

H. No. 1393

[REPUBLIC ACT No. 575]

AN ACT APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES DURING THE PERIOD FROM JULY FIRST, NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY TO JUNE THIRTIETH, NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-ONE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:*

SECTION 1. The following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any funds in the Philippine Treasury not otherwise appropriated, during the period from July first, nineteen hundred fifty to June thirtieth, nineteen hundred fifty-one, for the purposes specified hereunder:

### ORDINARY EXPENDITURES

#### B.—OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

##### II.—SUNDRY EXPENSES

6. Additional appropriation for consumption of supplies and materials, for Welfareville .....	P70,120.00
	P70,120.00
	P70,120.00

##### IV.—SPECIAL AND GENERAL PURPOSES

10. For additional appropriation for the necessary expenses of the Boards of Examiners .....	P28,300.00
To be paid out of the receipts of the Boards .....	(28,300.00)

##### SALARIES AND WAGES

(a) Item IV-10 (a), page 56, Republic Act No. 563 is hereby amended to read as follows:

“Fees for the chairmen and members of Medical, Pharmaceutical, Dental, Optical and Nurse Examiners; Boards of Examiners for Surveyors; Boards of Marine Examiners; Boards of Examiners for Engineers and Architects; Veterinary Examining Board; and Board of Accountancy, P10 per board chairman and member for each candidate examined; P5 for each candidate registered without examination; P5 for each candidate examined as midwife, master electrician, certified plant mechanic, druggist, harbor,

bay, river and lake patron, and motor engineer and for each candidate in the preliminary or final physician examination: PROVIDED, That for each candidate registered without examination in any of these grades, each chairman and member shall receive a compensation of P3: PROVIDED, FURTHER, That, any provision of existing law to the contrary notwithstanding, only the examination and registration fees collected by said boards shall be available for the payment of fees to the members thereof: PROVIDED, FURTHERMORE, That in case of deficit in this and other items under this section the same may be covered by paying the chairmen, members, personnel and other necessary expenses of the boards from the unexpended balance of examination and registration fees collected by the boards—P56,820.00”

(b) For adjustment of the salary of the Secretary of the Boards of Examiners from P4,200 to P6,000 as fixed under section 10 of Act No. 4007, as amended by Republic Act No. 546 .....	P1,800.00
(c) For adjustment of the salary of the assistant secretary from P2,940 to P3,960 .....	1,020.00
(d)-1 One attorney .....	3,300.00
(d)-2 One researcher .....	2,760.00
(f)-1 Three assistants at P1,800.....	5,400.00
(g)-1 Two clerks at P1,800 .....	3,600.00
(g)-2 One stenographer .....	1,680.00
(g)-3 Two typists at P1,200.....	2,400.00
(i)-1 Two clerks at P1,200.....	2,400.00
(p)-1 One helper .....	1,140.00
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	P25,500.00

## SUNDRY EXPENSES

(q)-1 For traveling expenses of the executive chairman as authorized under Republic Act No. 546 .....	P1,800.00
(u) For additional appropriation for printing and binding reports, documents and publications and for press release of notices.....	1,000.00
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	P2,800.00
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Total .....	P28,300.00
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16. For additional appropriation for salaries of personnel and maintenance of the Office of the National Intelligence Coordinating Agency, as provided in Executive Order No. 235, series of 1949 .....	150,000.00
Total for special and general purposes .....	<u>P150,000.00</u>
Total for the Office of the President .....	<u><u>P220,120.00</u></u>

## D.—DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

## IV.—SPECIAL PURPOSES

7a. For traveling expenses of personnel in the foreign service, including immediate dependent members of their families and their household effects, whose positions have been abolished in Republic Act No. 563: PROVIDED, That those who may be required to return home before June 30, 1950, the expenses shall be paid from this item: AND PROVIDED, FURTHER, That no portion of this appropriation shall be transferred to any other item .....	P200,000.00
Total for the Department of Foreign Affairs .....	<u><u>P200,000.00</u></u>

