

NET EXPENDITURE BY STATE GOVERNMENTS ON SOCIAL SERVICES

1957-58 AND 1958-59

1. The information in this statement which is prepared for the Commonwealth Grants Commission shows particulars of the net expenditure (i.e. gross expenditure less receipts for services rendered) from certain funds of the State governments on (i) Education; (ii) Health, Hospitals and Charities and (iii) Law and Order and Public Safety during the years ended 30th June, 1958 and 1959. For the reasons set out below it does not represent the total expenditure on these services by each State. Furthermore, because of differences in organization and accounting methods, the information shown is not on exactly the same basis for all States and consequently comparisons of State expenditure are approximate only.
2. The statement includes only expenditure from (i) the Consolidated Revenue Fund (all States) and (ii) the following trust or special funds: - The Hospital Fund, Joint Coal Board Welfare Fund, Opera House Account and Maintenance and Repairs to Schools and Police Buildings Account (New South Wales); Hospitals and Charities Fund, Mental Hospitals Fund, Youth Organizations Assistance Fund, Forestry Fund and Municipalities Assistance Fund (Victoria); hospital, Motherhood and Child Welfare Fund and Frisons Department Special Standing Fund (Queensland); Hospital Fund and Lotteries Commission (Western Australia). Receipts from the Commonwealth included in the above Funds have been deducted from expenditure.
3. The statement excludes (i) Loan Fund Expenditure; and, in so far as it is possible to detect these items from examination of the public accounts - (ii) expenditure on debt charges, payroll tax and superannuation payments; (iii) expenditure on unemployment, bushfire, flood etc. relief and restoration of flood damage; (iv) expenditure on aborigines, and (v) expenditure on certain items which are excluded because information cannot be obtained from the accounts of all States, or because they do not come within the present classification.
4. Receipts for services rendered have been deducted from gross expenditure. Grand totals of gross expenditure for the classes of services represented are also shown.

**NET EXPENDITURE BY STATE GOVERNMENTS ON SOCIAL SERVICES FROM
CONSOLIDATED REVENUE AND SPECIAL FUNDS
1957-58 and 1958-59**

Services	1957-58		1958-59	
	Amount	Per Head	Amount	Per Head
NEW SOUTH WALES				
	£'000	s. d.	£'000	s. d.
1. EDUCATION				
(a) Education Department and Schools †	33,136	181.2	36,548	196.2
(b) University	2,875	15.9	3,580	19.3
(c) Technical	2,981	16.3	3,163	16.11
(d) Agricultural	307	1.8	333	1.9
(e) Library, Museums, etc.	723	3.11	1,000	5.5
TOTAL:	40,022	218.9	44,624	239.6
2. HEALTH, HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES				
(a) Public Health	816	4.5	821	4.5
(b) Care of Sick and Mentally afflicted, etc.	20,474	111.11	20,704	111.2
(c) Recreation	244	1.4	262	1.5
(d) Relief of Aged, Indigent and Infirm Child Welfare, etc.	3,229	17.8	3,404	18.3
(e) Miners' Phthisis	53	0.4	48	3
TOTAL:	24,816	135.8	25,239	135.6
3. LAW, ORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY				
(a) Administration of Justice	934	5.1	1,109	6.0
(b) Police	6,721	36.9	7,168	38.6
(c) Gaols and Reformatories	1,582	8.8	1,674	8.11
(d) Public Safety	407	2.3	434	2.4
TOTAL:	9,644	52.9	10,385	55.9
GRAND TOTAL, NET EXPENDITURE:	74,882	407.2	80,248	430.9
GRAND TOTAL, GROSS EXPENDITURE:	80,037	437.6	86,160	462.6
VICTORIA				
	£'000	s. d.	£'000	s. d.
1. EDUCATION				
(a) Education Department and Schools †	22,506	166.3	24,872	179.3
(b) University	1,042	7.9	1,153	8.4
(c) Technical	4,110	30.4	4,287	30.10
(d) Agricultural	342	2.6	364	2.8
(e) Library, Museums, etc.	640	4.9	684	4.11
TOTAL:	28,640	211.7	31,360	226.0
2. HEALTH, HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES				
(a) Public Health	374	2.9	496	3.6
(b) Care of Sick and Mentally Afflicted, etc.	16,772	123.11	17,671	127.4
(c) Recreation	74	0.7	90	0.8
(d) Relief of Aged, Indigent and Infirm Child Welfare, etc.	2,088	15.5	2,335	16.10
(e) Miners' Phthisis	57	0.5	55	5
TOTAL:	19,365	143.1	20,647	148.9
3. LAW, ORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY				
(a) Administration of Justice	492	3.8	739	5.4
(b) Police	5,645	41.8	6,013	43.4
(c) Gaols and Reformatories	798	5.11	844	6.1
(d) Public Safety	178	1.4	187	1.4
TOTAL:	7,113	52.7	7,783	56.1
GRAND TOTAL, NET EXPENDITURE:	55,118	407.3	59,790	430.10
GRAND TOTAL, GROSS EXPENDITURE:	57,943	428.1	63,101	454.8

