

## APPROPRIATION ACT.

Act No. 35, 1948.

An Act to appropriate out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, and certain other Funds, sums to make good the supplies granted for the ordinary annual services of the Government for the year commencing on the first day of July, 1948, and ending on the 30th day of June, 1949, both dates inclusive, and for charges supplementary or "Unauthorised in Suspense" from certain Funds for the year from the first day of July, 1947, to 30th day of June, 1948, both dates inclusive; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 9th December, 1948.]

George VI.  
No. 35, 1948.

WHEREAS

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Preamble.

WHEREAS we Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the members of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, have granted to Your Majesty the several sums herein-after mentioned for the Service of the year from the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight, to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine (inclusive of both dates), for Services to be provided for out of Consolidated Revenue Fund; in adjustment of the vote "Advance to Treasurer," 1947-48, Consolidated Revenue Fund for supplementary charges during the period from the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven, to the thirtieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight (inclusive of both dates); to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense" for urgent claims on account of Services of the year 1947-48, to be provided for out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund; for Services to be provided for out of the Government Railways Fund; for Services to be provided for out of the Road Transport and Traffic Fund; for Services to be provided for out of the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund; to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense" for urgent claims on account of Services of the year 1947-48, to be provided for out of the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund; for Services to be provided for out of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund; to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense" for urgent claims on account of Services of the year 1947-48, to be provided for out of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund; for Services to be provided for out of the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund; to cover payment "Unauthorised in Suspense" for urgent claims on account of Services of the year 1947-48, to be provided for out of the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund; and for Services to be provided for out of the Closer Settlement Fund: And whereas we desire to make good out of the said funds the several sums granted to Your Majesty as aforesaid:

aforesaid: Be it therefore enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of the State of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND—

1. Out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund there are hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed, the following sums:—

FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR FROM FIRST JULY, 1948, TO THIRTIETH JUNE, 1949.

SUPPLEMENT TO SCHEDULES TO THE CONSTITUTION ACT:—The sum of One thousand seven hundred and seven pounds for Supplement to Schedules, as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
1. Other pensions and allowances ... ..	1,707	0	0
Total, Supplement to Schedules to the Constitution Act	£1,707	0	0

THE LEGISLATURE:—The sum of Sixty-nine thousand two hundred and thirty-one pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Legislative Establishments following:—

2. Legislative Council ... ..	7,383	0	0
3. Legislative Assembly ... ..	23,060	0	0
4. Legislative Council and Assembly ... ..	20,663	0	0
5. Parliamentary Library ... ..	6,967	0	0
6. Parliamentary Reporting Staff ... ..	10,612	0	0
7. Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works ...	546	0	0
Total, The Legislature ... ..	£69,231	0	0
Carried over ... ..	£70,938	0	0

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Brought over ... .. £70,938 0 0

PREMIER :—The sum of Two millions eight hundred and sixty-three thousand four hundred and seventy-five pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses, and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

8. Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	229,782	0	0
9. Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	0	0
10. Leader of the Opposition	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,374	0	0
11. State Governor's Establishments (including Vice-Regal Residence " Hill View ") and Executive Council	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,706	0	0
12. New South Wales Government Offices, London (including Engineer's Branch)	...	...	...	...	...	...	32,888	0	0
13. Auditor-General's Department	...	...	...	...	...	...	61,721	0	0
14. Public Service Board	...	...	...	...	...	...	46,340	0	0
15. Police Department	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,471,514	0	0
Total, Premier	...	...	...	...	...	...	£2,863,475	0	0

MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT :—The sum of One hundred and forty-five thousand four hundred and twenty-four pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

16. Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	145,424	0	0
Total, Minister for Transport	...	...	...	...	...	...	£145,424	0	0

COLONIAL SECRETARY :—The sum of Three hundred and sixty-six thousand eight hundred and fourteen pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

17. Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	239,083	0	0
18. Fisheries	...	...	...	...	...	...	38,272	0	0
19. Aborigines Welfare Board	...	...	...	...	...	...	72,662	0	0
20. Theatres and Films Commission	...	...	...	...	...	...	701	0	0
21. Weights and Measures	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,096	0	0
Total, Colonial Secretary	...	...	...	...	...	...	£366,814	0	0
Carried over	...	...	...	...	...	...	£3,446,651	0	0

