Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Bill (No. 2) 1991-92

Date Introduced: 26 February 1992
House: House of Representatives
Portfolio: Finance

Purpose
To authorise the Minister for Finance to issue $5,247,000, in addition to the funds appropriated by the Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Act 1991-92, for the operation of the parliamentary Departments during 1991-92.

Background
Refer to the Digest for the Appropriation Bill (No. 3) 1991-92.

The largest amount, $4,679 million, is sought by the Department of the Parliamentary Reporting Staff. The Department of the Senate seeks $398,000, the Parliamentary Library $144,000, and the House of Representatives $26,000. All the additional funds are sought in respect of operating expenses.

Main Provisions
Clause 3 will authorise the Minister for Finance to issue an additional $5,247,000 from the CRF for the 1991-92, while clause 4 will deem this amount to have been appropriated from 1 July 1991 for the purposes listed in the Schedule to the Bill. The Schedule lists the Departments to which the funds are allocated.

For further information, if required, contact the Economics and Commerce Group on 06 2772460.

This Digest does not have any official legal status. Other sources should be consulted to determine the subsequent official status of the Bill.

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