

DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE

TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT—*continued*

VOTE—TRANSPORT— <i>continued</i>	1946-47.	1945-46.	
		Voted.	Expended.
<i>Subdivision No. I—General Administration—continued</i>	£	£	£
OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—			
Auckland vehicular ferry service inquiry ..	50	..	..
Appeals lodged by Department against Licensing Authority decisions	12	20	..
Diplomatic privileges	30	10	17
Expenses of Transport Control Committees ..	100	650	(a) 846
Expenses of Transport Appeal Authority ..	(b) 300	..	..
Fees and expenses of Committee of inquiry into competition between Railways and coastal shipping	25	75	(c) 255
“L” plates for motor-cycles (recoverable) ..	(d) 300	93	92
Mechanical office appliances, purchase of ..	250	5	35
Office expenses	(e) 1,300	900	1,113
Office furniture, fittings, and requisites—			
Head Office	(f) 3,000	1,000	753
District offices	(g) 2,000	900	258
Oil Fuel: expenses of rationing	150	550	545
Overtime and meal allowances	500	1,000	(h) 1,610
Payments to Post and Telegraph Department ..	(i) 4,000	4,000	3,426
Printing and stationery	(j) 2,500	1,250	1,774
Rent of office accommodation— £			
Auckland	317		
Christchurch	320		
Wellington	455		
Dunedin	274		
Rent of sub-offices	647		
	2,013	2,579	2,082
Salary and expenses of Goods Charges Tribunal	700	500	871
Transport Licensing Act, 1931—			
Allowances and expenses of Licensing Authorities	4,300	4,300	4,085
Conference of Licensing Authorities ..	25	30	14
Refunds of fees	400	300	480
Services of Registrar of Motor-vehicles ..	260	150	258

(a) Life of Committees was longer than anticipated.

(b) To cover travelling and other expenses hearing oral appeals.

(c) Volume of work to be handled larger than anticipated.

(d) Replenishment of stocks following heavy demand.

(e) Increased provision to cover replacement of typewriters.

(f) Provision for taking over new offices and additional furniture for extension of work.

(g) Alterations, &c., to new offices.

(h) Heavy volume of work to be handled, renewals of licenses, &c., necessitated more overtime than anticipated.

(i) Increased provision to cover new telephone system when new offices taken over.

(j) Reprinting of forms and printing of new forms.