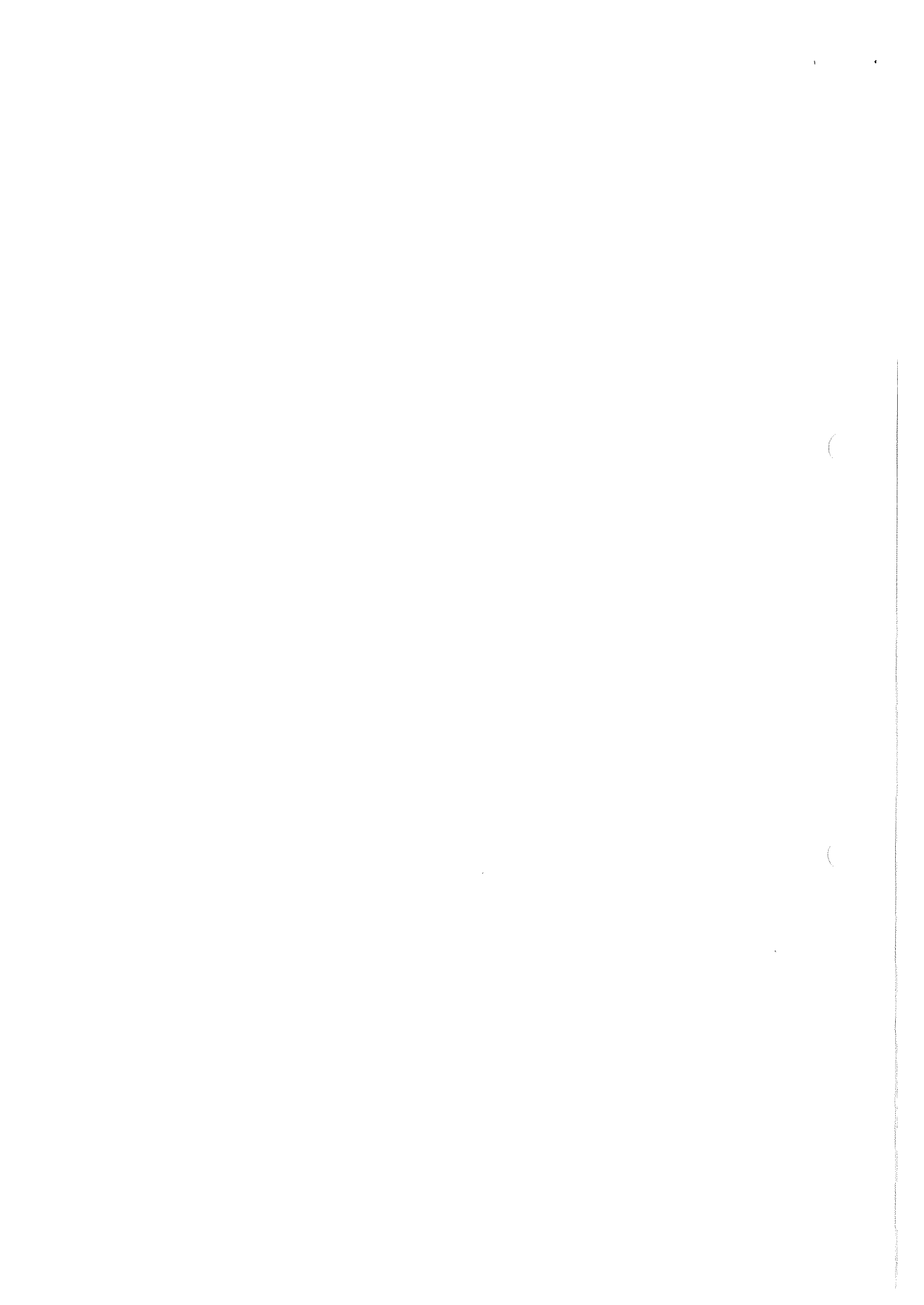




**THE 2006 APPROPRIATION
BILL 2005**





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AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE NINE HUNDRED AND FORTY EIGHT MILLION, SIX HUNDRED AND THIRTY THREE THOUSAND, NINE HUNDRED AND NINETY EIGHT DOLLARS, TO THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER 2006.

ENACTED by the National Parliament of Solomon Islands.

