## GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA FINANCE DEPARTMENT

## **OFFICE ORDER**

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As part of road map of Public Financial Management (PFM) reform for coordinating macro-fiscal planning process, Government has been pleased to constitute a **"Strategic Fiscal Planning Unit**" in the Finance Department. The Unit shall comprise of the following:-

1. U	nder Secretary	: One
2. A	SO	: One
3. E	xisting Consultant ( CEFT/ Other Sources)	: Two

After completion of tenure of existing Consultant or in case of nonavailability of Consultant, the position shall be filled up by regular staff.

The broad functions of the Unit are as follows:-

- i. To prepare macro-fiscal forecast and medium term fiscal plan (forecast);
- ii. To work out Departmental ceilings for Budget preparation;
- iii. To design a standard format for sharing key assumptions with all stakeholders involved in the macro-fiscal planning process;
- iv. To prepare a Fiscal Strategy Report as a mid-year disclosure on State Finances;
- v. To prepare guidelines detailing the procedures for macro-fiscal planning;
- vi. To introduce forecast reconciliation tables in the budget documents, fiscal strategy report, the medium-term fiscal plan and the People's guide; and
- vii. To do any other tasks related to macro-fiscal functions assigned for a specific purpose which is not mentioned above.

The **Strategic Fiscal Planning Unit** will work in close coordination with Budget and Resources Branches of Finance Department. Budget-II Branch of Finance Department will provide necessary secretarial assistance to the Unit.

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## **Principal Secretary to Government**