

**Reprint  
as at 18 August 2016**



## **Appropriation (2014/15 Confirmation and Validation) Act 2016**

Public Act    2016 No 18  
Date of assent    9 May 2016  
Commencement    see section 2

Appropriation (2014/15 Confirmation and Validation) Act 2016: repealed, on 18 August 2016, by section 10 of the Appropriation (2016/17 Estimates) Act 2016 (2016 No 37).

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**Note**

Changes authorised by subpart 2 of Part 2 of the Legislation Act 2012 have been made in this official reprint.  
Note 4 at the end of this reprint provides a list of the amendments incorporated.

**This Act is administered by the Treasury.**

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**The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:**

**1 Title**

This Act is the Appropriation (2014/15 Confirmation and Validation) Act 2016.

**2 Commencement**

This Act comes into force on the day after the date on which it receives the Royal assent.

**3 Purpose**

The purpose of this Act is to confirm and validate matters relating to the 2014/15 financial year.

**4 Interpretation**

- (1) In this Act, **2014/15 financial year** means the financial year ending with 30 June 2015.
- (2) Terms or expressions used and not defined in this Act but defined in the Public Finance Act 1989 have, in this Act, the same meanings as in the Public Finance Act 1989.

**5 Confirmation of Order in Council directing transfer of amounts between output expense appropriations**

The Public Finance (Transfers Between Outputs) Order 2015 is confirmed.

**6 Confirmation of expenses incurred in excess of existing appropriations and approved by Minister of Finance**

- (1) The incurring of expenses approved by the Minister of Finance under section 26B of the Public Finance Act 1989 for the 2014/15 financial year and described in subsections (2) and (3) is confirmed.

- (2) The expenses are the expenses incurred in excess, but within the scope, of the existing appropriations set out in column 3 of Schedule 1.
- (3) The amounts of the approved expenses are shown in column 4 of Schedule 1 alongside the existing appropriation for which the approval was given.

#### **7 Validation of unappropriated expenses and capital expenditure incurred**

- (1) The incurring of expenses or capital expenditure by a department in the circumstances set out in subsection (2) is validated for the purposes of section 26C of the Public Finance Act 1989.
- (2) The circumstances are that,—
  - (a) for the 2014/15 financial year, the department incurred—
    - (i) expenses in excess, but within the scope, of the existing appropriations set out in column 3 of Schedule 2 alongside that department; or
    - (ii) expenses or capital expenditure, not within the scope of any existing appropriation, against the categories of expenses or capital expenditure set out in column 3 of Schedule 3 alongside that department; or
    - (iii) expenses or capital expenditure in advance of the appropriations set out in column 3 of Schedule 4 alongside that department; and
  - (b) the expenses or capital expenditure referred to in paragraph (a) were not incurred under the authority of an Imprest Supply Act.
- (3) In this section,—

**capital expenditure** means the amount of capital expenditure set out in column 4 of, as appropriate, Schedule 3 or 4 alongside the relevant department

**department** means a department specified in column 1 of, as appropriate, Schedule 2, 3, or 4

**expenses** means the amount of expenses set out in column 4 of, as appropriate, Schedule 2, 3, or 4 alongside the relevant department.

**Schedule 1**  
**Confirmation of expenses incurred in excess of existing**  
**appropriations during 2014/15 financial year with approval of**  
**Minister of Finance**

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Column 1 Administering department	Column 2 Vote	Column 3 Appropriation	Column 4 Amount \$(000)
<b>Education, Ministry of</b>	Education	<b>Non-Departmental Other Expenses</b>	
		Early Childhood Education	16,029
<b>Police, New Zealand</b>	Police	<b>Departmental Output Expenses</b>	
		General Crime Prevention Services	647
		Investigations	2,044
		Police Primary Response Management	2,272
<b>Transport, Ministry of</b>	Transport	<b>Non-Departmental Other Expenses</b>	
		SuperGold Card - public transport concessions for cardholders	16

**Schedule 2**  
**Validation of expenses incurred in excess, but within scope, of**  
**existing appropriations and without authority of Imprest Supply Act**  
**during 2014/15 financial year**

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Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Administering department	Vote	Appropriation	Amount \$(000)
<b>Business, Innovation, and Employment, Ministry of</b>	Commerce and Consumer Affairs	<b>Non-Departmental Output Expenses</b> Enforcement of Dairy Sector Regulation and Auditing of Milk Price Setting	82
<b>Culture and Heritage, Ministry for</b>	Arts, Culture and Heritage	<b>Non-Departmental Output Expenses</b> Protection of Taonga Tūturu	50
<b>Justice, Ministry of</b>	Justice	<b>Non-Departmental Output Expenses</b> Legal Aid	4,805
<b>Parliamentary Service</b>	Parliamentary Service	<b>Non-Departmental Other Expenses</b> Travel of former MPs	118
<b>Prime Minister and Cabinet, Department of the</b>	Canterbury Earthquake Recovery	<b>Non-Departmental Other Expenses</b> Impairment of Improvements	24,390

**Schedule 3**  
**Validation of expenses and capital expenditure incurred not within  
scope of existing appropriations and without authority of Imprest  
Supply Act during 2014/15 financial year**

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Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Administering department	Vote	Category of expenses or capital expenditure	Amount \$ (000)
<b>Business, Innovation, and Employment, Ministry of</b>	Commerce and Consumer Affairs	<b>Non-Departmental Other Expenses</b> Impairment of Debts Owed to the Crown	18
	Housing	<b>Departmental Output Expenses</b> Policy Advice and Related Outputs	52
	Labour	<b>Non-Departmental Other Expenses</b> Impairment of Debts Owed to the Crown	18
	Tourism	<b>Non-Departmental Other Expenses</b> Impairment of Debts Owed to the Crown	41
<b>Crown Law Office</b>	Attorney-General	<b>Departmental Output Expenses</b> Conduct of Criminal Appeals from Crown Prosecutions	61
<b>Prime Minister and Cabinet, Department of the</b>	Canterbury Earthquake Recovery	<b>Non-Departmental Other Expenses</b> Crown Asset Depreciation	453
		Cost of Vesting Land to the Christchurch City Council	4,119
<b>Transport, Ministry of</b>	Transport	<b>Non-Departmental Capital Expenditure</b> Rail - KiwiRail Holdings Limited Loans	10,750

**Schedule 4**  
**Validation of expenses and capital expenditure incurred in advance**  
**of appropriation and without authority of Imprest Supply Act**  
**during 2014/15 financial year**

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Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Administering department	Vote	Appropriation	Amount \$(000)
<b>Prime Minister and Cabinet, Department of the</b>	Canterbury Earthquake Recovery	<b>Non-Departmental Capital Expenditure</b>	
		Christchurch Bus Interchange	3,505
		<b>Multi-Category</b>	
		Procurement and Preparation of Land and Other Assets for the Development of Anchor Projects	
		<i>Non-Departmental Other Expenses</i>	
		Procurement of Land and Assets - Operating	4,582
<b>Social Development, Ministry of</b>	Social Development	<b>Non-Departmental Output Expenses</b>	
		Short-term Housing in Canterbury	131
<b>Transport, Ministry of</b>	Transport	<b>Non-Departmental Capital Expenditure</b>	
		Rail - KiwiRail Equity Injection	1,535

## Reprints notes

### **1** *General*

This is a reprint of the Appropriation (2014/15 Confirmation and Validation) Act 2016 that incorporates all the amendments to that Act as at the date of the last amendment to it.

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### **4** *Amendments incorporated in this reprint*

Appropriation (2016/17 Estimates) Act 2016 (2016 No 37): section 10