

THE ACTS  
OF  
THE PARLIAMENT  
OF  
TASMANIA  
1958

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LOAN FUND APPROPRIATION.

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No. 1 of 1958.

AN ACT to authorize the issue and application of moneys from the Loan Fund, and to provide for matters incidental thereto. [20 June 1958.]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

**1** This Act may be cited as the *Loan Fund Appropriation Act* 1958. Short title.

**2** In this Act, unless the contrary intention appears—

“Financial Agreement” means the agreement made between the Commonwealth and the States and ratified by the *Financial Agreement Act* 1927, and includes that agreement as varied from time to time and any agreement made in substitution therefor;

Interpretation.

“ Loan Fund ” means the Loan Fund established under section six of the *Public Account Act 1957*.

Appropriation of Loan Fund.

**3**—(1) For the purposes of this Act, the Treasurer may issue out of the Loan Fund (which, to the necessary extent, is appropriated accordingly) the sum of £3,081,180.

(2) Of the sum issued out of the Loan Fund under the authority of this section—

(a) the sum of £3,013,680 may be applied for the several public works or purposes that are specified in the first schedule; and

(b) the sum of £67,500 may be applied in accordance with the provisions of the *Metropolitan Transport Act 1954* by way of capital expenditure in connection with the works and purposes that are specified in the second schedule.

Power of Treasurer to borrow moneys.

**4** For the purposes of this Act, the Treasurer may arrange for the borrowing on behalf of the State, in accordance with the Financial Agreement, of any sums of money not exceeding £3,081,180.

Authority for carrying out of works and purposes.

**5**—(1) The public works and purposes that are specified in the first schedule may be executed and carried out by the Minister administering the Act or Department under or for the purposes of which those works and purposes are respectively required to be executed and carried out.

(2) The sum to be expended pursuant to this Act for any work or purpose that is specified in the first schedule shall not exceed the sum set forth in that schedule in respect of that work or purpose.

Certain moneys not to be considered as voted for capital expenditure.  
Cf. No. 28 of 1955, s. 6.

**6**—(1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Act specified in the first column of the third schedule, the moneys raised, and paid to the Commission, by the Treasurer under the authority of that Act for the purpose specified opposite that Act in the second column of that schedule shall be deemed, on and after the first day of July 1955, not to be moneys voted by way of capital expenditure in connection with the transport undertaking within the meaning or for the purposes of the *Transport Act 1938*, and accordingly, no interest is payable thereon by the Transport Commission to the Treasurer in respect of any quarter after the quarter that ended on the thirtieth day of June 1955.

(2) The Treasurer and the Transport Commission respectively may cause to be made in the books and accounts of the Treasury and of the Commission such adjustments as may be necessary in consequence of the enactment of this section.

## THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(Section 3.)

## PART I.

WORKS AUTHORIZED OR IN PROGRESS UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE GOVERNOR.

## BUILDINGS:

*Minister for Lands and Works—*

## Public Works Department—

	£
1. Public Buildings 93 to 95 Charles Street, Launceston—Alterations and Additions .....	9,700
2. Moonah Plant Depot—Office Accommodation—Alterations and additions, &c. (additional) .....	1,500
3. Purchase of properties for use as Public Buildings, Hobart (additional) .....	10,700

*Minister for Tourist and Immigration—*

## Tasmanian Government Tourist and Immigration Department—

4. Purchase of property Stewart Street, Devonport for use as Public Buildings and to provide for additions (additional) .....	2,100
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## PART II.

WORKS AND PURPOSES TO BE EXECUTED AND CARRIED OUT.

## BUILDINGS:

*Premier—*

## His Excellency the Governor's establishment—

5. Government House—Additions, alterations and renewals .....	3,800
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*Minister for Education—*

## Adult Education Board—

6. Purchase of property corner of Wenvoe and Steel Streets, Devonport, including alterations and equipment .....	13,800
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## The University of Tasmania—

7. New University at Sandy Bay (additional) .....	600,000
8. New University at Sandy Bay—Furnishings and equipment .....	134,400
9. Contribution towards cost of Students' Union Building at University site, Sandy Bay (additional) .....	3,500
10. Students' Union Building—Equipment, &c. ....	7,500

*Minister for Lands and Works—*

## Parliament House—

11. Renewal of House of Assembly Chamber ceiling and alterations to Premier's Room .....	1,580
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## Public Works Department—

12. Purchase of properties for use as Public Buildings	100,000
13. For the purpose of remodelling the Old Government Printing Office for use as offices (additional) .....	15,000
14. New Offices, Wellington and Eardley Streets, Launceston—Furnishing, heating, &c. ....	3,750
15. Public Buildings 81 Brisbane Street, Hobart—Alterations, partitions, &c. ....	3,550
16. Roads Division Offices, Public Buildings, Davey Street—Remodelling, &c. ....	11,500
17. Extension of Mapping Machine Room for Lands and Surveys Department .....	3,000
18. Moonah Plant Depot—Fire Protection Mains .....	1,000

