

## ABBREVIATIONS

A&T	Accountability and Transparency
ADB	Asian Development Bank
ARC	Administrative Reforms Commission (GoI)
ATA or A-T-A	Accountability – Transparency- Account-ability
CAA	Constitutional Amendment Act
CAGR	Compounded Average Growth Rate
CFC	Central Finance Commission
CLEAR	Can-Like-Enabled-Asked-Responded
Crore	Ten Million
DPC	District Planning Committee
EVLN	Exit-Voice- Loyalty-Neglect
FBAS	Fund Based Accounting Systems
FI	Female-Illiterate
FL	Female-Literate
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GDRC	Global Development Research Centre
GoI	Government of India
GoTN	Government of Tamil Nadu
IFAC	International Federation of Accountants
IPSAS	International Public Sector Accounting Standards
IT	Information Technology
JNNURM	Jawaharlal National Urban Renewal Mission
MI	Male-Illiterate
ML	Male-Literate
MPC	Metropolitan Planning Committee
NCRCL	NCR Consultants Limited
NDP	Net Domestic Product
NGO	Non Governmental Organization
NIUA	National Institute of Urban Affairs
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
PAC	Public Accounts Committee

PG	Post Graduation
PPP	Public Private Partnership
PROOF	Public Record of Operations and Finance
PWD	Public Works Department
RBI	Reserve Bank of India
RTI	Right to Information Act, 2005
SFC	State Finance Commission
TN	Tamil Nadu
ULB	Urban Local Bodies
UNCHS	United Nations Centre for Human Settlements
UNDP	United Nations Development Project
UN-ESCAP	United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
UT	Union Territory
WB	World Bank
WC	Ward Committee