## F.—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

## IV.—SPECIAL PURPOSES

4. For additional appropriation for expenses in connection with the operation of the arrastre service at the Port of Manila and subports, any provision of existing law to the contrary notwithstanding .....	P69,440.00
To be paid out of the receipts of the said arrastre service, Commonwealth Act No. 392 .....	(69,440.00)

## SALARIES AND WAGES

(g) For temporary and emergency skilled, semi-skilled and unclassified laborers at the rate of not exceeding P4 per day each .....	P40,000.00
Total for salaries and wages .....	<u><u>P40,000.00</u></u>

## SPECIAL EXPENSES

(q) For expenses of the accounting service:

## Salaries and Wages

1. One accountant .....	P3,960.00
2. One examiner-bookkeeper .....	3,120.00
3. One clerk .....	1,800.00
4. One stenographer .....	1,560.00

5. One messenger-laborer .....	1,200.00
6. One janitor .....	1,140.00
Total .....	<u>P12,780.00</u>

## Sundry Expenses

7. Traveling expenses of personnel .....	P600.00
8. Postal, telegraph, telephone and cable service .....	300.00
9. Consumption of supplies and materials .....	1,000.00
10. Maintenance and repair of equipment .....	300.00
11. Other services .....	200.00
Total .....	<u>P2,400.00</u>

Total for the accounting service .....	<u>P15,180.00</u>
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(\*) For expenses of the auditing service:

## Salaries and Wages

1. One auditor .....	P5,100.00
2. One senior examiner .....	3,960.00
3. One examiner .....	2,400.00
4. One clerk-typist .....	1,800.00

Total .....	<u>P13,260.00</u>
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## Sundry Expenses

5. Traveling expenses of personnel .....	P400.00
6. Postal, telegraph, telephone and cable service .....	100.00
7. Consumption of supplies and materials .....	300.00
8. Maintenance and repair of equipment .....	100.00
9. Other services .....	100.00

Total .....	<u>P1,000.00</u>
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Total for the auditing service .....	<u>P14,260.00</u>
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## SUMMARY

Total for salaries and wages .....	P40,000.00
Total for special expenses:	
Accounting service .....	15,180.00
Auditing service .....	14,260.00
Total .....	<u>P69,440.00</u>

9. Item F-IV-9 and sub-items (a) to (w), pages 146 to 148, of Republic Act No. 563, are hereby amended to read as follows:

"9. For the expenses of the Philippine Purchasing Agency in New York ..

133,760.00

To be paid out of the Philippine  
Purchasing Agency Revolving  
Fund, Executive Order No. 81,  
series of 1945 ..... (133,760.00)

## SALARIES AND WAGES

(a) One Purchasing Agent .....	₱7,200.00
Supplemental salary .....	12,800.00
(b) One Assistant Purchasing Agent .....	6,000.00
Supplemental salary .....	6,000.00
(c) One buyer .....	5,100.00
Supplemental salary .....	2,100.00
(d) One buyer .....	5,100.00
Supplemental salary .....	2,100.00
(e) One bookkeeper .....	2,400.00
Supplemental salary .....	2,400.00
(f) One clerk-typist .....	2,400.00
Supplemental salary .....	2,400.00
(g) One audit clerk .....	2,580.00
Supplemental salary .....	4,020.00
(h) For the payment of salaries cor- responding to the leave of ab- sence already earned by officers and employees separated from the service by the abolition of their positions and for salaries and wages of such emergency personnel as the exigency of the service may require at not more than \$8 a day each.....	10,000.00
(i) For the payment of living al- lowances equivalent to those au- thorized to officers and employees of equal rank in legations and embassies or in the Department of Foreign Affairs on foreign tour of duty, including unpaid claims for prior years .....	20,000.00
Total for salaries and wages	<u>₱92,600.00</u>

