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## **PARLIAMENT**

## **OVERVIEW**

#### **Mission Statement**

To support Parliament and its Committees in their business and proceedings, facilitate their participation in interparliamentary activities, and undertake the management of Parliament House.

### **Desired Outcomes**

- Orderly and expeditious conduct of parliamentary business
- Easy and ready accessibility to official parliamentary debates and other parliamentary information
- Public awareness of the roles and functions of Parliament
- Excellence in administration of Parliament Secretariat

### **FY2015 EXPENDITURE ESTIMATES**

# **Expenditure Estimates by Object Class**

| Code | Object Class  | Actual<br>FY2013 | Estimated<br>FY2014 | Revised<br>FY2014 | Estimated FY2015 | Change over FY20 |        |
|------|---|------------------|---------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|--------|
|      | TOTAL EXPENDITURE                                       | \$33,725,005     | \$34,405,100        | \$34,269,000      | \$35,124,000     | \$855,000        | 2.5%   |
|      | Main Estimates  |                  |                     |                   |                  |                  |        |
|      | OPERATING EXPENDITURE <sup>1</sup>                      | \$30,907,925     | \$32,235,600        | \$32,099,500      | \$32,615,100     | \$515,600        | 1.6%   |
|      | RUNNING COSTS   | \$30,584,791     | \$31,916,900        | \$31,770,800      | \$32,274,200     | \$503,400        | 1.6%   |
|      | Expenditure on Manpower                                 | \$24,520,774     | \$24,665,400        | \$24,639,100      | \$25,043,200     | \$404,100        | 1.6%   |
| 1300 | Parliamentary Appointments                              | 21,187,112       | 20,987,900          | 21,012,400        | 21,106,200       | 93,800           | 0.4    |
| 1500 | Permanent Staff   | 3,333,662        | 3,677,500           | 3,622,600         | 3,937,000        | 314,400          | 8.7    |
| 1600 | Temporary, Daily-Rated & Other Staff                    | 0                | 0                   | 4,100             | 0                | -4,100           | -100.0 |
|      | Other Operating Expenditure                             | \$6,064,017      | \$7,251,500         | \$7,131,700       | \$7,231,000      | \$99,300         | 1.4%   |
| 2100 | Consumption of Products & Services                      | 5,543,029        | 6,636,700           | 6,531,300         | 6,555,600        | 24,300           | 0.4    |
| 2300 | Manpower Development                                    | 134,196          | 160,700             | 162,700           | 160,400          | -2,300           | -1.4   |
| 2400 | International & Public Relations, Public Communications | 331,698          | 353,800             | 342,200           | 406,600          | 64,400           | 18.8   |
| 2700 | Asset Acquisition                                       | 53,551           | 88,700              | 93,900            | 96,700           | 2,800            | 3.0    |
| 2800 | Miscellaneous   | 1,544            | 11,600              | 1,600             | 11,700           | 10,100           | 631.3  |
|      |   |                  |                     |                   |                  |                  |        |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Estimated FY2015 includes \$755,400 Statutory Expenditure (Expenditure on Manpower).

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|------|---|------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|
|      | TRANSFERS   | \$323,134        | \$318,700           | \$328,700         | \$340,900           | \$12,200  | 3.7%      |
| 3600 | Transfers to Institutions & Organisations                     | 150,000          | 150,000             | 160,000           | 170,000             | 10,000    | 6.3       |
| 3800 | International Organisations & Overseas Development Assistance | 173,134          | 168,700             | 168,700           | 170,900             | 2,200     | 1.3       |
|      | Development Estimates   |                  |                     |                   |                     |           |           |
|      | DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURE                                       | \$2,817,080      | \$2,169,500         | \$2,169,500       | \$2,508,900         | \$339,400 | 15.6%     |
| 5100 | Government Development  | 2,817,080        | 2,169,500           | 2,169,500         | 2,508,900           | 339,400   | 15.6      |