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Brought over ... .. £3,446,651 0 0

**MINISTER FOR HEALTH:—**The sum of Eight millions one hundred and nineteen thousand nine hundred and eighty-two pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

22. Central Administration	...	...	...	...	5,853,575	0	0
23. Scientific Activities	...	...	...	...	40,204	0	0
24. Inspectorial Services	...	...	...	...	32,512	0	0
25. Maternal and Baby Welfare	...	...	...	...	103,007	0	0
26. State Hospitals and Homes	...	...	...	...	482,408	0	0
27. Mental Hospitals	...	...	...	...	1,377,995	0	0
28. Master in Lunacy's Office	...	...	...	...	20,582	0	0
29. Miscellaneous Boards	...	...	...	...	6,243	0	0
30. Other Health Services	...	...	...	...	203,456	0	0
<b>Total, Minister for Health</b>					£8,119,982	0	0

**COLONIAL TREASURER:—**The sum of Five millions seven hundred and two thousand eight hundred and thirty-four pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

31. Head Office	...	...	...	...	3,718,617	0	0
32. Advance to Treasurer	...	...	...	...	350,000	0	0
33. Ministerial Motor Services	...	...	...	...	23,371	0	0
34. State Lotteries (Administration Costs)	...	...	...	...	123,220	0	0
35. Stamp Duties (Administration Costs)	...	...	...	...	48,515	0	0
36. Government Stores Department	...	...	...	...	560,236	0	0
37. Government Cleaning Service	...	...	...	...	163,833	0	0
Maritime Services Board of New South Wales—							
38. Navigation	...	...	...	...	218,489	0	0
39. Observatory Hill Resumed Area	...	...	...	...	33,000	0	0
40. Resumed Properties	...	...	...	...	85,851	0	0
41. Bureau of Statistics and Economics	...	...	...	...	30,656	0	0
42. Registry of Co-operative Societies and Registry of Friendly Societies	...	...	...	...	147,046	0	0
43. Government Printer	...	...	...	...	200,000	0	0
<b>Total, Colonial Treasurer</b>					£5,702,834	0	0
Carried over					£17,269,467	0	0

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Brought over ... .. £17,269,467 0 0

ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE :—The sum of One million five hundred and twenty-seven thousand six hundred and ten pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

44. Attorney-General (Head Office) ... ..	46,889	0	0
45. Crown Solicitor ... ..	41,106	0	0
46. Court Reporters ... ..	36,984	0	0
47. The Judges ... ..	24,787	0	0
48. Public Solicitor ... ..	11,607	0	0
49. Minister of Justice (Head Office) ... ..	16,954	0	0
50. Prothonotary and Registrar in Divorce ... ..	19,930	0	0
51. Master in Equity ... ..	5,597	0	0
52. Probate Office ... ..	11,039	0	0
53. District Courts ... ..	10,247	0	0
54. Chief Industrial Magistrate's Court ... ..	2,509	0	0
55. Coroners ... ..	7,154	0	0
56. Petty Sessions ... ..	263,952	0	0
57. Fair Rents ... ..	59,600	0	0
58. Public Trustee ... ..	142,116	0	0
59. Sheriff ... ..	87,462	0	0
60. Prisons ... ..	460,340	0	0
61. Registrar-General ... ..	248,603	0	0
62. Land Sales Control ... ..	30,734	0	0
Total, Attorney-General and Minister of Justice ... ..	£1,527,610	0	0

SECRETARY FOR LANDS :—The sum of Six hundred and forty thousand five hundred and four pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

63. Lands Administration ... ..	490,260	0	0
64. Survey of Lands ... ..	110,062	0	0
65. Western Lands Office ... ..	34,984	0	0
66. Letter Delivery Bureaux ... ..	5,198	0	0
Total, Secretary for Lands ... ..	£640,504	0	0
Carried over ... ..	£19,437,581	0	0

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Brought over ... .. £19,437,581 0 0

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**SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS** :—The sum of One million five hundred and sixty-three thousand and sixty-three pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

67. Central Administration, Head and District Offices ... ..	1,562,863	0	0
68. New South Wales Government Engineering and Ship-building Undertaking ... ..	200	0	0
<b>Total, Secretary for Public Works</b> ... ..	<b>£1,563,063</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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**MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT** :—The sum of Three hundred and seventy-three thousand one hundred and fifty-four pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance, and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