## SUNDRY EXPENSES

(j) Traveling expenses of personnel, including return transportation to the Philippines of officers and employees of the Agency whose positions have been abolished, provided the same is availed of prior to the expiration of their earned leave .....	₱15,000.00
(k) Postal, telegraph, telephone, cable and radio service .....	4,000.00
(l) Rental of buildings and grounds .....	8,000.00
(m) Consumption of supplies and materials .....	3,000.00
(n) Other services .....	5,000.00
Total for sundry expenses....	<u>₱35,000.00</u>



## SPECIAL EXPENSES

(o) For reimbursement to the Budget Office for the expenses of the accounting service as follows:	
1. One bookkeeper .....	P2,760.00
2. One clerk .....	2,400.00
(p) Contribution of the Government for the employees' insurance premiums in the Government Service Insurance System .....	1,000.00
<b>Total for special expenses.</b>	<b>P6,160.00</b>

## SUMMARY

Total for salaries and wages.....	P92,600.00
Total for sundry expenses.....	35,000.00
Total for special expenses.....	6,160.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>P133,760.00</b>

## SPECIAL PROVISIONS

(q) The supplemental salaries provided for the positions in the Philippine Purchasing Agency in New York shall not be paid to the incumbents thereof whenever they are in the Philippines.

(r) The provisions of section 5(5) of Republic Act No. 563 and of all the other pertinent sections of the said Act shall be applicable to the appropriations of the New York Philippine Purchasing Agency as herein amended."

Total for the Department of Finance.....

The following special provision is inserted on page 151 of Republic Act No. 563:

## "VI.—SPECIAL PROVISION

1. The Secretary of Finance is hereby authorized, upon the recommendation of the Collector of Internal Revenue, to use any savings in the appropriation for the new positions authorized for the Bureau of Internal Revenue in sub-items (a) to (f-1), item F-IV-10, pages 149 to 150, to pay the trainees of the Bureau of Internal Revenue Training School their monthly allowance up to the end of their training term."

## G.—DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

## IV.—SPECIAL PURPOSES

7. For additional appropriation for salaries and wages of the personnel of the Bureau of Prisons—Prison Industries and Salvage Warehouse employed throughout the year, any provision of existing law to the contrary notwithstanding .....	P248,937.00
To be paid out of the Bureau of Prisons—Prison Industries and Salvage Warehouse Revolving Fund .....	(248,937.00)

## MEDICAL DIVISION

(a) One chief of Prison Hospitals, with subsistence, quarters and laundry .....	P4,200.00
(b) One supervising dentist, with subsistence, quarters and laundry..	3,120.00
(c) One supervising nurse, with subsistence, quarters and laundry..	2,940.00

## BATANGAS UNIT

## Administrative and General Service Section

(d) One plant superintendent.....	3,960.00
(e) One shipping clerk .....	1,440.00
(f) One guard inspector.....	1,800.00
(g) Twelve security guards at P1,200	14,400.00
(h) One mess officer.....	1,560.00

## Accounting Section

(i) One clerk in-charge .....	1,920.00
(j) Two clerks at P1,320.....	2,640.00

## Dimension and Finishing

## Mills Section

(k) One dimension and finishing mills supervisor .....	3,480.00
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## Sash and Door Plant Section

(l) One sash and door plant supervisor .....	3,480.00
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## Dry Kiln Section

(m) One supervisor .....	3,480.00
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## Saw Filing Room Section

(n) One filer .....	3,480.00
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## Power Plant Section

(o) One power plant supervisor .....	3,960.00
(p) One head electrician .....	2,400.00
(q) Two mechanical engineers at P2,400 .....	4,800.00

## Lumber Yard Section

(r) One yard foreman .....	2,940.00
(s) One head lumber grader .....	2,400.00

## Warehouse Section

(t) One property custodian.....	2,400.00
(u) Two clerks at P1,440.....	2,880.00

## Transportation Section

(v) One transportation foreman.....	1,800.00
(w) One crane operator .....	1,440.00

## Medical Section

(All with subsistence and laundry)

