

APPROPRIATION ACT.

New South Wales



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Act No. 69, 1973.

An Act to appropriate out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, and certain other Funds, sums for the ordinary annual services of the Government for the year commencing on 1st July, 1973, and ending on 30th June, 1974, both dates inclusive, and for charges supplementary or "Unauthorized in Suspense" from certain Funds for the year from 1st July, 1972, to 30th June, 1973, both dates inclusive; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 19th October, 1973.]

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BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by No. 69, 1973
 and with the advice and consent of the Legislative
 Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in
 Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as
 follows:—

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Appropriation Act, Short title 1973".

2. This Act is divided into Parts as follows :—

Division into
 Parts.

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PART II.

APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

DIVISION 1.—*Appropriations for the year 1973–1974.*

General appropriation from Consolidated Revenue Fund 1973–1974. 3. Out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund there are hereby appropriated the sums set out in sections four to twenty-five of this Act, both sections inclusive, which sums may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes expressed in the said sections for the services of the year from 1st July, 1973, to 30th June, 1974.

Supplement to Schedules to the Constitution Act. 4. SUPPLEMENT TO SCHEDULES TO THE CONSTITUTION ACT:—The sum of Fifty-two thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight dollars is hereby appropriated for Supplement to Schedules as follows:—

			\$
01. Other pensions and allowances	..	..	52,888.00
Total, Supplement to Schedules to the Constitution Act			\$52,888.00

The Legislature. 5. THE LEGISLATURE:—The sum of One million three hundred and thirty-seven thousand three hundred and forty-eight dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Legislative Establishments following:—

			\$
01. Legislative Council	..	..	188,701.00
02. Legislative Assembly	..	..	505,507.00
03. Legislative Council and Assembly	..	..	365,534.00
04. Parliamentary Library	..	..	117,572.00
05. Parliamentary Reporting Staff	160,034.00
Total, The Legislature			\$1,337,348.00

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6. PREMIER:—The sum of Eighty-three million seven hundred and sixty-seven thousand five hundred and seventy-nine dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

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01. Head Office	1,800,801.00
02. Leader of the Opposition	63,208.00
03. State Governor's Establishment and Executive Council	165,648.00
04. Ministerial Motor Services	295,975.00
05. New South Wales Government Offices, London (including Engineer's Branch) ..	986,700.00
06. New South Wales Centre, New York ..	184,495.00
07. New South Wales Government Office, Tokyo	131,252.00
08. Auditor-General's Department	1,402,855.00
09. Public Service Board	2,396,895.00
10. Police	76,339,750.00
Total, Premier	\$83,767,579.00

7. MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT:—The sum of Three million three hundred and four thousand one hundred and twenty-seven dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

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01. Head Office	3,304,127.00
Total, Minister for Transport	\$3,304,127.00

8. CHIEF SECRETARY AND MINISTER FOR SPORT:—The sum of Eight million one hundred and thirty-five thousand and fifty-eight dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

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01. Head Office	3,965,292.00
02. Fisheries	1,317,196.00
03. State Emergency Services and Civil Defence	678,700.00
04. New South Wales Immigration Division	317,419.00
05. Sport and Recreation Service of New South Wales	1,856,451.00
Total, Chief Secretary and Minister for Sport	\$8,135,058.00

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No. 69, 1973 **9. MINISTER FOR TOURISM:**—The sum of Two million two hundred and ninety-five thousand and thirty-four dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

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01. Department of Tourism	2,295,034.00
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Total, Minister for Tourism	\$2,295,034.00
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Minister for Health. **10. MINISTER FOR HEALTH:**—The sum of Two hundred and forty-seven million nine hundred and eighty-eight thousand four hundred and fifteen dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

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01. Health Commission of New South Wales	
—Administration	247,264,295.00
02. Miscellaneous Boards	332,832.00
03. Protective Office, Supreme Court	391,288.00
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Total, Minister for Health	\$247,988,415.00
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11. TREASURER:—The sum of Two hundred and forty million seven hundred and sixty-three thousand and sixty-seven dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