69. Local Government Department ... ..	278,859	0	0
70. Valuer-General's Department ... ..	94,295	0	0
<b>Total, Minister for Local Government</b> ... ..	<b>£373,154</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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**MINISTER FOR HOUSING** :—The sum of Twelve thousand three hundred and sixty-one pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

71. Head Office ... ..	12,361	0	0
<b>Total, Minister for Housing</b> ... ..	<b>£12,361</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Carried over</b> ... ..	<b>£21,386,159</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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Brought over ... .. £32,611,116 0 0

**MINISTER FOR LABOUR AND INDUSTRY AND SOCIAL WELFARE :—**

The sum of One million and forty-four thousand three hundred and seventy-seven pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

89.	Ministerial Office	...	...	...	...	...	70,774	0	0	
90.	Industrial Commission and Industrial Registrar	...	...	...	...	...	24,206	0	0	
91.	Factory Inspection and Scaffolding and Lifts	...	...	...	...	...	80,635	0	0	
92.	Social Welfare	...	...	...	...	...	643,762	0	0	
93.	Price Control	...	...	...	...	...	225,000	0	0	
Total, Minister for Labour and Industry and Social Welfare								£1,044,377	0	0

**MINISTER FOR BUILDING MATERIALS :—**The sum of One hundred and four thousand one hundred and ninety-one pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

94.	Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	104,191	0	0	
Total, Minister for Building Materials								£104,191	0	0

**MINISTER FOR CONSERVATION :—**The sum of Seven hundred and nineteen thousand seven hundred and thirty-eight pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

95.	Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	21,305	0	0	
96.	Soil Conservation Service	...	...	...	...	...	100,350	0	0	
97.	Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission	...	...	...	...	...	239,932	0	0	
Forestry Commission—										
98.	Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	84,764	0	0	
99.	Wood Technology Division	...	...	...	...	...	27,550	0	0	
100.	Field and Country Offices	...	...	...	...	...	245,837	0	0	
Total, Minister for Conservation								£719,738	0	0
Carried over								£34,479,422	0	0

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Brought over ... .. £34,479,422 0 0

MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE :—The sum of One million two hundred and ninety-two thousand nine hundred and twenty-three pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

101. Central Administration	...	...	...	...	195,864	0	0
102. Division of Plant Industry	...	...	...	...	81,024	0	0
103. Division of Horticulture	...	...	...	...	68,680	0	0
104. Division of Dairying	...	...	...	...	60,106	0	0
105. Hawkesbury Agricultural College	...	...	...	...	73,583	0	0
106. Experiment Farms and Nurseries	...	...	...	...	194,853	0	0
107. Division of Animal Industry—Head and District Offices	...	...	...	...	84,409	0	0
108. Division of Animal Industry—Queensland Border	...	...	...	...	20,500	0	0
109. Division of Animal Industry—Tick Quarantine Areas	...	...	...	...	225,116	0	0
110. Botanic Gardens and Allied Activities	...	...	...	...	59,652	0	0
111. Grain Elevators	...	...	...	...	229,136	0	0
Total, Minister for Agriculture	...	...	...	...	£1,292,923	0	0

MINISTER FOR TOURIST ACTIVITIES AND IMMIGRATION :—The sum of Two hundred and ninety-three thousand three hundred and eighty-two pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

112. Ministerial Office	...	...	...	...	7,128	0	0
113. Government Tourist Bureau and Tourist Resorts	...	...	...	...	277,920	0	0
114. Immigration	...	...	...	...	8,334	0	0
Total, Minister for Tourist Activities and Immigration	...	...	...	...	£293,382	0	0

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR FROM 1ST JULY, 1948, TO 30TH JUNE, 1949 ... .. £36,065,727 0 0

FOR THE SERVICE OF THE PERIOD FROM FIRST JULY,  
1947, TO THIRTIETH JUNE, 1948.

