

A STUDY OF GOVERNMENT STATISTICAL ORGANISATIONS IN INDIA AND THEIR FUNCTIONS

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ABSTRACT

This paper looks into some important statistical organisations that have been established in India by the government. It also explores some of the major functions of each of these organisations and tries to understand its importance in the growth and development of the nation.

KEYWORDS

Arthashastra, Statistical Abstract of British India, Indian Statistical Institute (ISI), Central Statistical Organization (CSO), National Sample Survey Organisation (NSSO), Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation (MOSPI)

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