

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 4th day of May, 1966.

H. J. L. BOSTON,
Governor-General.

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1966

Sierra Leone

**The 1965/66 Supplementary Appropriation (No. 2)
and Change of Financial Year Act, 1966**

Short title.

Being an Act to provide for the extension of the period for which provision for the Service of Sierra Leone was made by the 1965-66 Appropriation Act, 1965, and the 1965-66 Supplementary Appropriation Act, 1966, and to make Supplementary provision for the Service of Sierra Leone for the extended period and to make certain other legislative amendments consequential on the establishment of a new Financial Year running from 1st July to 30th June

Act No. 8 of 1965.

Act No. 2 of 1966.

[31st March, 1966.] Date of Commencement.

WHEREAS it has been the practice to make provision for the Service of Sierra Leone for annual periods ending on the 31st day of March in each year:

Act No. 8 of 1965.
Act No. 2 of 1966.

AND WHEREAS in pursuance of such practice provision has been made by the 1965-66 Appropriation Act, 1965 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act) and by the 1965-66 Supplementary Appropriation Act, 1966 (hereinafter referred to as the Supplementary Act) for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March, 1966:

AND WHEREAS it is intended that, in future, provision for the Service of Sierra Leone should be made for annual periods ending on the 30th day of June each year:

AND WHEREAS in pursuance of this intention it is expedient to extend the period for which provision is made by the principal Act and the Supplementary Act to the 30th day of June, 1966, and to make further supplementary provision for such extended period:

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the House of Representatives in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows:—

Commence-
ment.

1. This Act shall come into operation on the 31st day of March, 1966.

Extension of
financial
period.

2. Notwithstanding any limitations therein contained the provisions of the principal Act and of the Supplementary Act shall be construed as if the sums appropriated thereby for the service of the year ending on the 31st March, 1966, had been appropriated for the service of the period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1965, and ending on the 30th day of June, 1966, (hereinafter referred to as the 1965-66 financial period) and any balances of the sums appropriated under those Acts remaining unissued at the end of March nineteen hundred and sixty-six shall not lapse on that date but shall continue to be available for making payments until the 30th day of June in that year.

Le7,593,621
granted for
1965-66.

3. In addition to the provision for the service of Sierra Leone authorised by the principal Act and by the Supplementary Act a further sum of seven million, five hundred and ninety-three thousand, six hundred and twenty-one leones shall be and is hereby granted to Her Majesty the Queen, Her Heirs and Successors for and during the 1965-66 financial period and the same shall be applied and expended in the manner herein described and for the several services set forth in the First and Second Schedules.

Le7,593,621
charged on
the revenue
for 1965-66
financial
period.

4. The said sum of seven million, five hundred and ninety-three thousand, six hundred and twenty-one leones shall be and is hereby declared to be charged upon and made payable from and out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the 1965-66 financial period and the payment thereof shall be taken to begin and commence on and immediately after the first day of April, nineteen hundred and sixty-six.

Accountant-
General's
authority
for pay-
ment.

5. The Accountant-General is hereby authorised and required from time to time, upon the Warrant or Order of the Minister of Finance, to pay out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the several services specified in the First and Second Schedules, the sum

of seven million, five hundred and ninety-three thousand, six hundred and twenty-one leones which will come in course of payment during the remainder of the 1965-66 financial period.

6. The amount from time to time paid for and in respect of the expenditure authorised in section 3 shall not exceed in the gross the sum of seven million, five hundred and ninety-three thousand, six hundred and twenty-one leones and any balances remaining unissued at the end of the 1965-66 financial period shall lapse and shall not be available for making payments thereafter.

7. Section 13 of the Finance (Control and Management) Act, 1961 is hereby amended by the substitution in the penultimate line of subsection (1) thereof of the word "July" for the word "April"

Excess of Expenditure.
of section 13 of Act No. 2 of 1961.

8. Subsection (1) of section 3 of the Interpretation Act, 1965, is hereby amended by the substitution for the definition of "financial year" therein contained of the following new definition—

Amendment of section 3 of Act No. 7 of 1965.

" "financial year" means any period of twelve months ending on the 30th June and in the case of the financial year ending on the 30th of June, 1966 shall be construed to refer to the period of fifteen months ending on that date;"

THE FIRST SCHEDULE

<i>No. of Item</i>	<i>Head of Expenditure</i>	<i>Sum Voted</i> <i>Le</i>
A 1	Governor-General	6,468*
2	Public Service Commission	5,772*
3	Audit	19,171*
B 1	Prime Minister's Office	41,558
2	Cabinet Secretariat	4,798
3	Establishment Secretary's Office	87,477
4	Judicial Department	26,091*
5	Law Officers' Department	20,354
6	Police	357,971
7	Legislature	57,074
8	Administrator and Registrar-General's Department	6,471
C 1	Ministry of the Interior	126,225
2	Local Government Grants	220,390
D 1	Ministry of External Affairs	129,509
2	Ministry of Defence	5,478
3	Military	281,626
E 1	Ministry of Finance	57,453
2	Customs and Excise	40,999
3	Income Tax	15,000
4	Pensions, Retiring Allowances and Gratuities	47,900*
5	Public Debt Charges	—*

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	7	Miscellaneous Service	165,790
	8	Central Statistics Office	8,143
F	1	Ministry of Transport & Communications	7,441
	2	Civil Aviation	...	...	...	61,074
	3	Meteorology	...	...	...	1,180
	4	Road Transport Department	...	...	...	107,942
	5	Posts and Telecommunications	...	...	...	92,465
	6	Railway	...	...	...	1,674,865
G	1	Ministry of Education	...	...	...	1,171,027
	2	Education Subsidies	...	...	...	307,500
H	1	Ministry of Social Welfare	...	...	...	58,392
	2	Prisons	...	...	...	179,028
J	1	Ministry of Health	...	...	...	621,145
K	1	Ministry of Lands, Mines and Labour	...	...	...	13,826
	2	Geological Survey	...	...	...	25,760
	3	Labour	...	...	...	11,814
	4	Mines	...	...	...	47,525
	5	Surveys and Lands	...	...	...	55,219
L	1	Ministry of Agriculture and Natural Resources	...	...	...	106,805
	2	Natural Resources Subsidy	...	...	...	231,336
M	1	Ministry of Trade and Industry	...	...	...	20,415
	3	Co-operation	...	...	...	41,498
N	1	Ministry of Works	...	...	...	699,566
O	1	Ministry of Housing and Country Planning	...	...	...	1,278
P	1	Ministry of Information and Broadcasting	...	...	...	58,658
	2	Broadcasting	...	...	...	33,880
	3	Printing Department	...	...	...	85,955
Q	1	Development Office	...	...	...	15,759
Total						Le 7,463,071

* The amount shown is exclusive of Statutory Expenditure.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE

<i>No. of Item</i>	<i>Head of Expenditure</i>	<i>Sum Voted</i>
		<i>Le</i>
Railway	...	130,550

NOTE: (This amount is exclusive of Statutory Expenditure and of the sum of Le431,869 included in the amount provided under Head F 6 in the First Schedule; the balance of Le1,242,996 provided under Head F 6 represents the difference between the amount provided under that Head by the 1965/66 Appropriation Act, 1965 and the increased subsidy required for the period April, 1965 to March, 1966.)

Passed in the House of Representatives this 28th day of *March*, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-six.

S. V. WRIGHT,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the House of Representatives and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

S. V. WRIGHT,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

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