(x) One medical officer .....	2,580.00
(y) One nurse .....	1,320.00

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(z) One abaca mill superintendent.....	5,100.00
(a-1) One abaca researcher .....	2,940.00
Custodial Section	
(b-1) One guard inspector .....	2,160.00
(c-1) One assistant mess officer.....	1,560.00
(d-1) One sergeant of the guards .....	1,440.00
(e-1) Twenty-four guards at ₱1,200..	28,800.00
Accounting Section	
(f-1) One accountant .....	2,400.00
(g-1) Two ledger clerks at ₱1,320 .....	2,640.00
Sawmill Section	
(h-1) One sawmill supervisor.....	4,800.00
(i-1) One mill-wright .....	3,960.00
(j-1) One sawyer .....	2,400.00
Saw Filing Room Section	
(k-1) One chief filer .....	3,480.00
Power Plant Section	
(l-1) One power plant supervisor.....	3,960.00
(m-1) One head electrician .....	2,400.00
Machine Shop Section	
(n-1) One machine shop foreman.....	3,120.00
Lumber Yard Section	
(o-1) One yard master .....	2,940.00
(p-1) One head grader .....	2,400.00
Warehouse Section	
(q-1) One abaca grader .....	2,400.00
(r-1) One warehouseman .....	1,440.00
Construction and Repair Section	
(s-1) One construction engineer.....	2,940.00
(t-1) One head carpenter .....	2,160.00
Transportation Section	
(u-1) One transportation officer.....	1,800.00
(v-1) One crane operator.....	1,440.00
Log Transportation Section	
(w-1) One tugboat patron.....	2,400.00
(x-1) One assistant patron.....	1,440.00
(y-1) One tugboat engineer.....	2,400.00
Forestry Section	
(z-1) One surveyor .....	2,160.00
(a-2) One ranger .....	1,440.00
Agricultural Section	
(b-2) One farming instructor.....	1,800.00
(c-2) One agricultural foreman.....	1,440.00



## Medical Section

(d-2) One medical officer.....	2,940.00
(e-2) One nurse .....	1,560.00
(f-2) One nurse .....	1,440.00

## INDUSTRIAL DIVISION

(g-2) One industrial foreman .....	1,260.00
(h-2) One foreman, animal husbandry .....	1,260.00
(i-2) One industrial foreman.....	1,200.00

## IWAHIG PENAL COLONY

(j-2) One nurse, with subsistence and laundry .....	1,200.00
(k-2) Two chaplains at P1,620.....	3,240.00
(l-2) One foreman, roads and bridges .....	1,380.00
(m-2) One agricultural foreman.....	1,200.00
(n-2) Two foremen at P1,140.....	2,280.00
(o-2) One horticulturist .....	1,260.00
(p-2) One agriculturist foreman.....	1,500.00
(q-2) One general overseer .....	1,740.00

## DAVAO PENAL COLONY

(r-2) Five guards at P1,140.....	5,700.00
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## SAN RAMON PRISON AND PENAL FARM

(s-2) One assistant superintendent and manager of agricultural and industrial development, with furnished quarters.....	3,480.00
(t-2) One mechanic .....	2,580.00
(u-2) One medical officer, with subsistence and laundry.....	2,280.00
(v-2) One property clerk.....	1,800.00
(w-2) One pharmacist, with subsistence and laundry .....	1,440.00
(x-2) One nurse, with subsistence and laundry .....	1,200.00
(y-2) One first sergeant.....	1,200.00
(z-2) One provost sergeant .....	1,140.00
(a-3) Three duty sergeants at P1,140 .....	3,420.00
(b-3) Six corporals at P1,140.....	6,840.00
(c-3) For subsistence of employees who are entitled thereto under the provisions of paragraph (11)-(c), General Provisions, section 7 of Commonwealth Act No. 246, and laundry.....	4,644.00
(d-3) Three (3%) per cent Government contribution for the GSIS insurance of employees .....	7,173.00

Total ..... P248,937.00

Total for special purposes.....

Total for the Department of Justice.....