	\$
01. Treasury—Head Office	161,259,052.00
02. Treasury—Automatic Data Processing Service Bureau	1,429,385.00
03. Advance to Treasurer	24,000,000.00
04. State Lotteries (Administration Costs) ..	2,765,759.00
05. Stamp Duties (Administration Costs) ..	2,061,107.00
06. Government Stores Department	10,043,902.00
07. Government Cleaning Service	28,513,340.00
08. Maritime Services Board of New South Wales—Navigation	4,303,300.00
09. Maritime Services Board of New South Wales—Observatory Hill Resumed Area	131,052.00
10. Government Printer	5,150,000.00
11. Land Tax Office	1,106,170.00
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Total, Treasurer	\$240,763,067.00
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12. MINISTER FOR DECENTRALISATION AND DEVELOPMENT:—The sum of Three million six hundred and thirty-nine thousand seven hundred and fifty-six dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

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01. Department of Decentralisation and Development	3,639,756.00
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Total, Minister for Decentralisation and Development	\$3,639,756.00
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No. 69, 1973 **13. ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE:—**The sum of Forty-five million four hundred and forty-four thousand one hundred and thirty-nine dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

Attorney-
General and
Minister of
Justice.

	\$
01. Attorney-General	4,105,899.00
02. Corporate Affairs Commission	2,235,846.00
03. Court Reporters	1,062,761.00
04. Supreme Court Jurisdiction and Industrial Commission	1,446,442.00
05. District Court Jurisdiction	585,354.00
06. Minister of Justice—Head Office	1,085,669.00
07. Courts of Summary Jurisdiction and Coroners' Courts	7,759,326.00
08. Fair Rents	225,122.00
09. Public Trustee	2,414,274.00
10. Sheriff	2,065,583.00
11. Department of Corrective Services ..	15,934,470.00
12. Registrar-General	6,327,571.00
13. Licenses Reduction Board	195,822.00

Total, Attorney-General and Minister of
Justice \$45,444,139.00

Minister for
Lands.

14. MINISTER FOR LANDS:—The sum of Thirteen million five hundred and eighty-three thousand four hundred and eighty-seven dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

	\$
01. Lands Administration	12,973,202.00
02. Western Lands Commission	496,133.00
03. Letter Delivery Bureaux	114,152.00

Total, Minister for Lands \$13,583,487.00

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15. MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS:—The sum of Forty-five million eight hundred and seventy-six thousand nine hundred and thirty-five dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

		\$
01. Central Administration, Head and District Offices .. .. .	.. .. .	45,876,935.00
Total, Minister for Public Works		\$45,876,935.00

16. MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT:—The sum of Twenty-eight million three hundred and eighteen thousand seven hundred and one dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

		\$
01. Local Government Department .. .. .	.. .. .	24,059,916.00
02. Valuer-General's Department .. .. .	.. .. .	4,258,785.00
Total, Minister for Local Government		\$28,318,701.00

17. MINISTER FOR HOUSING AND MINISTER FOR CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES:—The sum of Eight hundred and sixty thousand nine hundred and ninety-one dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

		\$
01. Ministry of Housing—Head Office .. .. .	.. .. .	182,643.00
02. Registry of Co-operative Societies .. .. .	.. .. .	678,348.00
Total, Minister for Housing and Minister for Co-operative Societies		\$860,991.00

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Minister for Education.

18. MINISTER FOR EDUCATION:—The sum of Five hundred million five hundred and ninety-five thousand nine hundred and forty-three dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

		\$
01.	Ministry of Education	41,684,483.00
02.	Department of Education—Head Office ..	54,570,390.00
03.	Department of Education—Primary Education	181,685,317.00
04.	Department of Education—Secondary Education	181,160,230.00
05.	Conservatorium of Music	1,082,483.00
06.	Department of Technical Education ..	40,413,040.00
Total, Minister for Education		\$500,595,943.00

Minister for Cultural Activities.

