

New South Wales

Appropriation (Budget Variations) Act 2014 No 35

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Act No 35, 2014

An Act to appropriate amounts out of the Consolidated Fund for the year 2012–13 for the purpose of giving effect to certain Budget variations required by the exigencies of Government. [Assented to 24 June 2014]

The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:

Part 1 Preliminary

1 Name of Act

This Act is the Appropriation (Budget Variations) Act 2014.

2 Commencement

This Act commences on the date of assent to this Act.

3 Interpretation

In this Act, a reference to the year 2012–13 is a reference to the year from 1 July 2012 to 30 June 2013.

Part 2 Budget variations 2012–13

4 Adjustment of "Advance to the Treasurer", 2012-13

The sum of \$40,397,000 is hereby appropriated out of the Consolidated Fund in adjustment of the vote "Advance to the Treasurer", 2012–13, for supplementary charges made during the year 2012–13 in the amounts specified in Column 1 of Schedule 1 for recurrent services, and capital works and services, specified opposite those amounts in Schedule 1. Accordingly, the amount so voted is reduced by the amount appropriated by this section.

5 Payments made during 2012–13 under section 22 of Public Finance and Audit Act 1983

- (1) The sum of \$2,140,500,000, being the total of the sums specified in Column 2 of Schedule 1, is hereby appropriated out of the Consolidated Fund to provide for the payments for recurrent services, and capital works and services, specified opposite those sums in Schedule 1, made in anticipation of appropriation by Parliament under section 22 (1) of the *Public Finance and Audit Act 1983* required for the exigencies of Government during the year 2012–13.
- (2) Section 22 (2) of the *Public Finance and Audit Act 1983* does not apply to the sums to which this section applies.

Part 3 General

6 Additional appropriations

The sums appropriated by this Act are in addition to any other sums that may have been appropriated, subject to adjustment of the vote "Advance to the Treasurer", 2012–13, under section 4.

7 Operation of Act in relation to budget variations

- (1) This Act:
 - (a) is to be construed as if it formed part of the annual Appropriation Act or Acts for the financial year relevant to the appropriation concerned, and
 - (b) is to have effect as if it had commenced at the start of the financial year relevant to the appropriation, and
 - (c) is an Appropriation Act for the purposes of section 21A of the *Public Finance* and Audit Act 1983.
- (2) The issue and payment before the date of assent to this Act out of the Consolidated Fund of the whole or any part of the sums appropriated by this Act is validated. This subsection applies despite this Act being assented to after the year 2012–13.

8 Validation of expenditure

To the extent (if any) to which it may be necessary to do so, the expenditure of any sum to which this Act applies before the date of assent to this Act:

- (a) is taken to have been validly approved at the time it was approved, or was purported to have been approved, and
- (b) is taken to have been validly made at the time it was made, or purported to have been made,

and is taken thereafter to be, and to have been at all relevant times, validly approved and made.

9 References to agencies

A reference to an agency in Schedule 1 includes a reference to an agency that was a predecessor to the agency concerned and responsible for the recurrent services, or capital works and services, specified in relation to the agency in Schedule 1 in the financial year concerned, and in respect of whom the payment specified in relation to those recurrent services, or capital works and services, was approved or made.

Schedule 1 Payments during 2012–13

(Sections 4 and 5)

	Column 1	Column 2
	Treasurer's Advance	s 22 PF&A Act
	Amount \$,000	Amount \$,000
PREMIER, AND MINISTER FOR WESTERN SYDNEY		
RECURRENT SERVICES		
Department of Premier and Cabinet		
Funding to meet natural disaster costs associated with floods	14,100	
Carry forward of unspent funds from 2011–12 to 2012–13 to enable completion of the Local Government Review	336	
Carry forward of unspent funds from 2011–12 to 2012–13 for continuing initiatives under the Local Infrastructure Renewal Scheme	354	
Funding for the Environment Protection Authority for measures to strengthen regulation of coal seam gas activities	600	
Total Department of Premier and Cabinet	15,390	
New South Wales Electoral Commission		
Outstanding claims from electoral parties and candidates from 2011–12 processed in 2012–13	250	
Funding for a warehouse facility at Riverwood to ensure readiness for election events	650	
Total New South Wales Electoral Commission	900	
TOTAL—RECURRENT SERVICES	16,290	
CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES		
Public Service Commission		
Carry forward of unspent funds from 2011–12 to 2012–13 for leasehold improvements at Bligh House	475	
Total Public Service Commission	475	
TOTAL—CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES	475	
TOTAL—PREMIER, AND MINISTER FOR WESTERN SYDNEY	16,765	

