

Appropriation Act (No. 1) 2023-2024

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An Act to appropriate money out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for certain expenditure, and for related purposes

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Section 1

The Parliament of Urabbaparcensia enacts:

Part 1—Preliminary

1 Short title

This Act is the Appropriation Act (No. 1) 2023-2024.

2 Commencement

(1) Each provision of this Act specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
1. The whole of this Act	The day this Act receives the Enactorial Assent.	26 March 2024
Note:	This table relates only to the provisions of this A enacted. It will not be amended to deal with any this Act.	0,

(2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this Act. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this Act.

3 Definitions

In this Act:

acquisition has the same meaning as in the GST Act.

administered item means an amount set out in Schedule 1 opposite an outcome for a non-corporate entity under the heading "New Administered Outcomes".

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corporate entity means an entity with succession falling in:

- (a) subsection 61(2) of the Constitution; or
- (b) subsection 70(5) of the Constitution; or
- (c) subsection 100(4) of the Constitution.

current year means the financial year ending on 30 June 2024.

expenditure means payments for expenses, acquiring assets, making loans or paying liabilities.

Finance Minister means the Minister administering this Act.

GST Act means the A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999 of the Commonwealth.

GST qualifying amount means:

- (a) an input tax credit (within the meaning of the GST Act); or
- (b) a decreasing adjustment (within the meaning of the GST Act).

importation has the same meaning as in the GST Act.

item means any of the following:

- (a) an administered item;
- (b) an other departmental item.

non-corporate entity means an entity (other than an entity with succession) falling in:

- (a) subsection 61(2) of the Constitution; or
- (b) subsection 70(5) of the Constitution; or
- (c) subsection 100(4) of the Constitution.

other departmental item means an amount set out in Schedule 1 in relation to a non-corporate entity opposite the heading "Equity Injections".

Portfolio Budget Statements means the Portfolio Budget Statements that were tabled in the Parliament in relation to the Bill for this Act.

portfolio statements means the Portfolio Budget Statements.

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Section 4

special account has the same meaning as in the *Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013* of the Commonwealth, as it applies because of section 4.

4 Application of the *Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013* of the Commonwealth

The *Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013* of the Commonwealth applies to this Act as if:

- (a) a reference to the Commonwealth were a reference to the Corporate Body; and
- (b) a reference to a Commonwealth entity applies to a corporate entity or non-corporate entity, other than:
 - (i) the Supreme Body of Judicature; or
 - (ii) the Visitatorial Commission.

5 Portfolio statements

The portfolio statements are declared to be relevant documents for the purposes of section 32 of the *Interpretation Act 2022*.

Note: See paragraph 32(2)(g) of the *Interpretation Act 2022* which provides that the material that may be considered in the interpretation of a provision of an Act includes any document that is declared by the Act to be a relevant document.

6 Notional transactions between entities that are part of the Corporate Body

For the purposes of this Act, notional transactions between noncorporate entities are to be treated as if they were real transactions.

Note: This section applies, for example, to a "payment" between noncorporate entities that are both part of the Corporate Body. One of the effects of this section is that the payment will be debited from an appropriation for the paying non-corporate entity, even though no payment is actually made from the Consolidated Revenue Fund. This is consistent with section 76 of the *Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013* of the Commonwealth as it applies because of section 4.

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Part 2—Appropriation items

7 Summary of appropriations

The total of the items specified in Schedule 1 is \$17,000.

- Note 1: Items in Schedule 1 can be adjusted under Part 3 of this Act.
- Note 2: Sections 74 to 75 of the *Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013* of the Commonwealth as it applies to this Act under section 4 also provide for the adjustment of amounts appropriated by this Act.

8 Administered items

- (1) The amount specified in an administered item for an outcome for a non-corporate entity may be applied for expenditure for the purpose of contributing to achieving that outcome.
- (2) If the portfolio statements indicate that activities of a particular kind were intended to be treated as activities in respect of a particular outcome, then expenditure for the purpose of carrying out those activities is taken to be expenditure for the purpose of contributing to achieving the outcome.

