HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Supplementary Order Paper

Thursday, the 10th Day of August 1972

PUBLIC REVENUES AMENDMENT BILL

Proposed Amendments

Hon. Mr MULDOON, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

Clause 2: To add as subclause (2), the following subclause:

(2) Subsection (1A) of section 50 of the principal Act (as inserted by subsection (1) of this section) shall apply with respect to the items of expenditure for the financial year ending with the 31st day of March 1973 that are specified in the Schedule to this Act as if they had been shown in the estimates for that financial year as separate items that are subject to the provisions of the said subsection (1A).

New Schedule: To add the following Schedule:

Section 2 (2)

SCHEDULE

ITEMS OF EXPENDITURE FOR FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH 1973
THAT ARE SUBJECT TO SECTION 50 (1A) OF THE PRINCIPAL ACT

Vote	Item	Page Number of Estimates for Year Ending 31 March 1973	Amounts the Unexpended Balances of Which May be Transferred to Trust Account at 31 March 1973
			($000)
Agriculture	Reserve for special assistance to farmers	24	10,000
	Control and eradication of animal diseases	24	3,620
Foreign Affairs	Bilateral aid—Asia and the Pacific	75	7,000
	South-east Asia Treaty Organisation Aid Fund	75	20
	South Pacific assistance	75	130
	Special Commonwealth assistance to Africa Plan	75	120
Forest Service	Sundry expenses (part of item for $205,000)	85	60[1]
Lands and Survey	Land for reserves (including coastal and lakeshore areas)	161	1,000
Works	Buildings (part of item for $22,700,000) Land and buildings (part of item for $13,550,000)	292	5,000[2]

[1] For dothistroma blight control.
[2] For the purchase or construction of housing for overseas staff.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The effect of these amendments is that the unexpended balances in the items in the present year's estimates specified in the Schedule may be transferred to the Trust Account and held until they are required, and may be expended without further appropriation for the purposes specified.