Short title	✓ 1. This Act may be cited as the 2006 Appropriation Act 2005.
Authorisation of issue from the Consolidated Fund \$948,633,998 to the service of 2006	✓ 2. The issue from the Consolidated Fund is hereby authorised of a sum of nine hundred and forty eight million, six hundred and thirty three thousand, nine hundred and ninety eight dollars, to be applied to the service of the year ending 31st December 2006.
Appropriation	✓ 3. The sum specified in the preceding section shall be appropriated for the supply of the heads specified, and in the amounts respectively specified in relation thereto, in the First Schedule.
Overdrafts and Advances	✓ 4. The Government may, at any time or times not later than the 31st December 2006, borrow by way of overdraft and advances within or outside Solomon Islands, any sum not exceeding in the whole one hundred million dollars on such terms and conditions as the Minister of Finance may deem expedient.
Development and Rehabilitation Loans	<p>✓ 5. (1) The Government may, in addition to its borrowings under the provisions of section 4, borrow or enter into agreements to borrow on such terms and conditions as it may determine amounts up to such sums of money for such purposes and from such sources as are respectively specified in the first, second and third columns of the Second Schedule.</p> <p>(2) No amounts may be borrowed under subsection (1) except in accordance with an agreement under that subsection entered into on or before 31st December 2006.</p> <p>(3) The Government shall not, without first obtaining the further authority of Parliament to borrow for the purposes ascribed thereto, borrow any sum or sums in excess of the figure shown in the first column of the Second Schedule.</p> <p>(4) The Minister shall report to Parliament at the meeting next following such borrowing or agreement of any borrowing or the making of any agreement to borrow under subsection (1).</p>
Advance Warrant	∫ 6. The total sums authorised by advance warrants issued by the Minister in exercise of his powers under section 13 of the Public Finance and Audit Act (Cap 120) for the financial year 2006 shall not at any one time exceed ten million dollars.
Contingencies Warrant	<p>✓ 7. The total sums authorised by contingencies warrants issued by the Minister in exercise of his powers under section 15 of the Public Finance and Audit Act (Cap 120) for the financial year 2006 shall not exceed the following amounts:</p> <p>(a) in respect of Heads of Recurrent Expenditure, twenty million dollars;</p> <p>(b) in respect of Heads of Development Expenditure, twenty million dollars</p>

FIRST SCHEDULE
(Section 3)

**RECURRENT
EXPENDITURE**

**EXPENDITURE
AUTHORISED**

HEAD

✓270	Ministry of Agriculture and Lands	27,427,786	
✓271	Auditor General	3,677,156	
✓272	Ministry of Education and Human Resources Development	235,520,288	6
✓273	Ministry of Finance , National Reform and Planning	43,625,086	
✓274	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Commerce and Tourism	30,229,520	5
✓275	Governor General	1,995,592	
✓276	Ministry of Health and Medical Services	97,229,810	
✓277	Ministry of Infrastructure Development	31,502,748	
✓279	National Parliament	14,413,848	
✓280	Ministry of Natural Resources	18,117,254	
✓281	Office of the Prime Minister and Cabinet	27,421,588	
✓282	Pensions and Gratuities	259,045	
✓283	Ministry of Police, National Security and Justice	75,096,714	
✓284	Ministry of Provincial Government, National Reconciliation and Peace and Home Affairs	59,700,154	666,216,592

**DEVELOPMENT
EXPENDITURE**

**EXPENDITURE
AUTHORISED**

HEAD

✓470	Ministry of Agriculture and Lands	14,000,000	
✓472	Ministry of Education and Human Resources	101,268,569	
✓473	Ministry of Finance, National Reform and Planning	32,444,829	
✓474	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Commerce and Tourism	10,359,000	
✓476	Ministry of Health and Medical Services	21,557,100	
✓477	Ministry of Infrastructure Development	56,199,167	
✓480	Ministry of Natural Resources	8,645,584	
✓483	Ministry of Police and Justice	9,000,000	
✓484	Ministry of Provincial Government, National Reconciliation and Peace and Home Affairs	28,943,157	282,417,406

TOTAL RECURRENT AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURE

\$948,633,998

Note:

This Appropriation Bill does not include \$118,384,764 appropriated through Statutory Expenditure, including the \$14,840,911 to be expended on the Domestic Restructured Bond Debt. These Statutory Appropriations are included in the Recurrent Estimates Document and are appropriated by existing legislation.

SECOND SCHEDULE
(Section 5)

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Maximum Borrowing	Use of Funds	Source of Funds
00,000,000	To include: (a) Rehabilitation and recovery program costs including regularising outstanding financial obligations carried forward into 2006. (b) Development projects in natural resources, economic infrastructure and human resources.	Multilateral, bilateral and other financial institutions.

THE 2006 APPROPRIATION BILL 2005

Objects and Reasons

The object of this Bill is to authorise expenditure of \$948,633,998 for the services of the Government in respect of the year 2006. There will be no net domestic borrowing in 2006. The Bill seeks to authorise the Government to borrow from external sources up to the specified amounts to be applied for development and rehabilitation purposes. Provisions relating to the issue by the Ministry of Finance, National Reform and Planning of Advance Warrant and Contingencies Warrant during 2006 are also included.



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