19. MINISTER FOR CULTURAL ACTIVITIES:—The sum of Ten million eight hundred and seven thousand and five dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

		\$
01.	Head Office	3,358,319.00
02.	Library of New South Wales	2,669,122.00
03.	Library Board	2,844,625.00
04.	Art Gallery of New South Wales	585,541.00
05.	Observatory	92,936.00
06.	Australian Museum	868,004.00
07.	Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences ..	388,458.00
Total, Minister for Cultural Activities ..		\$10,807,005.00

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20. MINISTER FOR YOUTH AND COMMUNITY SERVICES:—The sum of Twenty-six million nine hundred and fourteen thousand four hundred and sixty-nine dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

	\$
01. Administrative Division	11,716,689.00
02. Residential Care Division	8,155,147.00
03. Community Services Division	7,042,633.00
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Total, Minister for Youth and Community Services	\$26,914,469.00
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21. MINISTER FOR MINES AND MINISTER FOR POWER:—The sum of Seven million four hundred and thirty-two thousand five hundred and seventeen dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

	\$
01. Mines	5,795,758.00
02. Explosives	186,747.00
03. Power	1,450,012.00
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Total, Minister for Mines and Minister for Power	\$7,432,517.00
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22. MINISTER FOR LABOUR AND INDUSTRY:—The sum of Six million six hundred and seventy-seven thousand and sixty dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

	\$
01. Administrative Division	1,320,282.00
02. Division of Industrial Relations	1,014,383.00
03. Division of Inspection Services	2,817,943.00
04. Division of Vocational Guidance Services	1,287,482.00
05. Division of Consumer Affairs	236,970.00
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Total, Minister for Labour and Industry	\$6,677,060.00
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No. 69, 1973 **23. MINISTER FOR CONSERVATION:**—The sum of Eighteen million seven hundred and forty-seven thousand two hundred and five dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

Minister for
Conservation.

	\$
01. Central Administration	887,992.00
02. Soil Conservation Service	2,685,826.00
03. Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission	7,581,715.00
04. Forestry Commission	7,591,672.00
Total, Minister for Conservation	\$18,747,205.00

Minister for
Agriculture. **24. MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE:**—The sum of Thirty million eight hundred and sixty-six thousand three hundred and fourteen dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

	\$
01. Central Administration	4,672,227.00
02. Biological and Chemical Research Institute	1,368,990.00
03. Division of Plant Industry	1,562,077.00
04. Division of Horticulture	2,050,146.00
05. Division of Dairying	1,460,473.00
06. Division of Research Services	3,186,853.00
07. Agricultural Colleges	4,956,429.00
08. Division of Animal Industry—Head and District Offices	5,668,746.00
09. Division of Animal Industry—Queensland Border	472,883.00
10. Division of Animal Industry—Tick Quarantine Areas	4,481,021.00
11. Royal Botanic Gardens and Allied Activities	986,469.00
Total, Minister for Agriculture	\$30,866,314.00

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25. MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT CONTROL:—The sum of One million and fourteen thousand one hundred and seventy-three dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

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01. Ministry of Environment Control.. ..	118,797.00
02. Department of Environment	895,376.00
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Total, Minister for Environment Control	\$1,014,173.00
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26. The total sum appropriated out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the services of the year from 1st July, 1973, to 30th June, 1974, in accordance with the provisions of sections four to twenty-five of this Act, both sections inclusive, is the sum of one thousand three hundred and twenty-eight million four hundred and twenty-two thousand two hundred and eleven dollars (\$1,328,422,211.00).

Total sum appropriated out of Consolidated Revenue Fund 1973-1974.

