PORTFOLIO ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES STATEMENTS 2022-23
APPROPRIATION BILL (NO. 3) 2022–23 AND
APPROPRIATION BILL (NO. 4) 2022–23
DEFENCE PORTFOLIO
Explanations of Additional Estimates 2022–23

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Dear President

Dear Speaker

I hereby submit these Portfolio Additional Estimates Statements in support of the additional appropriations sought for the Defence Portfolio, through Appropriation Bill (No. 3) 2022–23 and Appropriation Bill (No.4) 2022–23.

These statements have been developed, and are submitted to the Parliament, as a statement on the funding requirements being sought for the Portfolio.

I present these statements by virtue of my ministerial responsibility for accountability to the Parliament and, through it, the public.

Yours sincerely

**Richard Marles** 

#### **Abbreviations and Conventions**

The following notations may be used:

NEC/nec not elsewhere classified

- nil

.. not zero, but rounded to zero

na not applicable (unless otherwise specified)

nfp not for publication

\$m \$ million

Figures in tables and in the text may be rounded. Figures in text are generally rounded to one decimal place, whereas figures in tables are generally rounded to the nearest thousand. Discrepancies in tables between totals and sums of components are due to rounding.

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# User Guide to the Portfolio Additional Estimates Statements

# **User Guide**

The purpose of the Portfolio Additional Estimates Statements (PAES) 2022–23 is to inform Senators, Members of Parliament and the public of the proposed allocation of additional resources to government outcomes by entities within the portfolio.

The PAES facilitate understanding of the proposed appropriations in Appropriation Bill (No. 3) 2022–23 and Appropriation Bill (No. 4) 2022–23. In this sense the PAES is declared by the Appropriation Acts to be a 'relevant document' to the interpretation of the Acts according to section 15AB of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901*.

Appropriation Bill (No. 3) 2022–23, which follows on from *Appropriation Act* (No. 1) 2022-23 tabled at Budget, will provide additional expenditure authority for the ordinary annual services of government in respect of the 2022–23 financial year.

Appropriation Bill (No. 4) 2022–23, which follows on from *Appropriation Act (No. 2)* 2022-23 tabled at Budget, will provide additional expenditure authority in respect of the 2022-23 financial year for capital works and services, payments to or for the states, territories and local government authorities, and new administered outcomes not authorised in specific legislation.

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# **Department of Defence**

# **Overview of Additional Appropriations**

Since the October Portfolio Budget Statements 2022–23, Defence funding has been updated to reflect movements in foreign exchange and estimated expenditure for Major Operations which are funded on a no-win/no-loss basis.

#### **Department of Defence Measures Table**

Table 1.1 summarises new Government measures taken since the 2022-23 October Budget. The table is split into receipt and payment measures, with the affected program identified.

Table 1.1: Defence 2022–23 additional estimates measures [a]

		2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	Total
		Revised	Forward	Forw ard	Forward	Forward
		Estimate	<b>Estimate</b>	<b>Estimate</b>	<b>Estimate</b>	<b>Estimates</b>
	Program	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Payment measures						
Australian Defence Force Deployments	Various	37,367	-	-	-	37,367
Total payment measures		37,367	-	-	-	37,367
Other Departmental budget adjustments						
Operation ACCORDION	1.2	5,231	-	-	-	5,231
Foreign Exchange	Various	358,781	-	-	-	358,781
Other Budget Adjustments [b]	Various	nfp	-	-	-	nfp
Total other Departmental budget adjustments		364,012	-	-	-	364,012
Variation to Defence Departmental funding		401,379	-	-	-	401,379

<sup>a. Other Departmental budget adjustments for 2023-24 onwards are presented in the Portfolio Budget Statements 2023-24.
b. This budget adjustment is not for publication (nfp) on national security grounds.</sup> 

#### **Additional Estimates and Variations**

Table 1.2 details the changes to the resourcing for the Department of Defence at Additional Estimates, by outcome. The following table details the estimates and variations resulting from new measures and any other variations (if applicable) since the 2022–23 October Budget in Appropriation Bills (No. 3 and No. 4).