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19.	Moonah Plant Depot—Amenities Block .....	21,000
20.	New Public Buildings at Ulverstone including furnishing, &c. ....	47,500
21.	Purchase of Drill Hall, Queenstown .....	3,000
	Lands and Surveys Department—	
22.	Shot Tower, Tarooma—Alterations and improve- ments to tower, dwelling and road access, &c. ....	3,000
	Mines Department—	
23.	Purchase of property at Launceston or Hobart for storage of drilling plant and equipment and expenses incidental thereto .....	4,000
24.	Construction of building at Hobart for storage of drill cores and drilling plant and equipment .....	6,000
	<i>Minister for Agriculture—</i>	
	Agricultural Department—	
25.	Purchase of land at Bridgewater for Abattoirs purposes and other expenses in connection there- with (additional) .....	3,000
	<i>Minister for Health—</i>	
	Department of Health Services—	
26.	Launceston General Hospital—Amenities and Trades Block .....	65,000
27.	Mersey General Hospital (formerly Devonport and Latrobe Group of Hospitals) (additional) .....	460,000
28.	Royal Hobart Hospital—Outpatients' Department (additional) .....	425,000
29.	Rosebery District Hospital—Erection of new hospital, additions and alterations (including alterations to the existing hospital) (addi- tional) .....	15,000
	<i>Minister for Police—</i>	
	Police Department—	
30.	Watch-house Keeper's Quarters and Police Amen- ities Block, Hobart .....	41,500
	<i>Minister for Tourist and Immigration—</i>	
	Tasmanian Government Tourist and Immigration Department—	
31.	To provide cottage (including purchase of land) for guide at Maracoopa Caves, Mole Creek (addi- tional) .....	1,500
32.	Improvements at King Solomon and Maracoopa Caves, Mole Creek .....	6,500
	<b>MISCELLANEOUS:</b>	
	<i>Premier—</i>	
	Premier and Chief Secretary's Department—	
33.	To meet capital costs of hydro-electric power ex- tensions in rural areas as provided by section 32 of the <i>Hydro-Electric Commission Act 1944</i> .....	70,000
34.	Payment to Mersey Shipyards Pty. Ltd. for the purposes of purchase of freehold land and grant- ing assistance upon terms to be agreed upon by the Hon. the Premier .....	10,000
	<i>Minister for Lands and Works—</i>	
	Public Works Department—	
35.	Purchase of Instruments .....	2,000
	Lands and Surveys Department—	
36.	For the purpose of the continuation of the aerial photography and mapping of Tasmania .....	25,000

## PART III.

## ROADS AND BRIDGES:

*Minister for Lands and Works—*

## Public Works Department—

	£
37. Construction of a Highway from Victoria Bridge, Devonport to the Bass Highway, east of Latrobe and ancillary junctions and connections thereto	230,000
38. West Tamar Highway-Muddy Creek Deviation	265,000
39. Road to Ben Lomond	20,000
40. Derwent River Bridge at Dunrobin (additional)	13,000
41. Golden Fleece Bridge, St. Helens (additional)	19,000
42. Forth River Bridge at Forth	91,500
43. Mersey River Bridge at Latrobe	177,800
44. Brumby Creek Bridge on Cressy-Campbell Town Road	24,000
45. Nive River Bridge at Tarraleah (part cost)	14,000

*Minister for Forests, Tourist and Immigration—*

## Forestry Department—

46. Extension of Hartz Road (Arve Valley) into the Scenery Reserve	24,000
	£3,013,680

## THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

## (Section 3.)

## METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT TRUST.

*Minister for Transport—*

## Buses—

	£
47. Ten petrol buses for expansion of existing services in Hobart and Launceston	46,000

## Conversion of Tram Routes, Hobart—

48. Completion of erection of overhead lines and contribution towards the reconstruction of roadways on the West Hobart route	10,000
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## Route Improvements—

49. Lenah Valley bus terminal area and expansion of Lenah Valley bus service	2,000
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## Depot Works and Extensions—

50. For and towards the relocation of tramcar workshops from the City to Moonah Depot in Hobart and extension of bus maintenance pits at City Depot	2,800
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## Trolley Bus Overhead Extensions—

51. Overhead line extensions at Launceston Depot	500
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## Plant and Equipment—

52. Purchase of equipment for workshops in Hobart and Launceston—electrical plant, tower waggon, panel beating, panel rollers, engine parts bath, heating of workshops, and watchmen's recording clocks	6,200
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£67,500

## THE THIRD SCHEDULE.

(Section 6.)

FIRST COLUMN Authorizing Act.	SECOND COLUMN Purpose.
<i>Public Works Execution Act (No. 2)</i> 1948—Third Schedule, item 13.	Provision of berths at Dennes Point and Tinder- box.

## EXPLOSIVES.

## No. 2 of 1958.

AN ACT to amend the *Explosives Act 1916*.  
[ 26 June 1958. ]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

Short title,  
citation, and  
commence-  
ment.

- 1**—(1) This Act may be cited as the *Explosives Act 1958*.  
(2) The *Explosives Act 1916*, as subsequently amended, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.  
(3) This Act shall commence on a date to be fixed by proclamation.

Where explo-  
sives may be  
made and  
kept.

- 2** Section eight of the Principal Act is amended—  
(a) by inserting the word “or” at the end of paragraph I of subsection (4); and  
(b) by omitting paragraphs II and III of that subsection and substituting therefor the following paragraph:—

“II An explosive on any premises for any purpose which may be prescribed as a purpose for which that explosive may be kept, so long as the amount kept on those premises does not exceed any maximum amount that may be prescribed for the keeping of that explosive for that purpose.”