



ANNO SECUNDO

ELIZABETHAE II REGINAE

A.D. 1953

No. 17 of 1953.

An Act for the general appropriation of the revenue of the State for the year ending on the thirtieth day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-four, and for other purposes.

[Assented to 16th November, 1953.]

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the State of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Parliament thereof, as follows :

- Short title.** **1.** This Act may be cited as the " Appropriation Act (No. 2), 1953 ".
- Further issue.** **2.** Out of the moneys paid to the State by the Commonwealth of Australia, and any other General Revenue of the said State, not otherwise by law specially appropriated, there may be further issued the sum of twenty-eight million, seven hundred and thirty-six thousand, four hundred and two pounds.
- Appropriation of General Revenue.** **3.** (1) Out of the sum of six million pounds issued under the authority of the Supply Act (No. 1), 1953, and the sum of six million pounds issued under the authority of the Supply Act (No. 2), 1953, and the said sum of twenty-eight million, seven hundred and thirty-six thousand, four hundred and two pounds by this Act authorized to be issued, there may be applied and paid for defraying the charges of the State Government

for the year ending the thirtieth day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-four, the sum of forty million, seven hundred and thirty-six thousand, four hundred and two pounds, the said amount being appropriated as follows, viz. :—

Estimates.
1953-54.

	£
Legislative Council	8,747
House of Assembly	11,248
Parliamentary Library	4,128
Joint House Committee	9,336
Electoral	26,379
Government Reporting	23,855
Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works	3,085
Parliamentary Committee on Land Settlement	3,196
Legislature, Miscellaneous	34,197
State Governor's Establishment	5,117
Chief Secretary	14,627
Statistical	47,138
Audit	45,805
Printing and Stationery	206,790
Police	1,359,008
Sheriff and Gaols and Prisons	200,064
Hospitals	3,122,877
Children's Welfare and Public Relief	480,431
Public Health	117,719
Chief Secretary, Miscellaneous	1,159,059
Attorney-General	8,783
Registrar of Companies	8,260
Crown Solicitor	24,660
Parliamentary Draftsman	5,614
Public Trustee	45,272
Supreme Court	54,862
Adelaide Local Court	24,587
Adelaide Police Court	26,521
Country and Suburban Courts	38,967
Coroners	3,864
Registrar-General of Deeds	81,653
Attorney-General, Miscellaneous	7,153
The Treasury	27,028
Superannuation	35,223
Motor Vehicles	146,304
Agent-General in England	26,215
Land Tax	72,601
Stamp and Succession Duties	23,904
Publicity and Tourist Bureau and Immigration	149,045
Prices Control	70,000
Building Materials	100
Treasurer, Miscellaneous	5,023,012
Lands	501,459
Government Motor Garage	22,761
Advances to Settlers, Vermin Proof Fencing and Loans for Fencing and Water Piping ..	1,981
Minister of Lands, Miscellaneous	75,056
Public Works (Office of the Minister)	6,982
Engineering and Water Supply	1,711,824
Architect-in-Chief	189,170

	£
Government Offices	111,118
Cemetery	16,995
Public Stores	100,646
Aborigines	95,619
Public Works	1,019,890
Minister of Works, Miscellaneous	26,044
Education	4,672,461
The Libraries	93,188
The Museum	33,357
The Art Gallery	15,073
Observatory	50
Minister of Education, Miscellaneous	690,062
Industry	54,515
Factories and Steam Boilers	43,196
Minister of Industry, Miscellaneous	1,450
Minister of Agriculture	7,146
Agriculture	514,707
Agricultural College	100,141
Produce	215,294
Fisheries and Game	10,657
Chemistry	34,647
Primary Producers' Assistance	5,657
Minister of Agriculture, Miscellaneous	84,510
Department of Lands—Irrigation and Drainage	459,078
Mines	611,000
Minister of Mines, Miscellaneous	3,700
Harbors Board	1,393,372
Minister of Marine, Miscellaneous	250
Railways	14,765,027
Transport Control Board	17,100
Minister of Railways, Miscellaneous	3,462
Highways and Local Government	189,814
Minister of Local Government, Miscellaneous	51,509
Total	<u>£40,736,402</u>

(2) If—

- (a) during the financial year ending on the thirtieth day of June nineteen hundred and fifty-four any increases of salaries or wages become payable by the State Government pursuant to any return made under the Acts relating to the public service, or any regulation, or any award, order, or determination of a court or other body empowered to fix wages or salaries ; and
- (b) such increases were not provided for in the estimates of expenditure for the said financial year,

the Governor may, by warrant under section 32a of the Public Finance Act, 1936-1947 (as amended by the Public Finance Act, 1949), appropriate out of the general revenue of the State any money required to pay the said increases.

The aggregate amount of money which may be appropriated under the said section 32a for the said financial year shall be increased by the amount of money appropriated pursuant to this subsection.

(3) Sections 48 and 187 of the Industrial Code, 1920-1951, except so far as they require awards, orders and determinations to be laid before Parliament, shall not apply to any award, order or determination made between the passing of this Act and the passing of the Act for the general appropriation of revenue for the year ending on the thirtieth day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

4. The issue and payment by the Treasurer, from time to time, of any sums of money for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned, not exceeding in the whole the amount hereinbefore specified, in such portions as the Governor directs by any orders in writing signed by him and countersigned by the Chief Secretary, is hereby authorized; and the Treasurer shall, in his accounts, be allowed credit for all sums paid by him in pursuance of such orders accordingly; and the receipts of the persons to whom such sums are so paid shall be to him a full discharge for the sums for which the receipts are given, and the amounts thereof shall be passed to his credit in account accordingly.

Treasurer to pay the orders of Governor, and discharge by receipt of party.

5. If the moneys paid by the Commonwealth of Australia and the General Revenue of the State are insufficient to make the payments authorized by section 3 of this Act, moneys may be issued to make good the deficiency out of loan funds or other public funds or out of moneys raised by way of bank overdraft.

Power to issue money other than revenue or money received from the Commonwealth.

6. The Treasurer may out of the money appropriated by this Act make any payment for which money has been included in the estimates of expenditure of the Government of South Australia, passed by the House of Assembly for the financial year ending on the thirtieth day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-four notwithstanding that the payment is—

Power to make payments.

- (a) in respect of a period prior to the first day of July, nineteen hundred and fifty-three; or
- (b) at a rate in excess of the rate which, during the period in respect of which the payment is made, was in force under any return made by the Public Service Board, pursuant to the Public Service Act, 1936-1952, or under any regulation of the South Australian Railways Commissioner.

Payments to be
in addition
to other
payments.

7. Any amount appropriated by this Act may be paid for the purpose for which it is so appropriated, in addition to any other amount appropriated by law for that purpose.

In the name and on behalf of Her Majesty, I hereby assent to this Bill.

J. M. NAPIER, Governor's Deputy.