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APPROPRIATION (PARLIAMENTARY DEPARTMENTS) BILL
(NO. 2) 1985-1986

Date introduced: 19 March 1986
House: House of Representatives
Presented by: Hon. Chris Hurford, M.P., Minister
Representing the Minister for
Finance

DIGEST OF BILL

Purpose

To appropriate \$1.05 million from the Consolidated Revenue Fund, in addition to the funds appropriated by the Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Act 1985-86, for the recurrent and capital purposes of the Parliamentary Departments.

Background

This Bill, together with the Appropriation Bill (No. 3) 1985-86 and the Appropriation Bill (No. 4) 1985-86, form the Additional Estimates for 1985-86. For further information, refer to the Digest for the Appropriation Bill (No. 3) 1985-86 (No. 86/31).

Outline

The largest share of the additional appropriation will go to the Joint House Department which will receive \$546 000 for recurrent expenditure. This is followed by the Senate which will receive \$349 000, again for recurrent expenditure. The House of Representatives is to receive \$85 000 for capital expenditure while the Parliamentary Library will receive \$70 000 for recurrent expenditure.

Main Provisions

Clause 3 will allow the Minister for Finance to issue \$1.05 million for the purposes specified in the Schedule to the Bill for the year ending on 30 June 1986.

The sum appropriated by this Bill will be deemed to have been appropriated from 1 July 1985 (clause 4).

For further information, if required, contact the Economics and Commerce Group.

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