DIVISION 2.—*Adjustment of "Advance to Treasurer" for 1972-1973 and Payments "Unauthorized in Suspense" during 1972-1973.*

27. The sum of Twenty million dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund in adjustment of the vote of "Advance to Treasurer", 1972-1973, for Supplementary Charges made during the period from 1st July, 1972, to 30th June, 1973, for the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments following:—

SUPPLEMENT TO SCHEDULES TO THE CONSTITUTION ACT—

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Other pensions and allowances	18,024.25
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Total, Supplement to Schedules to the Constitution Act	\$18,024.25
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Legislative Assembly	27,320.88
Legislative Council and Assembly	20,111.83
Parliamentary Library	4,066.93
Parliamentary Reporting Staff	9,581.22
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Total, The Legislature	\$61,080.86
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PREMIER—

Head Office	203,904.28
Leader of the Opposition	5,859.74
State Governor's Establishment and Executive Council	7,534.50
Ministerial Motor Services	12,964.47
New South Wales Government Offices, London (including Engineer's Branch)	74,916.62
New South Wales Centre, New York	14,967.01
Auditor-General's Department	57,096.84
Public Service Board	30,356.05
Police	3,438,507.42
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Total, Premier	\$3,846,106.93
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MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT—

Head Office	129,197.40
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Total, Minister for Transport	\$129,197.40
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CHIEF SECRETARY AND MINISTER FOR SPORT—		No. 69, 1973
		\$
Head Office		64,725.57
Fisheries		157,965.92
State Emergency Services and Civil Defence ..		43,338.09
New South Wales Immigration Division ..		19,029.49
Sport and Recreation Service of New South Wales		70,985.59
Total, Chief Secretary and Minister for Sport		\$356,044.66
 MINISTER FOR TOURISM—		
Department of Tourism		170,906.07
Total, Minister for Tourism		\$170,906.07
 MINISTER FOR HEALTH—		
Department of Health—Central Administration		61,878.93
Contribution to the Hospital Fund		1,683.49
Scientific Activities		208,707.17
Miscellaneous Boards		7,187.69
Establishments Division		23,318.25
Protective Office, Supreme Court		22,947.64
Public Health Services		366,078.09
Total, Minister for Health		\$691,801.26
 TREASURER—		
Treasury—Head Office		604,495.26
State Lotteries (Administration Costs) ..		101,677.92
Government Stores Department		1,203,058.47
Maritime Services Board of New South Wales —Navigation		206,853.27
Maritime Services Board of New South Wales —Observatory Hill Resumed area		3,986.82
Government Printer		190,000.00
Land Tax Office		73,941.95
Total, Treasurer		\$2,384,013.69

MINISTER

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<u>No. 69, 1973</u> MINISTER FOR DECENTRALISATION AND DEVELOPMENT—		\$
Department of Decentralisation and Development		73,325.35
Total, Minister for Decentralisation and Development		\$73,325.35
ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE—		
Attorney-General		95,387.05
Corporate Affairs Commission		66,931.07
Court Reporters		70,500.78
Supreme Court Jurisdiction and Industrial Commission		124,091.37
District Court Jurisdiction		30,290.64
Minister of Justice—Head Office		49,240.89
Courts of Summary Jurisdiction and Coroners' Courts		416,048.86
Public Trustee		126,091.52
Sheriff		25,760.89
Department of Corrective Services		7,364.50
Registrar-General		367,012.73
Licenses Reduction Board		10,315.29
Total, Attorney-General and Minister of Justice		\$1,389,035.59
MINISTER FOR LANDS—		
Lands Administration		458,914.28
Western Lands Commission		19,132.09
Letter Delivery Bureaux.. .. .		1,541.95
Total, Minister for Lands		\$479,588.32
MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS—		
Central Administration—Head and District Offices		1,959,247.86
Total, Minister for Public Works		\$1,959,247.86