Table 1.2: Additional estimates and variations to outcomes from measures and other variations [a]

		2022-23 Revised Estimate	2023-24 Forward Estimate	2024-25 Forward Estimate	2025-26 Forward Estimate	Total Forward Estimates
	Program	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Outcome 1						
Increase in estimates (Departmental)						
Operation ACCORDION	1.2	5,231	-	-	-	5,231
Australian Defence Force Deployments	Various	37,367	-	-	-	37,367
Other Budget Adjustments [b]	Various	nfp	-	-	-	nfp
Net impact on estimates for Outcome 1						
(Departmental)		42,598	-	-	-	42,598
Outcome 2						
Increase in estimates (Departmental)						
Foreign Exchange	Various	358,781	-	-	-	358,781
Net impact on estimates for Outcome 2						
(Departmental)		358,781	-	-	-	358,781

a. Impacts for 2023-24 onwards are presented in the 2023-24 Portfolio Budget Statements.

b. This budget adjustment is not for publication (nfp) on national security grounds.

#### **Breakdown of Additional Estimates by Appropriation Bill**

The following tables detail the Additional Estimates sought for the Department of Defence through Appropriation Bills (No. 3 and No. 4).

Table 1.3: Appropriation Bill (No. 3) 2022-23

	2021-22 Available <sup>[a]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Budget Estimate <sup>[b]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Revised Estimate \$'000	Increase in Estimates \$'000	Decrease in Estimates \$'000
Departmental Outputs					
Outcome 1	461,404	180,941	222,534	41,593	-
Outcome 2	29,130,630	31,156,935	32,530,668	1,373,733	-
Total	29,592,034	31,337,876	32,753,202	1,415,326	-

#### Notes

Table 1.4: Appropriation Bill (No. 3 DCB) 2022-23

	2021-22 Available <sup>[a]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Budget Estimate <sup>[b]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Revised Estimate \$'000	Increase in Estimates \$'000	Decrease in Estimates \$'000
Non-operating					
Departmental capital budget	2,827,786	3,054,372	2,833,844	-	220,528
Total non-operating [c]	2,827,786	3,054,372	2,833,844	-	220,528

#### Notes

Table 1.5: Appropriation Bill (No. 4) 2022-23

	2021-22 Available <sup>[a]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Budget Estimate <sup>[b]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Revised Estimate \$'000	Increase in Estimates \$'000	Decrease in Estimates \$'000
Non-operating					
Equity injections	11,902,139	12,605,040	11,832,391	-	772,649
Total non-operating [c]	11,902,139	12,605,040	11,832,391	-	772,649

Represents Defence actual appropriation for 2021-22 as per Defence financial statements and includes appropriation amounts that
are intended to be quarantined.

b. Represents the October Portfolio Budget Statements 2022-23.

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are intended to be quarantined.

b. Represents the October Portfolio Budget Statements 2022-23.

c. No additional equity injection is provided in Appropriation Bill (No. 3 DCB) as the total funding change is negative. \$220.528 million will be extinguished against Appropriation Bill (No. 1 DCB).

Represents Defence actual appropriation for 2021-22 as per Defence financial statements and includes appropriation amounts that
are intended to be quarantined.

b. Represents the October Portfolio Budget Statements 2022-23.

c. No additional equity injection is provided in Appropriation Bill (No. 4) as the total funding change is negative. \$772.649 million will be extinguished against Appropriation Bill (No. 2).

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# **Australian Signals Directorate**

# **Overview of Additional Appropriations**

Since the October Portfolio Budget Statements 2022–23, ASD funding has been updated to reflect movements in foreign exchange and a measure to offset funding for the Office of Cyber Security.

# **Australian Signals Directorate Measures Table**

Table 1.1 summarises new Government measures taken since the 2022–23 October Budget. The table is split into receipt and payment measures, with the affected program identified.