# **Establishment List**

| Category/Personnel                     | Actual<br>FY2013 | Estimated<br>FY2014 | Revised<br>FY2014 | Estimated FY2015 |
|--|------------------|---------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| PARLIAMENTARY APPOINTMENTS             | 3                | 3                   | 3                 | 3                |
| Speaker of Parliament                  | 1                | 1                   | 1                 | 1                |
| Deputy Speaker of Parliament           | 2                | 2                   | 2                 | 2                |
| PERMANENT STAFF                        | 45               | 59                  | 59                | 59               |
| Corporate Support                      | 3                | 3                   | 1                 | 1                |
| Driving                                | 1                | 0                   | 0                 | 0                |
| Estate Maintenance                     | 3                | 3                   | 3                 | 3                |
| Language Executive (Parliament) (2008) | 3                | 3                   | 3                 | 3                |
| Management Executive Scheme (2008)     | 5                | 6                   | 6                 | 6                |
| Management Support Scheme (2008)       | 18               | 29                  | 31                | 31               |
| Operations Support                     | 2                | 3                   | 3                 | 3                |
| Parliamentary Officer Scheme (2008)    | 6                | 8                   | 8                 | 8                |
| Serjeant at Arms                       | 1                | 2                   | 2                 | 2                |
| Shorthand Writers                      | 3                | 2                   | 2                 | 2                |
| TOTAL                                  | 48               | 62                  | 62                | 62               |

### **FY2014 BUDGET**

The total expenditure of Parliament in FY2014 is expected to be \$34.27 million, an increase of \$0.54 million or 1.6% over the actual FY2013 expenditure of \$33.73 million. This is mainly due to the increase in other operating expenditure.

The operating expenditure in FY2014 is expected to be \$32.10 million, an increase of \$1.19 million or 3.9% over the actual FY2013 expenditure of \$30.91 million. Development expenditure is expected to be \$2.17 million, a decrease of \$0.65 million or 23.0% compared with the actual FY2013 expenditure of \$2.82 million.

#### **FY2015 BUDGET**

In FY2015, the total expenditure of Parliament is projected to be \$35.12 million, an increase of \$0.86 million or 2.5% over the revised FY2014 budget.

### **Operating Expenditure**

In FY2015, the projected operating expenditure of \$32.62 million is an increase of \$0.52 million or 1.6% over the revised FY2014 budget mainly due to a projected increase in manpower. \$32.27 million or 99.0% is to meet the running costs of Parliament while the balance of \$0.34 million or 1.0% is for Singapore Parliamentary Society activities and for subscriptions to regional/international parliamentary associations.

## **Development Expenditure**

The FY2015 development expenditure of \$2.51 million is an increase of \$0.34 million or 15.6% over the revised FY2014 budget of \$2.17 million. The bulk of the provision in FY2015 development expenditure is to cater for the reconditioning of the granite facade for Parliament House.

# **Total Expenditure by Programme**

| Code | Programme     | Running<br>Costs | Transfers | Operating<br>Expenditure | Development<br>Expenditure | Total<br>Expenditure |
|------|---------------|------------------|-----------|--------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| FA   | Parliamentary | 32,274,200       | 340,900   | 32,615,100               | 2,508,900                  | 35,124,000           |
|      | Total         | \$32,274,200     | \$340,900 | \$32,615,100             | \$2,508,900                | \$35,124,000         |

# Development Expenditure by Project

|  |                       | Actual<br>Expenditure  |                  |                     |                   |                     |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| Project Title                                      | Total<br>Project Cost | up to end of<br>FY2012 | Actual<br>FY2013 | Estimated<br>FY2014 | Revised<br>FY2014 | Estimated<br>FY2015 |
| DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURE                            |                       |                        | \$2,817,080      | \$2,169,500         | \$2,169,500       | \$2,508,900         |
| GOVERNMENT DEVELOPMENT                             |                       |                        | 2,817,080        | 2,169,500           | 2,169,500         | 2,508,900           |
| Parliamentary Programme Minor Development Projects |                       |                        | 2,817,080        | 2,169,500           | 2,169,500         | 2,508,900           |