

YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH, 1948

AIR DEPARTMENT

MINISTER OF DEFENCE

AN ESTIMATE of the Sum that will be required in the Year ending 31st March, 1948, to defray the Salaries, Contingencies, and Expenses of the AIR DEPARTMENT.

SUMMARY

	1947-48.			1946-47.	
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.	Voted.	Expended.
VOTE—AIR	£	£	£	£	£
<i>Subdivision—</i>					
<i>I—Salaries, Pay, and Allowances</i> ..	1,329,234	..	1,329,234	1,087,340	1,237,600
<i>II—Food and Clothing</i>	..	197,700	197,700	139,000	147,609
<i>III—Stores and Equipment</i>	..	774,475	774,475	533,500	405,357
<i>IV—Medical Services</i>	..	13,310	13,310	5,000	8,000
<i>V—Land, Buildings, and Aerodromes</i> ..	..	409,234	409,234	244,500	187,573
<i>VI—Repairs, Maintenance, and Rent</i> ..	..	99,400	99,400	46,700	111,893
<i>VII—Transport</i>	..	85,600	85,600	154,450	193,825
<i>VIII—Miscellaneous Services</i>	..	195,815	195,815	86,100	95,416
<i>IX—Civil Aviation</i>	153,500	949,145	1,102,645	1,301,190	474,089
<i>X—Meteorological Services</i>	93,505	206,115	299,620	235,215	94,568
TOTAL	1,576,239	2,930,794	4,507,033	3,832,995	2,955,930

VOTE—AIR (Total number of officers and other ranks: 1947-48, 3,770; 1946-47, 3,900)	1947-48.	1946-47.	
		Voted.	Expended.
<i>Subdivision No. I—Salaries, Pay, and Allowances</i>	£	£	£
(Number of officers: 1947-48, 3,164; 1946-47, 3,659)			
SALARIES—			
ADMINISTRATIVE			
Service Personnel			
1 Air Vice-Marshal	1,600	1,486	}
2 Air Commodores (2 at £1,486)	..	2,972	
5 Group Captains (4 at £1,346; 1 at £1,159)	6,543	5,680	
178 (£185 to £1,000)	80,981	91,583	