IN ADJUSTMENT OF THE VOTE "ADVANCE TO TREASURER," 1947-48,  
ON ACCOUNT OF SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1947-48:—The sum of  
Three hundred and fifty thousand pounds for Supplementary  
Charges made during the period from 1st July, 1947, to 30th  
June, 1948, for the Salaries, Maintenance and Working  
Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and  
Services following:—

SUPPLEMENT TO SCHEDULES TO THE CONSTITUTION ACT—	£	s.	d.
Other Pensions and Allowances ... ..	28	3	0
<b>Total, Supplement to Schedules to the Constitution Act</b>	<b>£28</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>

THE LEGISLATURE—

Legislative Council ... ..	61	11	10
Legislative Assembly ... ..	747	9	1
Legislative Council and Assembly ... ..	888	1	11
Parliamentary Library ... ..	209	16	7
Parliamentary Reporting Staff ... ..	52	3	4
Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works ...	15	7	5
<b>Total, The Legislature ... ..</b>	<b>£1,974</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>

PREMIER—

Head Office ... ..	2,289	17	4
Leader of the Opposition ... ..	23	4	11
State Governor's Establishments (including Vice-Regal Residence, " Hill View ") and Executive Council ...	413	5	2
Public Service Board ... ..	701	2	4
Police ... ..	576	14	6
<b>Total, Premier ... ..</b>	<b>£4,004</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>

COLONIAL SECRETARY—

Head Office ... ..	2,118	0	0
Fisheries ... ..	60	2	1
Aborigines Welfare Board ... ..	730	8	8
Weights and Measures ... ..	119	4	4
<b>Total, Colonial Secretary ... ..</b>	<b>£3,027</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Carried over ... ..</b>	<b>£9,034</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>6</b>



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Brought over	...	...	...	...	£238,553 6 2
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<b>SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS—</b>					
Central Administration, Head and District Offices	...	...	...	...	15,012 12 7
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Total, Secretary for Public Works	...	...	...	...	£15,012 12 7
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<b>MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT—</b>					
Local Government Department	...	...	...	...	3,766 13 9
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Total, Minister for Local Government	...	...	...	...	£3,766 13 9
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<b>MINISTER FOR EDUCATION—</b>					
Education—					
Head Office	...	...	...	...	6,091 12 1
Primary Education	...	...	...	...	21,286 13 6
Observatory	...	...	...	...	14 10 0
Training of Teachers	...	...	...	...	2,737 4 5
National Fitness	...	...	...	...	114 6 10
Child Welfare—					
Head Office	...	...	...	...	8 15 6
Public Library of New South Wales...	...	...	...	...	498 8 3
Conservatorium of Music	...	...	...	...	331 17 9
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Total, Minister for Education	...	...	...	...	£31,083 8 4
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<b>MINISTER FOR MINES—</b>					
Mines	...	...	...	...	3,862 6 4
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Total, Minister for Mines	...	...	...	...	£3,862 6 4
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<b>MINISTER FOR LABOUR AND INDUSTRY AND SOCIAL WELFARE—</b>					
Industrial Commission and Industrial Registrar	...	...	...	...	4 3 0
Factory Inspection and Scaffolding and Lifts	...	...	...	...	251 16 11
Social Welfare	...	...	...	...	4,950 15 5
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Total, Minister for Labour and Industry and Social Welfare	...	...	...	...	£5,206 15 4
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Carried over	...	...	...	...	£297,485 2 6
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Brought over	...	...	...	...	...	...	£297,485	2	6
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<b>MINISTER FOR BUILDING MATERIALS—</b>									
Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	137	0	1
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Total, Minister for Building Materials	...	...	...	...	...	...	£137	0	1
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<b>MINISTER FOR CONSERVATION—</b>									
Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	588	0	6
Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,246	2	10
<b>Forestry Commission—</b>									
Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	177	11	5
Wood Technology Division	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	7	7
Field and Country Offices	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,963	3	0
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Total, Minister for Conservation...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£9,991	5	4
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<b>MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE—</b>									
Central Administration	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,297	10	6
Division of Plant Industry	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,957	15	4
Hawkesbury Agricultural College	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,393	13	9
Experiment Farms and Nurseries	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,159	10	0
Division of Animal Industry—Head and District Offices...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82	4	0
Division of Animal Industry—Queensland Border	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	17	8
Division of Animal Industry—Tick Quarantine Areas	...	...	...	...	...	...	566	18	10
Botanic Gardens and Allied Activities	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	2	3
Grain Elevators	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,288	8	0
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Total, Minister for Agriculture	...	...	...	...	...	...	£22,870	0	4
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<b>MINISTER FOR TOURIST ACTIVITIES AND IMMIGRATION—</b>									
Ministerial Office...	...	...	...	...	...	...	263	10	9
Government Tourist Bureau and Tourist Resorts	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,253	1	0
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Total, Minister for Tourist Activities and Immigration	...	...	...	...	...	...	£19,516	11	9
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<b>TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED</b>									
<b>REVENUE FUND, IN ADJUSTMENT OF THE VOTE</b>									
“ADVANCE TO TREASURER,” 1947-48	...	...	...	...	...	...	£350,000	0	0
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PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE":—The sum of One million eight hundred and nine thousand and thirty-five pounds ten shillings and seven pence to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense" to 30th June, 1948, for Urgent Claims on account of Services of the year 1947-48 made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament, as follows:—