I.—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND  
COMMUNICATIONS

I.—SALARIES AND WAGES

(4) BUREAU OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS

328. Additional appropriation for temporary and emergency employees, including skilled, semi-skilled, and unskilled laborers at rates not exceeding P6 a day to be employed from time to time as the needs of the service may require ..... P60,000.00

II.—SUNDRY EXPENSES

1. Additional appropriation for traveling expenses of personnel ..... P50,000.00  
 3. Additional appropriation for postal, telegraph, telephone and cable service ..... 2,000.00  
 4. Additional appropriation for illumination and power service ..... 8,000.00  
 5. Additional appropriation for rental of buildings and grounds ..... 1,000.00  
 6. Additional appropriation for consumption of supplies and materials ..... 249,000.00  
 9. Additional appropriation for maintenance and repair of equipment ..... 10,000.00  
 10. Additional appropriation for other services ..... 20,000.00

Total for sundry expenses ..... P340,000.00

IV.—SPECIAL PURPOSES

9a. For the employment by the Bureau of Posts of temporary helpers and other personnel in different post offices in the Philippines during the fiscal year 1951 ..... P600,000.00

9b. For the installation, operation and maintenance of the Government Telephone System inter-connecting all government offices in the City of Manila and suburbs ..... 200,000.00

To be paid out of the receipts of the Government Telephone System, any provision of law to the contrary notwithstanding ..... (200,000.00)

Total for special purposes ..... P600,000.00

(5) MOTOR VEHICLES OFFICE

SUNDRY EXPENSES

108a. For the rental of the building and grounds presently occupied by the Motor Vehicles Office ..... P18,000.00

To be paid from the receipts under Act No. 3992, any provision of existing law to the contrary notwithstanding ..... (18,000.00)

## (6) POSTAL SAVINGS BANK

## SUNDRY EXPENSES

a. Items 41 and 45, page 315 of Republic Act No. 563, are amended to read as follows:

"41. Postal, telegraph, telephone, cable and radio service.....	P5,300.00
"45. Maintenance and repair of equipment .....	1,900.00"

Total for the Department of Public Works and Communications.....	<u>P1,000,000.00</u>
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## J.—DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

## IV.—SPECIAL PURPOSE

1a. Additional appropriation for salaries and wages of teachers and other employees, sundry expenses, including the purchase of textbooks and supplementary readers, and for the acquisition of furniture and equipment, in connection with the operation and maintenance of public elementary schools including those organized during previous years: PROVIDED, That out of this appropriation the sum of not more than P300,000 shall be spent for furniture and equipment: PROVIDED, FURTHER, That the expenses for consumption of supplies and materials, freight, express and delivery service, and for the purchase of furniture and equipment shall not exceed P100 for each old and well-equipped class and P400 for each additional new class .....

P40,827,988.00

Total for the Department of Education .....	<u>P40,827,988.00</u>
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## M.—DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

## II.—SUNDRY EXPENSES

6. For additional appropriation of the Bureau of Hospitals for subsistence of free ward patients and lepers in institutions under the said Bureau .....

P500,000.00

Total for the Department of Health .....	<u>P500,000.00</u>
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## N.—DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

## II.—SUNDRY EXPENSES

(To be allotted to the Weather Bureau)

1. Additional appropriation for traveling expenses of personnel .....	P5,000.00
2. Additional appropriation for freight, express and delivery service .....	1,000.00
3. Additional appropriation for postal, telegraph, telephone, cable and radio service .....	5,000.00

4. Additional appropriation for illumination and power service .....	2,200.00
5. Additional appropriation for rental of buildings and grounds .....	6,500.00
6. Additional appropriation for consumption of supplies and materials .....	33,840.00
<b>Total for sundry expenses .....</b>	<b>P58,540.00</b>

## IV.—SPECIAL PURPOSES

1a. For the maintenance and operation of additional international air communications and navigation services and radio aids now paid for by the United States Government completely taken over by the Government of the Philippines on July 1, 1950 .....	P420,000.00
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## SALARIES AND WAGES

## Requirements and Planning Section

(a) One senior airways maintenance inspector .....	P4,200.00
(b) One electrical draftsman .....	2,580.00
(c) One warehouse supervisor .....	3,300.00
(d) Two warehousemen at P2,400 .....	4,800.00
(e) Two assistant warehousemen at P1,800 .....	3,600.00
(f) One clerk-typist .....	1,440.00
(g) One general utility helper .....	1,200.00