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		Column 1	Column 2
		Treasurer's Advance	s 22 PF&A Act
		Amount \$,000	Amount \$,000
В	ATTORNEY GENERAL, AND MINISTER FOR JUSTICE		
	RECURRENT SERVICES		
	Department of Attorney General and Justice		
	Carry forward of unspent funds from 2011–12 to 2012–13 for the Norimbah Unit, the Statutory and Other Offices Remuneration Tribunal Determination regarding judicial salaries, and the Youth Conduct Orders pilot	1,798	
	Total Department of Attorney General and Justice	1,798	
	Judicial Commission of New South Wales		
	Funding for a Conduct Division Inquiry	300	
	Total Judicial Commission of New South Wales	300	
	TOTAL—RECURRENT SERVICES	2,098	
	CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES		
	Department of Attorney General and Justice		
	Carry forward of unspent funds from 2011–12 to 2012–13 for the Sydney Drug Court Database Project	85	
	Total Department of Attorney General and Justice	85	
	TOTAL—CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES	85	
	TOTAL—ATTORNEY GENERAL, AND MINISTER FOR JUSTICE	2,183	
C	DEPUTY PREMIER, MINISTER FOR TRADE AND INVESTMENT, AND MINISTER FOR REGIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE AND SERVICES		
	RECURRENT SERVICES		
	Department of Trade and Investment, Regional Infrastructure and Services		
	Carry forward of unspent funds from 2011–12 to 2012–13 for various water programs including Achieving Sustainable Groundwater Entitlements, NSW Murray Metering Pilot Project and the Great Artesian Basin Sustainability Initiative	12,889	
	Total Department of Trade and Investment, Regional Infrastructure and Services	12,889	
	TOTAL—RECURRENT SERVICES	12,889	
	TOTAL—DEPUTY PREMIER, MINISTER FOR TRADE AND INVESTMENT, AND MINISTER FOR REGIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE AND SERVICES	12,889	
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		Column 1	Column 2
		Treasurer's Advance	s 22 PF&A Act
		Amount \$,000	Amount \$,000
	MINISTER FOR HEALTH, AND MINISTER FOR MEDICAL RESEARCH		
	RECURRENT SERVICES		
	Ministry of Health		
	Carry forward of unspent funds from 2011–12 to 2012–13 for the Keep Them Safe program and various Commonwealth National Partnerships	1,070	
	Total Ministry of Health	1,070	
	TOTAL—RECURRENT SERVICES	1,070	
	TOTAL—MINISTER FOR HEALTH, AND MINISTER FOR MEDICAL RESEARCH	1,070	
	MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT		
	CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES		
	Transport for NSW		
	Carry forward of unspent funds from 2011–12 to 2012–13 for Light Rail Extension	2,270	
	Total Transport for NSW	2,270	
	TOTAL—CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES	2,270	
	TOTAL—MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT	2,270	
,	MINISTER FOR FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES, AND MINISTER FOR WOMEN		
	RECURRENT SERVICES		
	Department of Family and Community Services		
	Carry forward of unspent funds from 2011–12 to 2012–13 associated with the National Partnership Agreement on Remote Indigenous Housing	4,210	
	Carry forward of unspent funds from 2011–12 to 2012–13 associated with the National Partnership Agreement on Homelessness program	700	
	Total Department of Family and Community Services	4,910	
	TOTAL—RECURRENT SERVICES	4,910	

		Column 1 Treasurer's Advance	Column 2 s 22 PF&A Act
		Amount \$,000	Amount \$,000
	CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES		
	Department of Family and Community Services		
	Carry forward of unspent funds from 2011–12 to 2012–13 associated with the Department's capital program	310	
	Total Department of Family and Community Services	310	
	TOTAL—CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES	310	
	TOTAL—MINISTER FOR FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES, AND MINISTER FOR WOMEN	5,220	
G	TREASURER		
	RECURRENT SERVICES		
	Crown Finance Entity		
	Natural disaster expenditure following significant State-wide bush fire activity, storms and floods on the North Coast		140,500
	Total Crown Finance Entity		140,500
	TOTAL—RECURRENT SERVICES		140,500
	CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES		
	Crown Finance Entity		
	Repayment of debt		2,000,000
	Total Crown Finance Entity		2,000,000
	TOTAL—CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES		2,000,000
	TOTAL—TREASURER		2,140,500
	TREASURER'S ADVANCE FOR RECURRENT SERVICES	37,257	
	TREASURER'S ADVANCE FOR CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES	3,140	
	TOTAL—TREASURER'S ADVANCE	40,397	
	SECTION 22 FOR RECURRENT SERVICES		140,500
	SECTION 22 FOR CAPITAL WORKS AND SERVICES		2,000,000
	TOTAL—SECTION 22		2,140,500

[Second reading speech made in—

Legislative Assembly on 17 June 2014

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