audit reports of Zilla Parishad, Panchayat Samiti & Village Panchayat and submitted to the State Legislature through Rural Development Department of the State Government.

3) The first Audit Review Report for Urban Local Bodies i.e. Municipal Councils & Municipal Corporations is being prepared to submit it to the State Legislature through Urban Development Department of the State Government.

The time limit prescribed for above functions is given in Annexure - I.

Annexure - I

Sr. No.	Description of Functions.	Period prescribed for completion of the function.	Concerned officer / office	Officer to whom contacted in case of non-function.
1	To Conduct Audit	As per sanctioned man days by Directorate.	Concerned Team Leader of Audit.	Assistant Director
2	To issue Audit report.	3 months from the date of completion of audit.	Concerned Assistant Director of the district.	Joint Director
3	Preparation of Audit Review Report for Rural Local Bodies.	Before the month of December of every year.	Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit.	Finance Department
4	Preparation of Audit Review Report. Urban Local Bodies.	Before the month of December of every year.	Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit.	Finance Department

ANNEXURE II

Directorate, Local Fund Accounts Audit

Name of the officer	Address	Phone no.& E-mail
Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit	610, Konkan Bhavan, 6 th floor, C.B.D.Belapur, Navi Mumbai - 400 614.	022/27563824 director@mahalfain
Jt. Director, Directorate of Local Fund Accounts Audit.		022/27572479 jd.directorate@mahalfain
Dy. Director, Directorate of Local Fund Accounts Audit.		022/27572442 dd.directorate@mahalfain
Asst. Director, (Administration)		022/27571391 ad.admin@mahalfain
Asst. Director, (Report)		022/27571391 ad.report@mahalfain
Asst. Director, (P.R.C.)		022/27571391 ad.pr@mahalfain
Asst. Director, (Computer)		022/27571391 ad.computer@mahalfain
Jt. Director, (Municipal Corporation Audit Branch)	Raigad Bhavan 7 th Floor, C.B.D.Belapur, Navi Mumbai 400 614	022/27561623 mca_lfa@mahalfain
Dy. Director, (Municipal Corporation Audit Branch) (Sub Division-1)		022/27561623 mca_lfa@mahalfain
Dy. Director (MCA), (Municipal Corporation Audit Branch) (Sub Division-2)		022/27561623 mca_lfa@mahalfain
Dy. Director (MCA), Aurangabad (Sub Division-3)	Dy. Director (MCA), Local Fund Accounts Audit, Lekha Kosh Bhavan, 3 rd floor Collector Office compound, Fajilpura, Aurangabad – 431 001	0240/2950110 dd.mca.division3@mahalfain

Konkan Division

Name of the office	Address	Phone no.& E-mail
Jt. Director, Konkan Division	Jt. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, 603, Konkan Bhavan, 6 th floor, C.B.D. Belapur, Navi Mumbai - 400 614.	022/27571580 jd.mumbai@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Thane	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit Koshagar Bhavan, Second Floor, Collector Office Compound, Thane- 400 601.	022/25418121 ad.thane@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Raigad	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit Shri Vishnu Siddharaj Trust Building, 2 nd Floor. Above Manmandir Showroom, Alibagh, Raigad – 402 201.	02141/225102 ad.raigad@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Ratnagiri	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit Kulkarni Compound, Near Telephone Exchange, Dr. Ambedkar Road, Ratnagiri – 415 612.	02352/221743 ad.ratnagiri@mahalfa.in
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Asst. Director, Palghar	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit Administrative Building A, Room no-10, Collector Office compound, Kolegaon, Tal.Dis-Palghar– 401 404.	ad.palghar1@gmail.com