## Communications Operations Section

(h) Forty-six aircrafts communicators at P2,400 .....	110,400.00
(i) One clerk-typist .....	1,440.00
(j) Two general utility helpers at P1,200 .....	2,400.00

## Air Traffic Control Section

(k) Four assistant air traffic controllers at P2,400 .....	9,600.00
(l) Two general utility helpers at P1,200 .....	2,400.00

## Construction and Maintenance Section

(m) Six assistant airways maintenance technicians at P2,400 .....	14,400.00
(n) Six Diesel operators at P2,580 .....	15,480.00
(o) Fifteen assistant Diesel operators at P2,280 .....	34,200.00
(p) Nine guard-mechanics at P1,440 .....	12,960.00
(q) One chief security officer .....	3,120.00
(r) Two assistant chief security officers at P2,580 .....	5,160.00
(s) Four senior security guards at P1,440 .....	5,760.00
(t) Sixteen security guards at P1,440 .....	23,040.00

**Total for salaries and wages P261,480.00**

## SUNDRY EXPENSES

(u) Traveling expenses and per diems of personnel .....	P12,322.00
(v) Freight, express and delivery service .....	1,500.00
(w) Postal, telegraph, telephone, cable and radio service .....	100.00
(x) Illumination and power service....	2,500.00
(y) Consumption of supplies and materials .....	60,000.00
(z) Printing and binding reports, documents and publications .....	1,000.00
(a-1) Maintenance and repair of equipment .....	30,000.00
(b-1) Miscellaneous services.....	1,000.00
Total for sundry expenses	<u>P108,422.00</u>

## FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT

(c-1) For the purchase of furniture and equipment .....	P11,850.00
Total for furniture and equipment .....	<u>P11,850.00</u>
Total .....	<u><u>P81,752.00</u></u>

FIRST REGIONAL OFFICE AT CEBU  
SALARIES AND WAGES

(d-1) One regional director .....	P5,400.00
(e-1) One pilot .....	5,400.00
(f-1) One air carrier inspector .....	3,300.00
(g-1) One airplane and engine inspector .....	3,300.00
(h-1) One records clerk .....	1,920.00
(i-1) One clerk-typist .....	1,680.00
(j-1) One messenger-janitor .....	1,200.00
Total for salaries and wages	<u>P22,200.00</u>

## SUNDRY EXPENSES

(k-1) Traveling expenses of personnel .....	P2,500.00
(l-1) Freight, express and delivery service .....	500.00
(m-1) Postal, telephone, telegraph, cable and radio service .....	250.00
(n-1) Illumination and power service	2,000.00
(o-1) Rental of buildings and grounds	2,400.00
(p-1) Consumption of supplies and materials .....	5,000.00
(q-1) Maintenance and repair of equipment .....	250.00
(r-1) Miscellaneous service .....	500.00
Total for sundry expenses .....	<u>P13,400.00</u>



FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT	
(a-1) For the purchase of furniture and equipment .....	P2,648.00
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Total for furniture and equipment .....	P2,648.00
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Total for the First Regional Office at Cebu .....	P38,248.00
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Grand Total .....	P420,000.00
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Total for the Department of Commerce and Industry .....	P473,540.00
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Total Ordinary Expenditures .....	P43,221,648.00
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### EXTRAORDINARY EXPENDITURES

#### B.—OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

##### SPECIAL PURPOSES

2. Item B-2(v), page 498 of Republic Act No. 563, is hereby amended to read as follows:

“(v) For indemnity to Malibabu victims and relief to the evacuees during operations and actions against dissidents and to victims of disasters, such as typhoons, earthquakes, floods, fires, and similar public calamities, including services for handling relief goods—P899,940.00”.