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MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT—		
Local Government Department	217,287.91	
Valuer-General's Department	137,586.04	
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Total, Minister for Local Government ..	\$354,873.95	
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 MINISTER FOR HOUSING AND MINISTER FOR CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES—		
Ministry of Housing—Head Office	70.32	
Registry of Co-operative Societies	22,310.65	
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Total, Minister for Housing and Minister for Co-operative Societies	\$22,380.97	
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 MINISTER FOR EDUCATION—		
Ministry of Education	30,422.65	
Department of Education—Head Office ..	551,056.36	
Department of Education—Primary Education	967,683.83	
Department of Education—Secondary Educa- tion	318,983.21	
Department of Education—Training of Teachers	1,347,070.61	
Conservatorium of Music	17,258.87	
Department of Technical Education	1,538,082.49	
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Total, Minister for Education	\$4,770,558.02	
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No. 69, 1973	\$
MINISTER FOR CULTURAL ACTIVITIES—	
Head Office	394,291.63
Library of New South Wales	68,648.30
Art Gallery of New South Wales	43,059.49
Observatory	2,870.08
Australian Museum	56,664.26
Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences	10,379.18
Total, Minister for Cultural Activities	\$575,912.94
 MINISTER FOR CHILD WELFARE AND MINISTER FOR SOCIAL WELFARE—	
Administrative Division	324,134.51
Establishments Division	423,939.27
Field Division	189,023.09
Total, Minister for Child Welfare and Minister for Social Welfare	\$937,096.87
 MINISTER FOR MINES AND MINISTER FOR POWER—	
Mines	141,528.99
Explosives	5,213.01
Power	17,662.00
Total, Minister for Mines and Minister for Power	\$164,404.00
 MINISTER FOR LABOUR AND INDUSTRY—	
Administrative Division	43,516.82
Division of Industrial Relations	56,925.41
Division of Inspection Services	230,927.57
Division of Vocational Guidance Services	64,957.96
Division of Consumer Affairs	29,968.13
Total, Minister for Labour and Industry	\$426,295.89
MINISTER	

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	\$	No. 69, 1973
MINISTER FOR CONSERVATION—		
Central Administration	108,477.13	
Soil Conservation Service	76,897.00	
Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission	304,052.67	
Forestry Commission	150,266.56	
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Total, Minister for Conservation ..	\$639,693.36	
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 MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE—		
Central Administration	158,869.09	
Biological and Chemical Research Institute ..	29,107.05	
Division of Plant Industry	846.60	
Division of Horticulture	15,795.35	
Division of Research Services	71,586.88	
Agricultural Colleges	65,139.23	
Division of Animal Industry—Head and District Offices	90,000.92	
Division of Animal Industry—Tick Quarantine Areas	86,259.48	
Royal Botanic Gardens and Allied Activities..	6,852.40	
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Total, Minister for Agriculture	\$524,457.00	
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 MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT CONTROL—		
Department of Environment	25,954.76	
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Total, Minister for Environment Control	\$25,954.76	
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Appropriation.

No. 69, 1973 28. The sum of Twenty-nine million three hundred and forty-four thousand six hundred and fifty-five dollars and thirty-nine cents is hereby appropriated out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to cover payments "Unauthorized in Suspense", to 30th June, 1973, for Urgent Claims on account of Services of the year 1972-1973, made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament as follows:—

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PREMIER—	
Police	479,343.60
Total, Premier	<u>\$479,343.60</u>
 TREASURER—	
Treasury—Head Office	13,201,551.41
Total, Treasurer	<u>\$13,201,551.41</u>
 MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS—	
Central Administration—Head and District Offices	470,089.62
Total, Minister for Public Works	<u>\$470,089.62</u>
 MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT—	
Local Government Department	8,278,694.47
Total, Minister for Local Government	<u>\$8,278,694.47</u>

MINISTER

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MINISTER FOR EDUCATION—		
Ministry of Education	3,730,235.50	
Department of Education—Primary Education	1,647,092.88	
Department of Education—Training of Teachers	371,235.17	
Total, Minister for Education	\$5,748,563.55	
MINISTER FOR CHILD WELFARE AND MINISTER FOR SOCIAL WELFARE—		
Administrative Division	1,166,412.74	
Total, Minister for Child Welfare and Minister for Social Welfare	\$1,166,412.74	

PART III.

APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF OTHER FUNDS.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS FUND.

29. (1) The sum of Three hundred and forty-three million four hundred and ninety thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Government Railways Fund for the services of the year from 1st July, 1973, to 30th June, 1974, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—

	\$
Administrative and General	16,509,000.00
Way and Works	53,673,000.00
Rolling Stock	79,534,000.00
Electrical	13,071,000.00
Rail Operations	88,469,000.00
Locomotive Operations	34,668,000.00
Trading and Catering Services	12,835,000.00
Pay-roll Tax	9,510,000.00
Transfer to Government Railways Renewals Fund	9,625,000.00
Provision for Long Service Leave	11,172,000.00
Contributions to Retirement Funds	5,198,000.00
Government Railways Superannuation Account Contribution	9,226,000.00
Total	\$343,490,000.00

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No. 63, 1973 (2) The sum of Eight million two hundred and sixty-four thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Government Railways Fund to cover payments "Unauthorized in Suspense", to 30th June, 1973, for Urgent Claims on account of services of the year 1972-1973, made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament as follows:—

Payments
"Un-
authorized
in Suspense"
1972-1973.

	\$
Way and Works	3,749,563.00
Rolling Stock	2,775,189.00
Transportation and Traffic	1,328,506.00
Provision for Long Service Leave	411,579.00
Total	\$8,264,837.00

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS RENEWALS FUND.

Appropriations out of the Government Railways Renewals Fund 1973-1974. 30. The sum of Eighteen million dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Government Railways Renewals Fund for the services of the year from 1st July, 1973, to 30th June, 1974, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—

	\$
Renewals, Reconstructions, and conversions of Railway Lines, Buildings, Equipment, Plant, or other Wasting Assets including Locomotives and Rolling Stock	18,000,000.00
Total	\$18,000,000.00

ROAD TRANSPORT AND TRAFFIC FUND.

Appropriations out of the Road Transport and Traffic Fund 1973-1974. 31. The sum of Thirty-five million dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Road Transport and Traffic Fund for the services of the year from 1st July, 1973, to 30th June, 1974, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—

	\$
Administrative and General Charges and Other Expenses	35,000,000.00
Total	\$35,000,000.00

METROPOLITAN

Appropriation.**METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND.**

No. 69, 1973

32. (1) The sum of Fifty-four million four hundred and sixty-seven thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund for the services of the year from 1st July, 1973, to 30th June, 1974, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—

	\$	\$	Appropriations out of the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund 1973-1974.
Administrative and Other Charges—			
Administrative and General Charges	6,917,000.00		
Depreciation	1,094,000.00		
Pay-roll Tax	1,713,000.00		
Contribution to Government Railways Superannuation Account	621,000.00		
		10,345,000.00	
Operation and Maintenance of Omnibus Services—			
Maintenance and Renewals of Omnibuses and Equipment	10,560,000.00		
Operation	33,562,000.00		
		44,122,000.00	
Total		\$54,467,000.00	

(2) The sum of One million eight hundred and thirty-one thousand nine hundred and eight dollars and twenty-nine cents is hereby appropriated out of the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund to cover payments "Unauthorized in Suspense", to 30th June, 1973, for Urgent Claims on account of the services of the year 1972-1973, made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament as follows:—

	\$
Administrative and General Charges	1,336,208.23
Operation	495,700.06
Total	\$1,831,908.29

NEWCASTLE

*Appropriation.***No. 69, 1973** NEWCASTLE AND DISTRICT TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND.

