

**DRAFT** SECOND READING SPEECH  
HON MICHAEL FERGUSON MP

*Appropriation Bill (No. 2) 2022*

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Mister Speaker

This second appropriation Bill recognises the unique role of parliament and independent statutory offices in Tasmania's parliamentary and democratic system.

It appropriates forty three million two hundred and three thousand dollars (\$43 203 000) from the Public Account in 2022-23.

I commend the Bill to the House.