Pune Divisions

Name of the office	Address	Phone no.& E-mail
Jt. Director, Pune Division	Jt. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit Koshagar Bhavan, Third Floor, Collector Office Compound, Pune - 411 001.	020/26120216 jd.pune@mahalfain
Asst. Director, Pune	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Room no 34, Third Floor, Koshagar Bhavan, Collector Office Compound, Pune - 411 001.	020/29510492 ad.pune@mahalfain
Asst. Director, Satara	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Zilla Parishad Extention Building, 2 nd Floor, Satara - 415 001.	02162/237627 ad.satara@mahalfain
Asst. Director, Sangli	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Zilla Parishad Administrative Building, Miraj Road, Sangli - 416 416.	0233/2376602 ad.sangli@mahalfain
Asst. Director, Kolhapur	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Zilha Parishad old Building, Nagala Park, Kolhapur - 416 001.	0231/2666708 ad.kolhapur@mahalfain
Asst. Director, Solapur	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Zillha Parishad Building Compound, Solapur - 413 001.	0217/2722817 ad.solapur@mahalfain

Nashik Division

Name of the office	Address	Phone no.& E-mail
Jt. Director, Nasik Division	Jt. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Lekha Kosh Bhavan, 3 rd floor, Collector Office compound, Nashik – 422 001.	0253/2954333 jd.nashik@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Nasik	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Lekha Kosh Bhavan, 3 rd Floor, Collector Office compound, Nashik – 422 001.	0253/2955296 ad.nashik@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Ahmadnagar	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Old Administrative Building , 2 nd floor, Zilla Parishd Compound, Malewada Ahemadnagar - 414 001.	0241/2430024 ad.ahmednagar@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Dhule	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Plot no. 133 Rukmini Nivas, Jayhind Colony, Deopur, Dhule – 424 002.	02562/220612 ad.dhule@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Jalgaon	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, District Treasuri Office, 1 st floor, Collector Office Compound, Jalgaon – 425 001.	0257/2220272 ad.jalgaon@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Nandurbar	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Old Panchayat Samiti Building, Nandurbar – 425 412.	02564/223032 ad.nandurbar@mahalfa.in

Aurangabad Division


Name of the office	Address	Phone no.& E-mail
Jt. Director, Aurangabad Division	Jt. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Lekha Kosh Bhavan, 3 rd floor Collector Office compound.Fajilpura Aurangabad – 431 001.	0240/2344016 jd.aurangabad@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director. Aurangabad	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Lekha Kosh Bhavan, 3 rd floor, Collector Office Compound, Fajilpura. Aurangabad -431 001.	0240/2365214 ad_aurangabad@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Latur	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Administrative Building, 1 st floor, Hall no 3,South Side, Latur – 413 512.	02382/248549 ad.latur@mahalfa.in
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Asst. Director. Parbhani	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Gore's building,Shivaji Nagar, Vasmat Nagar, Parbhani – 431 401.	02472/221340 ad.parbhani@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Hingoli	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, District Treasury Office New Building, First Floor,South Side, Hingoli – 431 513.	02456/220155 ad.hingoli@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Nanded	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Above Kavita Stationary, Jyoti Talkies Road, Shivajinagar, Nanded- 431 602.	02462/235973 ad.nanded@mahalfa.in

Amaravati Division

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Asst. Director, Buldhana	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Administrative Building, Ground Floor, Opp. S.T. Stand, Buldhana – 443 001.	07262/244016 ad.buldhana@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Washim	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Behind Public Works Dept Office, Shri Vijay Pathak's Building, Civil Line, New I.U.D.P., Washim – 444 505.	07252/231166 ad.washim@mahalfa.in
Asst. Director, Yavatmal	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Jawaharlal Nehru Zillha Krida Bhavan, Godhani Road, Yavatmal - 445 001.	07232/243376 ad.yavatmal@mahalfa.in

Nagpur Division

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Jt. Director, Nagpur Division	Jt. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Lekha Kosh Bhavan, 3 rd Floor, Collector Compound, Civil Lines, Nagpur – 440 001.	0712/2560124 jd.nagpur@mahalfain
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Asst. Director, Wardha	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, Panchayat Samiti Wardha Compound, Old Building Of Zilha Parishad Health Department , Sevagram Road, Civil Lines, Wardha – 442 001.	07152/244346 ad.wardha@mahalfain
Asst. Director, Bhandara	Asst. Director, Local Fund Accounts Audit, P.P. Lanjewar Building, Behind Zillha Madhyavarti Sahakari Bank, Bhandara – 441 904.	07184/254191 ad.bhandara@mahalfain
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