## **State Finance Division**

1.2	Power and duties of its officers	and employees [Section 4(1) (b)(ii)]
1.2.1	Powers and duties of officers (administrative, financial and judicial)	Shri Rajib Kumar Sen, PD (State Finance) Shri Gaurav Kumar, Adviser (State Finance) Shri Jagvir Singh, Under Secretary (State
1.2.2	Power and duties of other employees	Finance) Dr. Shelly Dahiya, Consultant Gr. – I (State Finance)
1.2.3	Rules/ orders under which powers and duty are derived and	Powers and duty are derived and exercised under extant Rules/ orders issued by Govt.  of India and competent authority of NITI
1.2.4	Exercised	Aayog from time to time.
1.2.5	Work allocation	The Division has been entrusted with the responsibility of maintaining a State-wise database on macroeconomic, financial, fiscal and social indicators; assessing the financial health of the States, including the assessment of transfers from the Centre to the States; and fostering cooperative federalism through structured support and initiatives.
		The Division has launched "NITI NCAER States Economic Forum" portal, in collaboration with the National Council of Applied Economic Research (NCAER) and 16th Finance Commission which is a comprehensive repository of data on social, economic and fiscal parameters, research reports, papers, and expert commentary on State Finances.
		The Division also acts as the nodal for all recommendations made from NITI Aayog to Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance relating to 'Special Assistance' to States under the demand 'Transfers to States'. Additionally, the issues related to the Finance Commission, funding requests for special projects and inter-governmental transfers are also handled by the Division.
		The Division has been proactively engaging with leading institutions and think tanks facilitating knowledge support to States on their fiscal and financial matters.

## **Service and EIU Division**

1.2	Power and duties of its officers	and	
	employees [Section 4(1) (b)(ii)]		
1.2.5	Work allocation	Placed in Annexure 1	

## Annexure 1

Functions	Name & Designation of official/ employee
	in Services Division
<ul> <li>Develop a holistic strategy/framework for Services as a development driver.</li> </ul>	Dr. Sonia Pant, Programme Director,     Services Division
Convene an expert advisory group to provide strategic guidance on India's	2. Sh. Deepak, Kumar, Deputy Secretary
service sector development and to align its growth trajectory with the country's	3. Ms. Pratibha Sharma, Deputy Director
development goals. Conduct regular meetings with the advisory group for	4. Dr. Vidya, Consultant Grade-II
discussions on the work of the division and obtaining further insights.	<ol><li>Dr. Sugandha Huria, Consultant Grade-II</li></ol>
<ul> <li>Analyse various services sub-sectors w.r.t: value added (output), employment,</li> </ul>	6. Ms. Aarushi Gupta, Consultant Grade-
<ul><li>trade, productivity, investments etc.</li><li>Based on this analysis, design actionable</li></ul>	<ol><li>Ms. Ambika Shukla, Consultant Grade-I</li></ol>
and sub-sector specific roadmaps for selected service sub-sectors for	8. Dr. Arpit Gupta, Consultant Grade-I
positioning these sectors as key pillars in achieving India's development ambitions.	9. Ms. Nikita Arora, Consultant Grade-I
<ul> <li>Improve data collection practices and analysis</li> </ul>	10. Sh. Shrey Apoorva, Consultant Grade-
<ul> <li>Develop and Promote the Branding of Indian Services</li> </ul>	11.Sh. Vijay Kumar – Section Officer
<ul> <li>Work on improving and developing the domestic regulatory environment,</li> </ul>	12.Ms. Aishwarya Ajayan, Young Professional
including standards for Services.	13. Ms. Divya, M.B., Young Professional
	14.Ms. Shweta Yadav, Young Professional
	15.Ms, Shivangi Sikarwar, Young Professional
	16.Ms. Anisha Sawhney, Young Professional
	17.Ms. Mansi Nautiyal, Young Professional

## **Tourism and Culture**

1.2	Power and duties of its officer	s and employees [Section 4(1) (b)(ii)]	
1.2.1	Powers and duties of officers (administrative, financial and judicial)	The Tourism Division provides strategic and directional guidance tothe Union and State Governments for the development of the	
1.2.2	Power and duties of other employees	tourism sector. The Division seeks to develop India into the most preferred destination for	
1.2.3	Rules/ orders under which powers and duty are derived	tourists through the development of responsible and sustainable tourism policies,	
1.2.4	Exercised Work allocation	focusing on niche tourism, eco-tourism and wellness tourism, infrastructure development, capacity development, and increasing tourist footfall. The Culture Division seeks to develop, preserve and promote India's arts, culture and heritage, with a greater policy and planning coherence in the sector.	
		List List of Employees  Shri Yugal Kishore Joshi, Programme Direct Shri Amit Bhardwaj, Deputy Adviser  Ms. Chandana Ganta, RO Shri Manavendra Jain, Consultant Gr.I  Ms. Divya Nandini, Consultant Gr.I  Ms. Priyadharshini Paramasivam, YP	