MINISTER FOR HEALTH—		£	s.	d.
Department of Public Health—Central Administration	...	533,576	0	0
Total, Minister for Health	... ..	£533,576	0	0

COLONIAL TREASURER—		£	s.	d.
Head Office	... ..	1,122,168	17	11
Total, Colonial Treasurer	... ..	£1,122,168	17	11

MINISTER FOR EDUCATION—		£	s.	d.
Primary Education	... ..	37,717	7	7
Secondary Education	... ..	115,573	5	1
Total, Minister for Education	... ..	£153,290	12	8

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND FOR PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE" FOR SERVICES OF THE YEAR, 1947-48	... ..	£1,809,035	10	7
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APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS FUND—

2. Out of the Government Railways Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—The sum of Thirty-four millions two hundred and ninety-six thousand eight hundred and ninety-six pounds.

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	£	s.	d.
Administrative and General Charges ... ..	1,264,000	0	0
Way and Works ... ..	5,748,000	0	0
Rolling Stock ... ..	12,069,000	0	0
Transportation and Traffic ... ..	8,228,000	0	0
Electrical Branch ... ..	3,096,000	0	0
Government Railways Superannuation Fund Contribution ...	824,000	0	0
Federal Pay Roll Tax ... ..	536,000	0	0
Subsidiary Services—Refreshment Rooms ... ..	1,247,000	0	0
Loan Management Expenses ... ..	27,000	0	0
Exchange on Remittances Overseas ... ..	548,000	0	0
Total—Working Expenses ... ..	33,587,000	0	0

FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSE :—

Supplementary Appropriation for expenditure under Section 41B of the Government Railways Act, 1912 (as amended) ... ..	709,896	0	0

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT  
RAILWAYS FUND ... .. £34,296,896 0 0

APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE ROAD TRANSPORT AND TRAFFIC  
FUND—

**3.** Out of the Road Transport and Traffic Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed :—The sum of Seven hundred and eighty thousand pounds.

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	£	s.	d.
Administrative and General Charges and other Expenses ...	780,000	0	0

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE ROAD TRANSPORT  
AND TRAFFIC FUND ... .. £780,000 0 0

APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT TRUST  
GENERAL FUND—

**4.** Out of the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed :—The sum of Seven millions nine hundred and twenty-four thousand three hundred pounds.



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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Operation and Maintenance—						
Administrative and General Charges ...	597,600	0	0			
Depreciation ... ..	154,000	0	0			
Federal Pay Roll Tax ... ..	143,000	0	0			
				894,600	0	0
Tramway Services—						
Maintenance and Renewals of Way and Structures ... ..	441,300	0	0			
Maintenance and Renewals of Low Tension Feeders and Overhead Way ... ..	98,900	0	0			
Maintenance and Renewals of Plant ... ..	941,900	0	0			
Electric Power for Traction... ..	627,100	0	0			
Traffic ... ..	2,388,140	0	0			
				4,497,340	0	0
Motor Omnibus Services—						
Maintenance and Renewals of Motor Omnibuses and Equipment ... ..	677,000	0	0			
Traffic ... ..	1,829,100	0	0			
				2,506,100	0	0
Exchange on Remittances Overseas—						
Tramway Services ... ..	18,260	0	0			
Motor Omnibus Services ... ..	7,000	0	0			
				25,260	0	0
Loan Management Expenses—						
Tramway Services ... ..	900	0	0			
Motor Omnibus Services ... ..	100	0	0			
				1,000	0	0
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND</b> ... ..				<b>£7,924,300</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

