

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, 1965-66 as is not already charged on that or any other public fund.

F. S. OKOTIE-EBOH,
Minister of Finance

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AUTHORISE THE ISSUE OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND OF SEVENTY-EIGHT MILLION, TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-ONE THOUSAND, FIVE HUNDRED AND TEN POUNDS FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR ENDING ON THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF MARCH, ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIX : AND TO APPROPRIATE THAT AMOUNT FOR THE PURPOSES SPECIFIED IN THIS ACT.

[] Commence-
ment.

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 :—

5 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-six, the sums specified by the warrants, not exceeding in the aggregate Seventy-eight million, two hundred and twenty-one thousand, five hundred and ten pounds.

Issue and
appropriation
of
£78,221,510
from Con-
solidated
Revenue
Fund for
1965-66.

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

15 (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.

Short Title
and extent.

2. This Act may be cited as the Appropriation Act, 1965, and shall apply throughout the Federation.

Section 1

SCHEDULE

<i>Head</i>	<i>Amount</i>
	£
21. State House	66,020
22. Cabinet Office	5,454,950
23. Police	7,683,260
24. Ministry of Aviation	739,090
25. Ministry of Commerce and Industry	930,790
26. Ministry of Communications	6,904,810
27. Ministry of Defence	502,620
28. Nigerian Army	5,933,140
29. Nigerian Navy	858,640
30. Nigerian Air Force	1,049,250
31. Ministry of Economic Development	667,100
32. Agriculture (Research)	281,850
33. Fisheries Service	65,860
34. Forestry (Research)	158,430
35. Veterinary (Research)	252,450
36. Statistics	415,910
37. Ministry of Education	2,798,700
38. Antiquities	83,870
39. National Archives	72,520
40. Ministry of Establishments and Service Matters	508,930
41. Pensions and Gratuities	738,750
42. Ministry of Finance	1,757,720
43. Board of Customs and Excise	1,097,740
44. Inland Revenue	247,540
45. Ministry of External Affairs	3,516,230
46. Ministry of Health	6,261,800
47. Ministry of Information	2,821,690
48. Ministry of Internal Affairs	369,470
49. Prisons	1,471,730
50. Ministry of Justice	317,550
51. Ministry of Labour	861,070
52. National Provident Fund	160,140
53. Ministry of Lagos Affairs	1,498,160
54. Ministry of Mines and Power	396,100
55. Geological Survey	144,040
56. Ministry of Transport	1,171,830
57. Coastal Agency	141,310
58. Ministry of Works and Surveys	7,168,770
59. Audit	109,420
60. Federal Electoral Commission	32,080
61. Judicial	233,730
62. Parliament	742,900
63. Federal Public Service Commission	64,050
64. Contributions to the Development Fund	10,030,000
65. Non-Statutory Appropriations of Revenue	1,439,500
TOTAL	<u>£78,221,510</u>