† Includes education of deaf, dumb and blind.

Services	1957-58		1958-59	
	Amount	Per Head	Amount	Per Head
<u>QUEENSLAND</u>				
1. <u>EDUCATION</u>	£'000	s. d.	£'000	s. d.
(a) Education Department and Schools ø	10,009	142.8	11,403	159.11
(b) University	684	9.9	636	8.11
(c) Technical	964	13.9	1,120	15.8
(d) Agricultural	262	3.9	283	4.0
(e) Library, Museums, etc.	175	2.6	182	2.7
<u>TOTALs</u>	12,094	172.5	13,624	191.1
2. <u>HEALTH, HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES</u>				
(a) Public Health	661	9.5	721	10.1
(b) Care of Sick and Mentally Afflicted, etc.	9,826	140.0	10,141	142.3
(c) Recreation	56	0.10	51	9
(d) Relief of Aged, Indigent and Infirm, Child Welfare, etc.	1,128	16.1	1,164	16.4
(e) Miners' Phthisis			2	-
<u>TOTALs</u>	11,671	166.4	12,079	169.5
3. <u>LAW, ORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY</u>				
(a) Administration of Justice	66	0.11	124	1.9
(b) Police	3,397	48.5	3,772	52.10
(c) Gaols and Reformatories	287	4.1	343	4.10
(d) Public Safety	163	2.4	173	2.5
<u>TOTALs</u>	3,913	55.9	4,412	61.10
<u>GRAND TOTAL, NET EXPENDITUREs</u>	27,678	394.6	30,115	422.4
<u>GRAND TOTAL, GROSS EXPENDITUREs</u>	29,112	414.11	31,809	446.1
<u>SOUTH AUSTRALIA</u>				
1. <u>EDUCATION</u>	£'000	s. d.	£'000	s. d.
(a) Education Department and Schools ø	6,905	155.10	8,013	176.5
(b) University	759	17.1	1,003	22.1
(c) Technical	1,144	25.10	1,429	31.6
(d) Agricultural	91	2.1	97	2.2
(e) Library, Museums, etc.	257	5.10	278	6.1
<u>TOTALs</u>	9,156	206.8	10,820	238.3
2. <u>HEALTH, HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES</u>				
(a) Public Health	214	4.10	205	4.6
(b) Care of Sick and Mentally Afflicted, etc.	4,585	103.6	5,033	110.10
(c) Recreation	134	3.1	154	3.4
(d) Relief of Aged, Indigent and Infirm, Child Welfare, etc.	607	13.8	574	12.8
<u>TOTALs</u>	5,540	125.1	5,966	131.4
3. <u>LAW, ORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY</u>				
(a) Administration of Justice	- 89	- 2.0	- 134	- 2.11
(b) Police	1,734	39.2	1,899	41.10
(c) Gaols and Reformatories	353	7.11	396	8.8
(d) Public Safety	73	1.8	74	1.8
<u>TOTALs</u>	2,071	46.9	2,235	49.3
<u>GRAND TOTAL, NET EXPENDITUREs</u>	16,767	378.6	19,021	418.10
<u>GRAND TOTAL, GROSS EXPENDITUREs</u>	18,356	414.5	20,820	458.5

Notes - Minus sign (-) indicates an excess of receipts over expenditure.
 ø Includes education of deaf, dumb and blind.