PAYMENTS “UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE” :—The sum of Eighty-seven thousand six hundred and sixty-two pounds seven shillings and one penny to cover payments “Unauthorised in Suspense,” to 30th June, 1948, for Urgent Claims on account of Services of the year 1947-48, made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament as follows :—

SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1947-48—

Tramway Services—						
Traffic ... ..				82,000	0	0
Motor Omnibus Services—						
Traffic ... ..				5,662	7	1

**TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND FOR PAYMENTS “UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE” FOR SERVICES OF THE YEAR, 1947-48** ... ..

**£87,662**    **7**    **1**

No. 35, 1948.

APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE NEWCASTLE AND DISTRICT TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND—

5. Out of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed :—  
The sum of Eight hundred and fifty-nine thousand four hundred and fifty pounds.

FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR FROM FIRST JULY, 1948, TO THIRTIETH JUNE, 1949.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>Operation and Maintenance—</b>						
Administrative and General Charges ...	43,850	0	0			
Depreciation ... ..	26,700	0	0			
Federal Pay Roll Tax ... ..	13,400	0	0			
	<hr/>			83,950	0	0
<b>Tramway Services—</b>						
Maintenance and Renewals of Way and Structures ... ..	42,100	0	0			
Maintenance and Renewals of Low Tension Feeders and Overhead Way ... ..	9,400	0	0			
Maintenance and Renewals of Plant ... ..	48,100	0	0			
Electric Power for Traction... ..	33,500	0	0			
Traffic ... ..	140,800	0	0			
	<hr/>			273,900	0	0
<b>Motor Omnibus Services—</b>						
Maintenance and Renewals of Motor Omnibuses and Equipment ... ..	144,800	0	0			
Traffic ... ..	354,000	0	0			
	<hr/>			498,800	0	0
<b>Exchange on Remittances Overseas—</b>						
Tramway Services ... ..	2,560	0	0			
Motor Omnibus Services ... ..	120	0	0			
	<hr/>			2,680	0	0
<b>Loan Management Expenses—</b>						
Tramway Services ... ..	100	0	0			
Motor Omnibus Services ... ..	20	0	0			
	<hr/>			120	0	0
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TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE NEWCASTLE AND DISTRICT TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND ... ..				£859,450	0	0

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No. 35, 1948.

**PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE"**:—The sum of Eight thousand seven hundred and seventy-four pounds ten shillings and ten pence to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense," to 30th June, 1948, for Urgent Claims on account of Services of the year 1947-48, made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
<b>SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1947-48—</b>			
<b>Tramway Services—</b>			
Traffic ... ..	8,774	10	10
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<b>TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF NEWCASTLE AND DISTRICT TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND FOR PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE" FOR SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1947-48 ... ..</b>			
	<b>£8,774</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>

**APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE SYDNEY HARBOUR TRUST FUND—**

**6.** Out of the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—The sum of One million three hundred and thirty-nine thousand five hundred and sixty-nine pounds.

**FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR FROM FIRST JULY, 1948, TO THIRTIETH JUNE, 1949.**

	£	s.	d.
Administrative and General Charges ... ..	213,530	0	0
Collection of Wharfage and Tonnage Rates ... ..	27,627	0	0
Control of Port ... ..	31,712	0	0
Survey of Port ... ..	17,895	0	0
Maintenance and Renewals of Property ... ..	482,302	0	0
Sundry Services ... ..	42,850	0	0
Dredging ... ..	16,300	0	0
Demolition of Wharves and Buildings ... ..	600	0	0
Wheat Conveyors—Operating Expenses ... ..	15,180	0	0
Subsidiary Services—Bonded and Free Warehouses ... ..	48,173	0	0
Exchange on Remittances Overseas ... ..	40,600	0	0
Loan Management Expenses ... ..	2,200	0	0
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Total—Working Expenses ... ..	938,969	0	0

**FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES:—**

Renewals and Replacements ... ..	150,600	0	0
New Launch ... ..	30,000	0	0
Construction of new Head Office ... ..	220,000	0	0

<b>TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE SYDNEY HARBOUR TRUST FUND ... ..</b>			
	<b>£1,339,569</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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No. 35, 1948.

