BRITISH GUIANA

FIRST LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

under the British Guiana (Constitution) Order in Council, 1961.

FIRST SESSION

1961 - 1962

ORDER PAPER

31ST SITTING

WEDNESDAY, 2ND MAY, 1962.

AT 2.00 P.M.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -

By the Minister of Finance:

INCOME TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1962. (L.A. Bill No. 11/1962 published 2.5.62).

1. Assembly to resume consideration of the following motion:

WHEREAS article 109(4)(b) of the Constitution limits to four months ending 30th April the period during which public funds may be expended in pursuance of the provisions of the Financial Administration and Audit Ordinance, 1961, in anticipation of the passage of the appropriation law; and

WHEREAS the appropriation law for the year 1962 will not be passed before the expiry of the said period and it is necessary to provide for expenditure on the public services pending the passage of this law:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Legislative Assembly approves in accordance with Article 109(4)(a)(ii) of the Constitution one-sixth of the expenditure provision proposed under each of the subheads of the Estimates of Expenditure which have been laid on the Table, to a total of nine million, three hundred and ninety-one thousand, seven hundred and forty-three dollars as detailed by heads in the undermentioned Schedule.

SCHEDULE

Head	Annual Estimate	Provision Required
Governor	5,300	€8 3
Governor's Office	52,492	8,749
Volunteer Force	117,306	19,551
Supreme Court and Deeds Registry	369 , 5 9 7	61,600
Magistrates	437 , 470	72,912
Legislature	59,442	9,907
Premier's Office, Council of Ministers and Ministry of Development and Planning	565,380	94,230
Ministry of Natural Resources	1,038,870	173,145
Agriculture	2,130,193	355,032
Lands and Mines	614,199	102,366
Forest	681,653	113,609
Ministry of Works and Hydraulics	44,359	7,393
Public Works - Establishment	1,960,405	326,734
Public Works and Sea Defences - Annually Recurrent	4,625,937	770,990
Public Works - Non-Recurrent	550,000	91,667
Drainage and Irrigation - Establishment	668,401	111,400
Drainage and Irrigation - Annually Recurrent	725,250	120,875
Ministry of Home Affairs	95,469	15,912
Local Government	632 ,3 26	105,388
Interior	282,161	47,027
Police	3,704,857	617,475
Prisons	603,296	100,549
Fire Prevention	570,525	95,088
Printery	562,586	93,764

Head	Annual Estimate	Provision Required
Probation	92,797	15,466
Essequibo Boys' School	99,268	16,545
Ministry of Labour, Health and Housing	237,707	39,618
Medical - Establishment	1,567,268	261,211
Medical - Bacteriological	204,581	34, 097
Medical - X-hay	108,201	18,034
Medical - Hospitals & Dispensaries	4,916,922	819,486
Town and Country Planning	89,553	14,926
Registration of Births, Deaths,	,,,,,	
Immigration, etc.	88,987	14,831
Analyst	78,912	13,152
Labour	211,653	35,276
Ministry of Trade and Industry	555,728	92,621
Ministry of Finance	568,942	94,824
Accountant General	1,567,712	261,285
Central Registry	34,967	5,828
Customs and Excise	781,258	130,210
Indand Revenue	191,415	31,902
Licence Revenue	79,895	11,816
Post Office Savings Bank	64,314	10,719
Ministry of Education and Social 7 Development	4,126,107	687,684
Ministry of Education and Social Development - Schools, Institutions, and Miscellaneous	8,338,158	1,389,692
The Palms	365,746	60,958
Attorney General	120,138	20,023
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Crown Solicitor, Public Trustee and Official Reseiver	36,976	6 , 163
Ministry of Communications	71,497	11,916
Post Office	1,618,289	269,715
Post Office - Telecommunications and Electrical Inspection	1,046,414	174,402
Transport and Harbours	2,199,300	366,550
Civil Aviation	558 , 211	93,035
Audit	209,361	34,894
Public Prosecutions	45,943	7,657
Public Service Commission	170,740	28,457
Pensions and Gratuities	505,624	84,271
Public Debt	3,969,401	661,566
Loans from Public Funds	340,000	56,667
	# 56 , 350 , 459	\$9,391,743

(Notice was given on 27th April, 1962).

2. Assembly to resume the debate on the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Assembly recommends to Government the early construction of a road between Atkinson and Mackenzie.

(Notice was given on 18th December, 1961).