4. For the payment of gratuity equivalent to one month salary for every year of continuous satisfactory service rendered but not exceeding twelve months on the basis of the last salary received, to officials and employees who are separated from the service by reason of the abolition of their positions in the General Appropriation Act for the fiscal year 1951: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That those entitled to a gratuity for three months or less shall be paid their full gratuity; those entitled to more than three months shall be paid an additional one-half month for every additional month to which they are entitled, the total payments not to exceed six months: PROVIDED, FURTHER, That the unpaid portion of the gratuity shall be paid from savings in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (5), section 5, of Republic Act No. 563: AND PROVIDED, FINALLY, That in case an employee entitled to gratuity is reinstated in the government service, or in any government-owned or controlled corporations, he shall be required to refund to the

National Government the unexpired portion of his gratuity .....	P400,000.00
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Total for the Office of the Pres- ident .....	P400,000.00
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#### L.—DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

##### SPECIAL PURPOSES

3. Item 3 (o-5), page 535 of Republic Act No. 563 is amended to read as follows:

“(o-5) For hire of temporary helpers and laborers to be employed from time to time at rates not exceeding P8.80 per day—P71,500.00”.

5. For the creation of a revolving fund for the hospitalization of veterans and the construction of hospitals to defray all items of cost of hospitalization under the provisions of Public Law 865 of the 80th United States Congress and all necessary costs of technical services and construction of hospitals, that are directly subject to reimbursement from the Government of the United States under the aforesaid Public Law: PROVIDED, That the Secretary of National Defense is authorized to receive, disburse and account for all funds received from the Government of the United States of America under the provisions of said Public Law .....	P1,000,000.00
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Total for the Department of Na- tional Defense .....	P1,000,000.00
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#### M.—DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

##### SPECIAL PURPOSES

3. For the purchase of diphtheria toxoid and for immunization work against diphtheria: PROVIDED, That no portion of this appropriation shall be used for the creation of new positions .....	P200,000.00
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4. For expenses in connection with the maintenance, operation and purchase of equipment and materials for the manufacture of BCG vaccines in the Alabang Serum and Vaccine Laboratories .....	300,000.00
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Total for the Department of Health	P500,000.00
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Total Extraordinary Expenditures	P1,900,000.00
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GRAND TOTAL ORDINARY AND EX- TRAORDINARY EXPENDITURES.....	P45,121,648.00
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## GENERAL PROVISIONS

SEC. 2. The special and general provisions of the General Appropriation Act for the fiscal year 1951 (Republic Act No. 563) not in conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby made applicable to the appropriations provided in this Act.

SEC. 3. No item in this Act shall be transferred to any other item.

SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect as of July first, nineteen hundred fifty.

Approved, September 8, 1950.

H. No. 1402

[REPUBLIC ACT NO. 576]

AN ACT APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES DURING THE PERIOD FROM SEPTEMBER FIRST, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY TO JUNE THIRTIETH, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-ONE.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:*

SECTION 1. The following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any funds in the Philippine Treasury not otherwise appropriated as additional funds for the Armed Forces of the Philippines during the period from September first, nineteen hundred and fifty to June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifty-one:

L.—DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

IV.—SPECIAL PURPOSE

6a. For additional subsistence of troops assigned in active field operations at ₱1 per day: <i>Provided, That no portion of this appropriation shall be transferred to any other item</i> .....	₱6,500,000.00
6b. For expenses for hospitalization of veterans .....	210,000.00
6c. For the employment of temporary employees for the manufacture of an encoding and decoding device .....	30,000.00
Total for special purposes .....	<u>₱6,740,000.00</u>

(b) PHILIPPINE AIR FORCE

1. Base pay and longevity pay of officers .....	₱431,400.00
2. Flying pay of officers on flying status and per diems of special air corps instructor .....	252,500.00
3. Rentals and commutation of quarters for officers .....	73,600.00
4. Base pay of enlisted men .....	451,600.00
5. Hazardous duty pay in accordance with section 1(a), Republic Act No. 315 .....	16,600.00
6. Flying pay of enlisted men .....	174,170.00
7. Additional pay for air mechanics .....	45,800.00