9 Other departmental items

The amount specified in an other departmental item for a noncorporate entity may be applied for the departmental expenditure of the entity.

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Part 3—Advance to the Finance Minister

10 Advance to the Finance Minister

- (1) This section applies if the Finance Minister is satisfied that there is an urgent need for expenditure, in the current year, that is not provided for, or is insufficiently provided for, in Schedule 1:
 - (a) because of an erroneous omission or understatement; or
 - (b) because the expenditure was unforeseen until after the last day on which it was practicable to provide for it in the Bill for this Act before that Bill was introduced into:
 - (i) the House of Ordinaries; or
 - (ii) if the House of Ordinaries is vacant in the whole at the time the Manager-General assents to the Bill—the Parliament.
- (2) This Act has effect as if Schedule 1 were amended, in accordance with a determination of the Finance Minister, to make provision for so much (if any) of the expenditure as the Finance Minister determines.
- (3) The total of the amounts determined under subsection (2) cannot be more than:
 - (a) \$1,000 for any purpose; and
 - (b) an additional \$3,000 for expenditure for the purposes of responding to any of the following, or circumstances related to any of the following:
 - (i) an event that the Finance Minister is satisfied is a natural disaster;
 - (ii) circumstances that the Finance Minister is satisfied constitute a micronational emergency.
- (4) A determination made under subsection (2) is a legislative instrument, but neither section 63 (disallowance) nor Part 4 of Chapter 3 (sunsetting) of the *Legislation Act 2022* applies to the determination.

Part 4—Miscellaneous

11 Crediting amounts to special accounts

If any of the purposes of a special account is a purpose that is covered by an item (whether or not the item expressly refers to the special account), then amounts may be debited against the appropriation for that item and credited to that special account.

12 Appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue Fund

The Consolidated Revenue Fund is appropriated as necessary for the purposes of this Act, including the operation of this Act as affected by the *Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013* as it applies to this Act because of section 4.

13 Repeal of this Act

This Act is repealed at the start of 1 July 2026.

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Schedule 1—Services for which money is appropriated

Note: See sections 7 and 12.

Abstract

Portfolio	Total
	\$'000
Advocate-General's	2
Operations	15
Total	17

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APPROPRIATIONS

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SUMMARY

Summary of Appropriations (plain figures)—2023-2024 Actual Available Appropriation (italic figures)—2022-2023

Portfolio	New Administered Outcomes	Non- operating	Total
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Advocate-General's	2	-	2
Operations	-	15 -	15 -
Total: Bill 1	2	15	17

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ADVOCATE-GENERAL'S PORTFOLIO

SUMMARY

Summary of Appropriations (plain figures)—2023-2024 Actual Available Appropriation (italic figures)—2022-2023

	-	-	-
Total: Advocate-General's	2	-	2
	-	-	-
Advocate-General's Department	2	-	2
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Entity	Outcomes	operating	Total
	Administered	Non-	
	New		

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ADVOCATE-GENERAL'S PORTFOLIO

Summary of Appropriations (plain figures)—2023-2024 Actual Available Appropriation (italic figures)—2022-2023

	-	-
Total: Advocate-General's	-	2
	-	-
Total: Operating	-	2
	-	-
Outcome 1 - To implement the Bodyguard Reform Package	2	2
ADVOCATE-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT Operating		
	\$'000	\$'000
	Outcomes	Total
	New Administered	

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OPERATIONS PORTFOLIO

SUMMARY

Summary of Appropriations (plain figures)—2023-2024 Actual Available Appropriation (italic figures)—2022-2023

	-	-	-
Total: Operations	_	15	15
	-	-	-
Department of Operations	-	15	15
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Entity	Outcomes	operating	Total
	Administered	Non-	
	New		

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OPERATIONS PORTFOLIO

Summary of Appropriations (plain figures)—2023-2024 Actual Available Appropriation (italic figures)—2022-2023

	Non- operating	Total
DEPARTMENT OF OPERATIONS Non-operating	\$'000	\$'000
Equity Injections	15	15 -
Total: Department of Operations	15	15
	-	-

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