**PAYMENT "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE"** :—The sum of Twenty-eight thousand and thirteen pounds eight shillings to cover payments " Unauthorised in Suspense," to 30th June, 1948, for Urgent Claims on account of Services of the year 1947-48, made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament as follows :—

SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1947-48—	£	s.	d.
Administrative and General Charges ... ..	5,117	5	7
Collection of Wharfage and Tonnage Rates ... ..	4,327	18	3
Control of Port ... ..	3,737	7	5
Dredging ... ..		643	7
Wheat Conveyors—Operating Costs ... ..	7,375	16	4
Subsidiary Services—Bonded and Free Warehouses ... ..	6,811	12	11

<b>TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF SYDNEY HARBOUR TRUST FUND FOR PAYMENTS " UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE " FOR SERVICE OF THE YEAR 1947-48</b> ... ..	<b>£28,013 8 0</b>
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**APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE CLOSER SETTLEMENT FUND—**

**7.** Out of the Closer Settlement Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed :—The sum of Fifty thousand four hundred and forty-five pounds.

**Secretary for Lands—**

Closer Settlement Acts—	£	s.	d.
Administrative Expenses in connection with Closer Settlement ... ..	49,445	0	0
Cost of subdivision, maintenance, improvement and disposal (including re-disposal) of land acquired for Closer Settlement under the Closer Settlement Acts, the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913, and the Returned Soldiers' Settlement Act, 1916, and the cost of works in connection therewith and other expenses incidental thereto—further sum ... ..		1,000	0

<b>TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE CLOSER SETTLEMENT FUND</b> ... ..	<b>£50,445 0 0</b>
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8. Subject to section thirty-four of the Audit Act. No. 35, 1948. and the following proviso, expenditure shall not be incurred on any item, subdivision, division, or vote, shown on the Estimates of the Consolidated Revenue Fund in excess of the sum provided therefor by Parliament on such Estimates—provided that if the exigencies of the Public Service render it necessary, the Colonial Treasurer or person appointed by him may authorise the transfer of a specific amount from any item, subdivision, or division, other than for specific public works or an item under the division “Other Services,” to any other item, subdivision, or division, within the same vote other than for specific public works or an item under the division “Other Services”; and subject to the following proviso, expenditure shall not be incurred on any division shown on the Estimates of the Government Railways Fund, the Road Transport and Traffic Fund, the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund, the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund, and the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund, in excess of the sum provided therefor by Parliament on such Estimates—provided that if the exigencies of the Public Service render it necessary, the Colonial Treasurer or the person appointed by him may authorise the transfer of a specific amount from any division, other than for specific public works, to any other division within the vote other than for specific public works.

Nothing in these provisos shall empower the Colonial Treasurer or the person appointed by him as aforesaid to authorise the transfer of any sum in augmentation of or as an addition to any salary or wages the amount of which has been fixed by law.

The Colonial Treasurer shall cause the Auditor-General to be informed of every such authority granted as aforesaid.

9. There shall be issued and paid the said several sums for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned in such manner and in such proportions as the Governor by any warrant or order in writing under his hand and directed to the Colonial Treasurer or other lawful authority may from time to time order and direct, and the payments so to be

Treasurer or lawful Authority shall pay by warrant or order.

made

**General Loan Account Appropriation Act.**

**No. 35, 1948.** made shall be charged upon and payable out of the said funds respectively; but the said Colonial Treasurer shall not be held liable for any claims which may arise in connection with any of the State Departments transferred to the Commonwealth on or after the date of such transfer.

Treasurer or lawful Authority shall be allowed credit for moneys paid by them.

**10.** The said Colonial Treasurer or other lawful Authority shall in their respective accounts from time to time be allowed credit for any sum or sums of money paid by him or them in pursuance of such warrant or order in writing as aforesaid, and the receipts of the respective persons to whom the same are so paid shall be a full and valid discharge to the said Colonial Treasurer or other lawful Authority in passing the said accounts for any such sums as may be therein mentioned, and he or they shall receive credit for the same accordingly.

Short title.

**11.** This Act may be cited as the "Appropriation Act, 1948."

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