

## **REPUBLIC OF NAURU**

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A Bill for:

An Act to provide for the withdrawal and expenditure of funds from the Treasury Fund to meet the expenditure of the Republic for the financial year ending on 30 June 2013

Certified on....

Enacted by the Parliament of Nauru as follows:

#### 1 Short title

This Act may be cited as the *Appropriation Act 2012-2013*.

### 2 Commencement and expiry

- (1) This Act is deemed to have commenced on 1 July 2012.
- (2) This Act ceases to have effect on 30 June 2013.

## 3 Definitions

In this Act:

'natural account' means a sub-division of expenditure listed in the estimates of expenditure for the financial year ending on 30 June 2013.

#### 4 Withdrawal of funds from the Treasury Fund

- (1) An amount not exceeding \$57,101,604 may be withdrawn from the Treasury Fund and expended as authorised in the Schedule.
- (2) The amounts in the Schedule are in substitution for and not in addition to the amounts authorised for withdrawal under the *Supply Act 2012*.

#### 5 Credit of reimbursed funds to the Treasury Fund

- (1) Reimbursed funds may be credited to the natural account against which they were originally expended.
- (2) For section 4, the crediting of reimbursed funds to a natural account under subsection (1) cancels the original withdrawal and expenditure of those funds.
- (3) Reimbursed funds credited to a natural account under subsection (1) may be withdrawn and expended as authorised in the Schedule.
- (4) Reimbursed funds that are not credited to the natural account against which they were originally expended must be recorded as a receipt of revenue.
- (5) In this section, 'reimbursed funds' means any funds withdrawn from the Treasury Fund and expended as authorised in the Schedule that are later wholly or partly reimbursed to the Treasury Fund during the financial year ending 30 June 2013.

#### 6 Authorisation to withdraw funds for reimbursement

- (1) Where:
  - (a) a person has paid to the Republic a fee or charge; and
  - (b) there is a legitimate reason for the person to be reimbursed in whole or in part for the fee or charge,

the amount to be reimbursed may be withdrawn from the Treasury Fund.

- (2) For subsection (1), 'legitimate reason' includes:
  - (a) the fee or charge having been imposed or paid in error;

- (b) the person having withdrawn the application in respect of which the fee or charge had been paid; and
- (c) subject to any applicable law, the Republic having been unable to provide to the person within a reasonable time the good, service, licence or other thing in respect of which the fee or charge had been paid.

## Schedule

#### Section 4

Head	Government Function	2012-13 Estimates
1	Presidency and State House	\$657,583
2	Ministerial	\$588,519
3	Chief Secretariat	\$5,113,591
4	Post and Philately	\$118,279
5	Audit	\$151,465
6	Parliament	\$1,029,836
7	GON Warehouse	\$2,013,612
11	Finance Secretariat	\$409,142
12	Finance - Public Debt	\$7,995,942
13	Bureau of Statistics	\$69,033
15	Nauru Revenue Office	\$185,275
16	Finance - Other Payments	\$17,410,847
21	CIE	\$448,966
31	Fisheries	\$1,121,800
41	Police	\$962,340
43	Justice - Secretariat	\$438,403
44	Judiciary	\$279,830
45	Border Control	\$192,004
46	Correctional Services	\$425,395
51	Education	\$3,989,269
52	Youth Affairs	\$120,973
61	Health	\$4,043,800
62	Sports	\$709,109
71	Foreign Affairs - Secretariat	\$412,949
72	Foreign Affairs - Brisbane	\$619,215

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73	Foreign Affairs - Suva	\$206,399
74	Foreign Affairs - New York	\$756,912
75	Foreign Affairs - Taiwan	\$203,757
81	Home Affairs	\$86,405
82	Women's Affairs	\$66,265
83	Media Bureau	\$329,371
84	Lands & Survey	\$1,618,632
85	Lands Committee	\$153,868
91	Transport Secretariat	\$68,829
92	Land Transport	\$1,188,439
93	Maritime Transport	\$924,235
94	DCA	\$871,433
95	ICT	\$782,657
96	Fire & Rescue	\$337,225
	Total	\$57,101,604