

The following Bill, which will in due course be presented to the House of Representatives for enactment, is published for general information.

A BILL FOR

AN ORDINANCE TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF THIRTY-SEVEN MILLION, FIVE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINE THOUSAND, FIVE HUNDRED AND SIXTY POUNDS TO THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR ENDING ON THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF MARCH, ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND SIXTY.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria as follows—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Appropriation (1959-60) Ordinance, 1959.

2. The Accountant-General of the Federation may, on the warrant of the Governor-General or the Minister of Finance, pay out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation of Nigeria during the year ending on the 31st day of March, 1960, any sums not exceeding in the whole the sum of Thirty-Seven Million, Five Hundred and Thirty-Nine Thousand, Five Hundred and Sixty Pounds, being the total of the amounts set forth opposite Heads 21 to 61 in the Schedule.

3. The said sum of Thirty-Seven Million, Five Hundred and Thirty-Nine Thousand, Five Hundred and Sixty Pounds shall be appropriated to the purposes and in the manner expressed in the Schedule.

4. The moneys granted by this Ordinance are intended for the services in respect of which moneys will become payable within the year ending on the 31st day of March, 1960, and any balance thereof unissued at the end of month of March of that year shall lapse and not be available for making payments in any subsequent month.

Title.

Commencement.

Enactment.

Short title.

Expenditure of £37,539,560 authorised out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Schedule.

Appropriation of £37,539,560.

Schedule.

Balance unissued to lapse.

SCHEDULE

| | £ |
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| 21. Governor-General | 41,500 |
| 22. Office of the Governor-General and Council of Ministers | 139,350 |
| 23. Military | 3,306,220 |
| 24. Nigerian Navy | 292,300 |
| 25. Police | 3,420,390 |
| 26. The Prime Minister | 334,300 |
| 27. External Affairs | 480,900 |
| 28. Nigerianisation Office | 14,800 |
| 29. Ministry of Communications and Aviation | 5,029,990 |
| 30. Ministry of Education | 2,515,140 |
| 31. Antiquities | 41,000 |
| 32. National Archives | 29,080 |
| 33. Ministry of Finance | 1,992,990 |
| 34. Customs and Excise | 515,830 |
| 35. Board of Inland Revenue | 171,440 |
| 36. Office of Statistics | 117,800 |
| 37. Pensions and Gratuities | 307,650 |
| 38. Public Debt Charges | 24,300 |
| 39. Ministry of Health | 2,255,290 |
| 40. Ministry of Internal Affairs | 88,120 |
| 41. Prisons | 989,670 |
| 42. Ministry of Labour | 407,230 |
| 43. Ministry of Lagos Affairs, Mines and Power | 1,010,430 |
| 44. Ministry of Research and Information | 1,439,450 |
| 45. Agriculture (Research) | 230,450 |
| 46. Fisheries (Research) | 45,790 |
| 47. Forestry (Research) | 82,920 |
| 48. Veterinary (Research) | 192,520 |
| 49. Ministry of Commerce and Industry | 412,520 |
| 50. Marketing and Exports | 473,420 |
| 51. Ministry of Transport | 434,760 |
| 52. Inland Waterways | 551,420 |
| 53. Coastal Agency | 127,630 |
| 54. Ministry of Works and Surveys | 5,447,080 |
| 55. Legislature | 270,750 |
| 56. Judicial | 116,140 |
| 57. Legal | 53,200 |
| 58. Public Service Commission | 39,100 |
| 59. Audit | 66,310 |
| 60. Electoral Commission | 24,380 |
| 61. Contributions to the Development Fund | 4,090,000 |
| Total | <u>£37,539,560</u> |

Objects and Reasons

To provide for the service of the Federation of Nigeria for the year 1959-60.

Lagos, 14th January, 1959.

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