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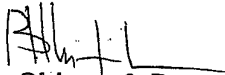
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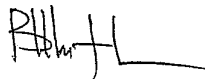
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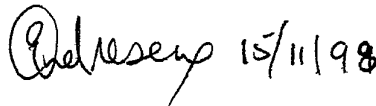
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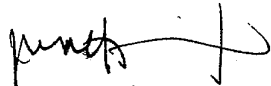
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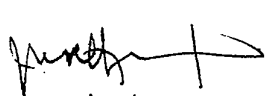
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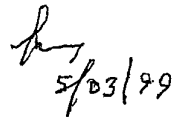
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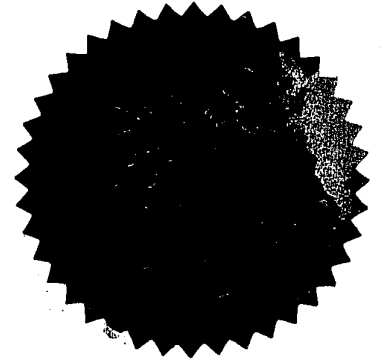
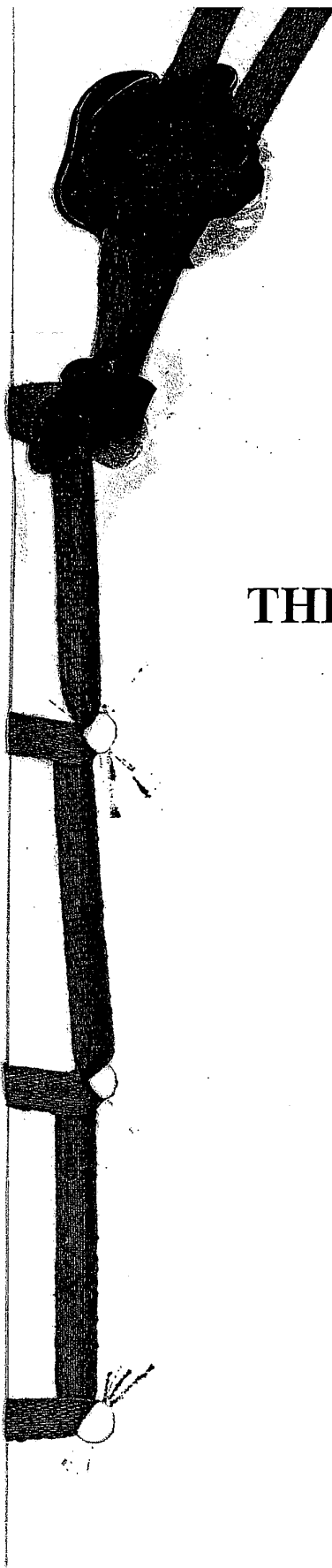
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**THE 1999 APPROPRIATION
ACT 1998**

(NO. 12 OF 1998)



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(NO. 12 OF 1998)

passed by the National Parliament this ninth day of December 1998.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill passed by Parliament and found by me to be a true and correct copy of the said Bill.

*Elizabeth Andresen
Acting Clerk to National Parliament*

*Assented to in Her Majesty's name and on Her Majesty's behalf this
th day of March 1999.*

*Moses Puibangara Pitakaka
Governor-General*

date of commencement: date of publication in the Gazette

N ACT To appropriate four hundred and thirty-eight million, nine hundred thirty-one thousand four hundred and nineteen dollars for the

- Short title
1. This Act may be cited as the 1999 Appropriation Act 1998.
- Authorisation of issue from the Consolidated Fund of \$438,931,419 to the service of 1999.
2. The issue from the Consolidated Fund is hereby authorised of a sum of four hundred and thirty-eight million, nine hundred and thirty-one thousand four hundred and nineteen dollars to be applied to the service of the year ending 31st December 1999.
- 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 1999, 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.
- Structural Reform Programme and Development Loans
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.
- (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 1999.
- (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.
- (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).
- 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 1978 for the financial year 1999 shall not at any one time exceed ten million dollars.
- Contingencies Warrant
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 1978 for the financial year 1999 shall not exceed the following amounts:

(a) in respect of Heads of Recurrent Expenditure, two million dollars;

(b) in respect of Heads of Development Expenditure, two million dollars.

FIRST SCHEDULE

(Section 3)

**RECURRENT
EXPENDITURE****EXPENDITURE
AUTHORISED****HEAD**

201	Governor-General	528,803
202	Auditor General	408,089
204	Office of the Prime Minister	16,253,931
205	National Parliament	6,425,734
208	Ministry of Justice, Legal Affairs, & Police Security	36,806,078
209	Ministry of Commerce, Industries, Employment, & Tourism	5,245,126
211	Ministry of Transport, Works, Communications, & Aviation	21,687,471
214	Ministry of Natural Resources	4,807,006
216	Ministry of Home Affairs, Provincial Government, & Rural Development	33,744,366
218	Ministry of Education & Human Resources Development	55,149,455
219	Ministry of Health & Medical Services	56,745,768
220	Ministry of Finance & Development Planning	7,729,252
220	Pensions and Gratuities	191,000
220	Miscellaneous	15,518,000
221	Policy and Structural Reform Programme	37,815,000
235	Ministry of Lands, Agriculture, & Fisheries	24,078,340

323,133,419**DEVELOPMENT
EXPENDITURE****EXPENDITURE
AUTHORISED****HEAD**

401	Development of Natural Resources	12,295,000
402	Development of Commerce, Industry & Finance	3,120,000
403	Physical Infrastructure & Utilities	40,499,000
404	Human Resources & Community Development	21,045,000
405	Government & Security	38,839,000

115,798,000**TOTAL RECURRENT AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURE****438,931,419**

SECOND SCHEDULE
(Section 5)

1	Column 2	Column 3
n ig	Use of Funds	Source of Funds
	To include;	Multilateral and bilateral financial institutions.
	(a) structural reform programme costs including regularising outstanding financial obligations carried forward into 1999.	
	(b) Development projects in natural resources, economic infrastructure and human resources.	
	Structural reform pro- gramme costs includ- ing regularising out- standing financial obligations carried forward into 1999.	Treasury Bills and Development Bonds from domestic finan- cial institutions, National Provident Fund and others.

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