

Legislation Fact Sheet

Appropriation (Supplementary Appropriation for 2024-25) Bill 2025

- The Bill provides for the appropriation of \$467.5 million out of the Public Account for the services of the Government for the financial year ending 30 June 2025. The amount appropriated is for Operating Services.
- The supplementary appropriation is required for expenditure in 2024-25 to address agency operating and demand pressures and Government policy decisions made since the finalisation of the 2024-25 Budget.
- Most of the expenditure items for which additional appropriation is sought were identified in the mid-year review of the 2024-25 Budget and reflected in the 2024-25 Revised Estimates Report which was published by the Government in February 2025.
- More than 70 per cent (\$345 million) of the total additional appropriation sought is required for estimated above budget expenditure for the Department of Health to address health demand and service requirements.
- Other items appropriated include:
 - Department for Education, Children and Young People: \$14.1 million for Out of Home Care; \$4.1 million for Youth Justice - Ashley Youth Detention Centre; and \$2.95 million for the Advice and Referral Line.
 - Finance-General: \$180 000 for the Tasmanian Home Builder Grant.
 - Department of Justice: \$25 million to address Tasmania Prison Service cost pressures; and \$17.9 million for National Redress and Civil Claims Compensation for Abuse in State Care.
 - Department of Natural Resources and Environment Tasmania: \$8 million for Parks Tasmania.
 - Department of Police, Fire and Emergency Management: \$14.5 million for Support for Injured Workers.
 - Department of Premier and Cabinet: \$11 million for the Severe Weather Event in August and September 2024.
 - Department of State Growth: \$10.5 million for an equity investment in the Dolphin Tungsten Mine Project (Group 6 Metals); \$8 million for Tasmanian Railway Pty Ltd; \$3.5 million for the Tourism and hospitality support package; \$1.2 million for Homes Tasmania to facilitate housing support for women facing homelessness; and \$500 000 for Wine Tasmania.
 - Tourism Tasmania: \$1.05 million for the Tourism and hospitality support package.
- Further information on the purposes of these appropriations is provided in the supplementary information to be tabled by the Treasurer in support of the Bill.