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The following Bill, which will in due course be presented to Parliament for enactment, is published for general information.

## THE APPROPRIATION BILL

### EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill provides for the making of payments from the Consolidated Revenue Fund to defray so much of the estimated non-capital expenditure of the Government of the Federation during the financial year 1963-64 as is not already charged on that or any other public fund.

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F. S. OKOTIE-EBOH, Minister of Finance

# A BILL

#### FOR

AN ACT TO AUTHORISE THE ISSUE OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND OF FIFTY-SEVEN MILLION, NINE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THREE THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY POUNDS FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR ENDING ON THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF MARCH, ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOUR; AND TO APPROPRIATE THAT AMOUNT FOR THE PURPOSES SPECIFIED IN THIS ACT.

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Commencement.

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BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows :---

1.—(1) The Accountant-General may, when authorised so to do by warrants signed by the Minister of Finance, pay out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund during the year ending on the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, the sums specified by the warrants, not exceeding in the aggregate fifty-seven million, nine hundred and sixty-three thousand, one hundred and eighty pounds.

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(2) The amount mentioned in the foregoing subsection shall be appropriated to heads of expenditure as indicated in the Schedule to this Act.

(3) No part of the amount aforesaid shall be issued out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund after the end of the year mentioned in subsection (1) of this section.

Issue and appropriation of  $\pounds$ 57,963,130 from Consolidated Revenue Fund for 1963-64. Section 1

Short title and extent. 2. This Act may be cited as the Appropriation Act, 1963, and shall apply throughout the Federation.

## SCHEDULE

Section 1	SCHE	DULE	6			
Head						Amount
21 State House						£
21 State House		• •	•••	••	••	70,180
22 Cabinet Office		••		••	·	3,161,900
23 Police	·	. •		• •		5,375,550
24 Ministry of Commerce	e and Indu	ustry		• •		808,300
25 Ministry of Communic	cations			• •		6,313,040
26 Ministry of Defence						179,600
27 Royal Nigerian Army		••				4,365,530
28 Royal Nigerian Navy	• •	••				722,270
29 Nigerian Air Force		••	• •			443,000
30 Ministry of Economic	Developm	ient				435,090
31 Agriculture (Research)						287,050
32 Fisheries Service						61,210
33 Forestry (Research)	••		·	••		
34 Statistics	••	• •		••		134,410
35 Veterinary (Research)	6.675	••		••	• •	283,590
36 Ministry of Education		••	••	• •	• •	250,550
37 Antiquities		• •	••	••	• •	1,992,590
37 Antiquities		• •	• •	• •	• •	81,100
38 National Archives				••	••	76,160
39 Ministry of Establishm	ients and	Service	Matte	rs		527,480
40 Pensions and Gratuitie	884 <b>6</b> 47588	••		• •	• •	824,750
41 Ministry of Finance		• •	• •	••	3•0*6	2,204,600
42 Board of Customs and		••	••	••	• •	787,360
43 Inland Revenue	••	••	• •	• •	••	243,240
44 Ministry of Foreign Af	fairs and (	Commo	nwealt	h Relat	ions	2,824,910
45 Ministry of Health			••	••	••	4,489,480
46 Ministry of Information	n	• •	•••			2,656,100
47 Ministry of Internal Af	Fairs	• • `		• • •		219,360
48 Prisons						1,276,480
49 Ministry of Justice		* • • • •			· ·	278,690
50 Ministry of Labour				•••	•••	634,910
51 National Provident Fun	1d			•••		112,990
. 52 Ministry of Lagos Affai	irs					
53 Ministry of Mines and	Power				••	1,271,220
54 Geological Survey	TOWCI		••	• •	••	236,090
55 Ministry of Transport a	and Aviati		••	• •	• • •	129,420
56 Coastal Agency	ind Itylad			••	. • •	1,065,720
57 Inland Watermania	••	••	••		••	127,850
59 Minister of Washing 1	·· ·	• •	• •	• •	• •	745,570
58 Ministry of Works and	Surveys	• •	••	•.•	• •	6,493,340
59 Audit	••	• •	••	••	• •	99,400
60 Electoral Commission	••	• •	••	••	••	25,710
61 Judicial	• •	••	•••	••	• •	188,840
62 Parliament	-•/•	••	••	••	••	673,900
63 Public Service Commiss		•:-	`	••	••	47,450
64 Contributions to the De	evelopmen	t Fund	•	• •	••	4,600,000
65 Non-Statutory Appropr	nations of	Reven	ue	••	••	137,200
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