Table 1.1: ASD 2022-23 additional estimates measures

		2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	Total
		Revised	Forward	Forward	Forward	Forward
		Estimate	Es tim ate	Estim ate	Estim ate	Estimates
	Program	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Departmental Budget Measures						
Payment Measures						
Cyber Security - Additional Funding	1.1	-245	-2,939	-3,013	-3,073	-9,270
Total Departmental Budget Measures		-245	-2,939	-3,013	-3,073	-9,270
Other Budget Adjustments						
Foreign Exchange	1.1	9,564	-	-	-	9,564
Total Other Departmental budget adjus	tments	9,564	-	-	-	9,564
Variation to ASD Departmental Funding		9,319	-2,939	-3,013	-3,073	294

#### **Additional Estimates and Variations**

Table 1.2 details the changes to the resourcing for the Australian Signals Directorate at Additional Estimates, by outcome. The following table details the estimates and variations resulting from new measures and any other variations (if applicable) since the 2022–23 October Budget in Appropriation Bills (No. 3 and No. 4).

Table 1.2: Additional estimates and variations to outcomes from measures and other variations

	Program	2022-23 Revised Estimate \$'000	2023-24 Forward Estimate \$'000	2024-25 Forward Estimate \$'000	2025-26 Forward Estimate \$'000	Total Forward Estimates \$'000
Outcome 1	<u> </u>	•	,			
Increase in estimates (Departmental)						
Foreign Exchange	1.1	9,564	-	-	-	9,564
Decrease in estimates (Departmental)						
Cyber Security - Additional Funding	1.1	-245	-2,939	-3,013	-3,073	-9,270
Net impact on estimates for Outcome 1	_	_	_			
(Departmental)		9,319	-2,939	-3,013	-3,073	294

#### **Breakdown of Additional Estimates by Appropriation Bill**

The following tables detail the Additional Estimates sought for the Australian Signals Directorate through Appropriation Bills (No. 3 and No. 4).

Table 1.3: Appropriation Bill (No. 3) 2022-23

	2021-22 Available <sup>[a]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Budget <sup>[b]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Revised \$'000	Increase in Estimates \$'000	Decrease in Estimates \$'000
Departmental programs [c]					
Outcome 1					
Defend Australia from global threats and advance our national interests through the					
provision of foreign signals intelligence, cyber					
security and offensive cyber operations, as					
directed by Government.	927,259	1,209,988	1,260,584	50,596	_
Total	927,259	1,209,988	1,260,584	50,596	-

#### Notes

Table 1.4: Appropriation Bill (No. 3 DCB) 2022-23

	2021-22 Available <sup>[a]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Budget <sup>[b]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Revised \$'000	Increase in Estimates \$'000	Decrease in Estimates \$'000
Non-operating					
Departmental capital budget	45,000	30,000	30,000	-	-
Total non-operating	45,000	30,000	30,000	-	

#### Notes

Table 1.5: Appropriation Bill (No. 4) 2022-23

	2021-22 Available <sup>[a]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Budget <sup>[b]</sup> \$'000	2022-23 Revised \$'000	Increase in Estimates \$'000	Decrease in Estimates \$'000
Non-operating					
Equity injections [c]	192,908	462,450	421,173	-	41,277
Total non-operating	192,908	462,450	421,173	-	41,277

Represents Departmental actual appropriation for 2021-22 as per the Departmental financial Statements and includes appropriation amounts that are intended to be quarantined.

b. Represents the October Portfolio Budget Statements 2022-23.

c. Additional appropriation is provided in Appropriation Bill (No. 3).

Represents Departmental actual appropriation for 2021-22 as per the Departmental financial Statements and includes appropriation amounts that are intended to be quarantined.

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Represents the October Portfolio Budget Statements 2022-23.

c. No additional equity injection is provided in Appropriation Bill (No. 4) as the total funding change is negative. \$41.277 million will be extinguished against Appropriation Bill (No. 2).

# Glossary

For references to terminology please refer to the Defence Portfolio Budget Statements 2023-24.