Services	1957-58		1958-59	
	Amount	Per Head	Amount	Per Head
WESTERN AUSTRALIA				
	£'000	s. d.	£'000	s. d.
1. EDUCATION				
(a) Education Department and Schools ϕ	7,287	208.7	7,564	212.5
(b) University	622	17.10	685	19.3
(c) Technical	691	19.10	735	20.7
(d) Agricultural	49	1.5	58	1.8
(e) Library, Museums, etc.	170	4.10	175	4.11
TOTAL:	8,819	252.6	9,217	258.10
2. HEALTH, HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES				
(a) Public Health	298	8.6	311	8.9
(b) Care of Sick and Mentally Afflicted, etc.	4,692	134.4	5,006	140.7
(c) Recreation	66	1.11	36	1.0
(d) Relief of Aged, Indigent and Infirm, Child Welfare, etc.	729	20.10	722	20.3
(e) Miners' Phthisis	33	1.0	34	1.0
TOTAL:	5,818	166.7	6,109	171.7
3. LAW, ORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY				
(a) Administration of Justice	12	0.4	23	8
(b) Police	1,529	43.9	1,614	45.4
(c) Gaols and Reformatories	284	8.2	314	8.9
(d) Public Safety	111	3.2	124	3.6
TOTAL:	1,936	55.5	2,075	58.3
GRANT TOTAL, NET EXPENDITURE	16,573	474.6	17,401	488.8
GRAND TOTAL, GROSS EXPENDITURE:	17,891	512.3	18,761	526.10
TASMANIA				
	£'000	s. d.	£'000	s. d.
1. EDUCATION				
(a) Education Department and Schools ϕ	3,394	203.2	3,676	215.6
(b) University	330	19.9	355	20.10
(c) Technical	407	24.5	450	26.4
(d) Agricultural	8	0.6	8	5
(e) Library, Museums, etc.	137	8.2	147	8.8
TOTAL:	4,276	256.0	4,636	271.9
2. HEALTH, HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES				
(a) Public Health	260	15.7	247	14.6
(b) Care of Sick and Mentally Afflicted etc.	2,039	122.0	2,100	123.0
(c) Recreation	37	2.3	43	2.7
(d) Relief of Aged, Indigent and Infirm, Child Welfare, etc.	400	23.11	434	25.5
TOTAL:	2,736	163.9	2,824	165.6
3. LAW, ORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY				
(a) Administration of Justice	165	9.11	187	11.0
(b) Police	752	45.0	763	44.8
(c) Gaols and Reformatories	157	9.4	181	10.7
(d) Public Safety	53	3.2	49	2.10
TOTAL:	1,127	67.5	1,180	69.1
GRAND TOTAL, NET EXPENDITURE	8,139	487.2	8,640	506.4
GRAND TOTAL, GROSS EXPENDITURE:	8,443	505.5	9,028	529.1

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Services	1957-58		1958-59	
	Amount	Per Head	Amount	Per Head
<u>ALL STATES</u>				
1. EDUCATION	£'000	s. d.	£'000	s. d.
(a) Education Department and Schools ϕ	83,237	171.11	92,076	186.3
(b) University	6,312	13.0	7,412	15.0
(c) Technical	10,297	21.3	11,184	22.6
(d) Agricultural	1,059	2.2	1,143	2.3
(e) Library, Museums, etc.	2,102	4.4	2,466	5.0
<u>TOTAL:</u>	103,007	212.8	114,281	231.2
2. HEALTH, HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES				
(a) Public Health	2,623	5.5	2,801	5.8
(b) Care of Sick and Mentally Afflicted etc.	58,388	120.7	60,655	122.8
(c) Recreation	611	1.3	636	1.3
(d) Relief of Aged, Indigent and Infirm, Child Welfare, etc.	8,181	16.10	8,633	17.6
(e) Miners' Phthisis	143	0.4	139	3
<u>TOTAL:</u>	69,946	144.5	72,864	147.4
3. LAW, ORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY				
(a) Administration of Justice	1,580	3.3	2,048	4.2
(b) Police	19,778	40.10	21,229	42.11
(c) Gaols and Reformatories	3,461	7.2	3,752	7.7
(d) Public Safety	985	2.0	1,041	2.1
<u>TOTAL:</u>	25,804	53.3	28,070	56.9
<u>GRAND TOTAL, NET EXPENDITURE:</u>	199,757	410.4	215,215	435.3
<u>GRAND TOTAL, GROSS EXPENDITURE:</u>	211,782	437.3	229,679	464.6

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