Appropriations out of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund 1973-1974.

33. (1) The sum of Five million nine hundred and ninety thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund for the services of the year from 1st July, 1973, to 30th June, 1974, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—

	\$	\$
Administrative and Other Charges—		
Administrative and General Charges	688,000.00	
Depreciation	140,000.00	
Pay-roll Tax	194,000.00	
Contribution to Government Railways Superannuation Account	69,000.00	
	<u>1,091,000.00</u>	
Operation and Maintenance of Omnibus Services—		
Maintenance and Renewals of Omnibuses and Equipment	1,346,000.00	
Operation	3,553,000.00	
	<u>4,899,000.00</u>	
Total		<u>\$5,990,000.00</u>

Payments "Unauthorized in Suspense" 1972-1973.

(2) The sum of Twenty-one thousand five hundred dollars and eighteen cents is hereby appropriated out of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund to cover payments "Unauthorized in Suspense", to 30th June, 1973, for Urgent Claims on account of services of the year 1972-1973, made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament as follows:—

	\$
Administrative and General Charges	21,500.18
Total	<u>\$21,500.18</u>

MARITIME

Appropriation.

MARITIME SERVICES BOARD FUND.

No. 69, 1973

34. The sum of Twenty-six million and fifty-six thousand seven hundred dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Maritime Services Board Fund for the services of the year from 1st July, 1973, to 30th June, 1974, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—

	\$
Administrative and General Charges	5,084,000.00
Collection of Wharfage and Tonnage Rates ..	242,000.00
Control of Ports	1,408,000.00
Survey of Ports	400,000.00
Maintenance and Renewals of Property ..	5,397,000.00
Sundry Services	1,566,500.00
Dredging, including Provision for Special Dredging	630,000.00
Demolition of Wharves and Buildings ..	17,000.00
Container Terminal Operations	2,893,000.00
Coal Loading Facilities	3,051,000.00
Transfer to Maritime Services Board Renewals Fund	4,700,000.00
Bonded and Free Warehouses	196,200.00
Payments on account of Principal and Interest re Special Advances for Coal Loading Works and Other Borrowings of the Board ..	472,000.00
Total	\$26,056,700.00

MARITIME SERVICES BOARD RENEWALS FUND.

35. The sum of Eight million five hundred thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Maritime Services Board Renewals Fund for the services of the year from 1st July, 1973, to 30th June, 1974, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—

	\$
Renewals and Reconstruction of Wharves, Buildings, Equipment, Plant or other Assets	4,200,000.00
Development of Port Facilities in Botany Bay	4,300,000.00
Total	\$8,500,000.00

PART

Appropriation.

No. 69, 1973

PART IV.

GENERAL.

Variation of authorized expenditure from Consolidated Revenue Fund.

36. (1) Subject to section thirty-four of the Audit Act, 1902, and subsection two of this section, 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 on such Estimates.

(2) If the exigencies of the Public Service render it necessary, the Treasurer or person appointed by him may authorize 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".

Variation of authorized expenditure from other Funds.

37. (1) Subject to subsection two of this section, 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 Maritime Services Board Fund, in excess of the sum provided therefor on such Estimates.

(2) If the exigencies of the Public Service render it necessary, the Treasurer or the person appointed by him may authorize 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.

Provisions affecting sections thirty-seven and thirty-eight.

38. (1) Nothing in sections thirty-six and thirty-seven of this Act shall empower the Treasurer or the person appointed by him as aforesaid to authorize 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.

(2) The Treasurer shall cause the Auditor-General to be informed of every authority granted pursuant to sections thirty-six and thirty-seven of this Act.

Treasurer or lawful authority shall pay by warrant or order.

39. 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 Treasurer or other lawful authority may from time to time order and direct, and the payments so to be made shall be charged upon and payable out of the said funds respectively; but the said 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.

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40. The said 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 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.

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