

Delay Statement

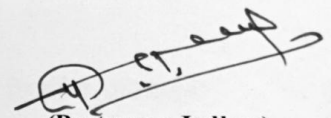
Annual Report and the Audited Statement of Accounts for the year 2023-24 in respect of Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi to be laid on the table of Lok Sabha/Rajya Sabha.

The dates on which various activities relating to Accounts of the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) for the Financial Year 2023-24 and the preparation of Annual Report for the Year 2023-24 were completed.

S.No.	Activities	Date
1.	Submission of Annual Accounts to the Office of Principal Director of Audit	27.06.2024
2.	Commencement of Audit of Annual Accounts by the Principal Director of Audit (Health Welfare and Rural Development)	30.07.2024 to 21.08.2024
3.	Receipt of Draft Separate Audit Report (SAR) dated 18.09.2024 from the Office of Principal Director of Audit	18.09.2024
4.	Reply given on points raised by the Audit in the Draft Separate Audit Report	07.10.2024
5.	Receipt of Final Separate Audit Report (SAR) dated 25.10.2024	25.10.2024

Due to extensive data collection process following modifications in the report layout, technical refinements in reporting procedures, multiple rounds of review to ensure accuracy, and unforeseen challenges in the printing process, there was delay in Annual report work.

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