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## F o r e w o r d

On formation of Maharashtra State on 1st May 1960, statistics regarding educational institutions etc., of the old Bombay State had to be split up separately for the existing 26 districts of Maharashtra State for the previous years. In view of this attempts were made to separate the data from the year 1955-56, which incidentally marked the beginning of the Second Five Year Plan, in order to have at hand, comparative and progressive figures showing the development in educational sector from year to year.

The idea of preparing this booklet was suggested by Shri J.P. Naik, Adviser (Primary Education), Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, under whose able guidance the original booklet was prepared, for which I am deeply grateful to him. This booklet intends to put forth comparative statistics from the year 1955-56 to 1962-63, of the educational institutions, enrolment in them, teachers employed and expenditure incurred on these institutions by various agencies. The emphasis has been stressed on Primary, Middle, Secondary <sup>Schools</sup> and Colleges of General Education, as it should be, while a passing review of other categories of institutions is also taken. It is hoped the booklet will meet the needs of comparative statistics, over a span of eight years, of those who are concerned with it.

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