APPROPRIATION ACT, 2018/2019

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APPROPRIATION ACT, 2018/19

An Appropriation Act to provide for the control and management of the Republic of South Sudan revenue and expenditures from the Consolidated Fund intended for the security and benefit of the citizens of South Sudan, from 1st July 2018 to 30th June 2019.

CHAPTER ONE

PRELIMINARY PROVISIONS

1. TITLE AND COMMENCEMENT.

This Act shall be cited as "The Appropriation Act, 2018/2019 and shall come into force upon its signature by the President.

2. DEFINITIONS.

In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires, the following words and expressions shall carry the meanings assigned to them:

"Accounting Officer" means the individual designated by this Act to make all payment requests, and provide all necessary accountability, for the expenditures of a Government Spending Agency; and shall have the meaning assigned to it under the Public Financial Management and Accountability Act, 2011;

"ARCISS" refers to The Agreement on the Resolution of the Conflict in the Republic of South Sudan, August, 2015 also referred to as "The Peace Agreement in this Act."

"Budget line" means an expenditure classification defined in the Approved Budget through the allocation of a specific three-digit expenditure code; "Chapter" means one of the five main expenditure categories of Wages and Salaries, Use of Goods & Services, Transfers, Capital expenditures and Other expenditures, as defined in the Approved budget through the allocation of a specific two-digit expenditure code;

"Consolidated Fund" means the central group of revenue, expenditure and reserve accounts, maintained by the National Ministry of Finance and Planning in the Bank of South Sudan, for receiving public revenue and meeting public expenditure;

"Spending Agency" means any Government entity receiving an appropriation under this Act;

"Legislature" Means the Transitional National Legislative Assembly and the Council of States

"Minister" means the National Minister of Finance and Planning in the Government of the Republic of South Sudan;

"Ministry" means the National Ministry of Finance and Planning in the Government of the Republic of South Sudan; and

"President" means the President of the Republic of South Sudan.

CHAPTER TWO

APPROPRIATIONS

3. APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE CONSOLIDATED FUND.

(1) The total estimates of the National Budget for the Fiscal Year 2018/2019 amount to Eighty One billion Five Hundred and ninety Million, One Hundred Seventy thousand Six Hundred and Nine South Sudan pounds only (SSP 81,590,170,609);

In other words the above total estimated expenditure is referred to as the Resource Envelop for FY 2018/2019 budget and is to be realized from the following sources:

i. Net oil revenues of Seventy Nine billion, Eight Hundred and Forty Four million, Three hundred and Seventy Four thousand, Two hundred and Twenty Five South Sudan pounds (SSP 79,844,374,225) following transfers to Sudan, oil producing states and communities.

- ii. Non-oil revenues amount to Twenty Five billion and Fifty Six million South Sudan pounds(SSP 25,056,000,000);
- iii. External project loans of One billion, One hundred and Thirty Nine million, Fifty Two Thousands and Two hundred and Twenty South Sudanese Pounds (SSP 1,139,052,220)
- 2). The resource envelope is appropriated as follows-
 - (a) Fifty Seven Billion, Eight Hundred and Eleven Million, Six Hundred and Twenty Four Thousand, Two Hundred and Sixty South Sudanese pounds only (SSP 57,611,624,260) is appropriated to Government Spending Agencies;
 - (b) Three Billion, Three Hundred Fifty Eight Million, Four Hundred and Nineteen Thousands and Seven Hundred and Eighty South Sudanese pounds only (SSP 3,358,419,780) is appropriated to the Emergency Contingency Fund;
 - (c)One Hundred Million South Sudanese pounds only (SSP 100,000,000) is appropriated to interest payments;
 - (d) -One Billion, One Hundred Thirty Nine Million Fifty Two Thousand Two Hundred and Two South Sudanese pounds only (SSP 1,139,052,220) is appropriated to Government Spending Agencies from external loans and grant funds;
 - (e) Three Billion South Sudanese pounds only (SSP 2,000, 000,000) is appropriated to the Peace Budget (ARCISS Implementation Fund).
 - (f) Seventeen billion, Three hundred and Eighty One million, Seventy Four thousands, Three hundred and Forty Eight (SSP 17,381,074,348) is appropriated for 2017-2018 arrears that will be carried forward to the 2018-2019 fiscal year.
 - 2) Expenditures from the Consolidated Fund are authorised for the period of 1st July 2018 to 30th June 2019 for each Spending Agency on a chapter by chapter basis, as set forth in the attached schedule.
 - 3) Payments for salaries to public service employees, use of goods, services costs and capital expenditures shall be in accordance with

the Public Finance Management and Accountability Act 2011, Public Service Laws and this Appropriation Act, 2018/19.

- (4) Scales and procedures shall be in accordance with the Public Services Laws and Regulations.
- (5) Payment requests against a Spending Agency's appropriation shall be submitted to the National Ministry of Finance and Planning by the designated Accounting Officer, as specified in the Approved Budget. No other individual is authorised to submit a payment request on behalf of the Spending Agency. In the event the designated Accounting Officer is out of station or otherwise unavailable, a senior official within the Spending Agency may be nominated by the head of the Spending Agency to Act on behalf of the designated accounting officer.

4. EMERGENCY CONTINGENCY FUND

- (1) Spending from the Emergency Contingency Fund shall be for the purpose of providing for National Emergencies, up to the amount appropriated in Section 3 (2) b of this Act.
- (2) National Emergencies shall be defined as the consequences of epidemics, unforeseen acts of nature or war which could not have been anticipated at the time of preparing the National Budget, and for which spending cannot be postponed without detriment to public interest.
- (3) Spending from the Emergency Contingency Fund shall be authorized by a resolution arising from a meeting of the Council of Ministers at which the Minister of Finance and Planning is in attendance.
- (4) Each expenditure authorised by the Council of Ministers from the Emergency Contingency Fund shall be charged by the Ministry of Finance and Planning to the Government Spending Agency responsible for executing the expenditure. The Spending Agency shall be responsible for providing a detailed breakdown of the expenditure to the Ministry, according to chapter, budget line and activity code. The Ministry shall also assign the expenditure a specific fund code, in order to identify that it is funded from the Emergency Contingency Fund, rather than the Spending Agency's appropriated budget.

- (5) Whenever an expenditure is made from the Emergency Contingency Fund, the balance of appropriated funds available to the Fund shall be reduced accordingly.
- (6) A report on the use of Funds from the Emergency Contingency Fund shall be laid before the Assembly by the Minister within 1 month of expenditure.
- (7) In the event that the funds appropriated to the Emergency Contingency Fund are exhausted, the Minister shall submit a supplementary expenditure request to the National Legislature for its replenishment, consistent with the provisions of Section 7 of this Act.
- 5. PEACE AND NATIONAL DIALOGUE BUDGET (ARCISS IMPLEMENTATION FUND)
 - (1) Spending from the Peace Budget (ARCISS Implementation Fund) shall be for the purpose of providing for the implementation of the Agreement, up to the amount appropriated in Section 3 (2) (e) of this Act.
 - (2) Pending the establishment of the Economic and Financial Management Authority (EFMA) according to the Peace Agreement, the Ministry of Cabinet Affairs shall be the Spending Agency for the peace budget (ARCISS Implementation Fund). Expenditures on the Peace budget shall be proposed by the accounting officer responsible for the Spending Agency.
 - 3) The Accounting Officer of the Spending Agency shall submit detailed estimates to the Ministry of Finance and Planning which shall include:
 - a) Categorisation of the proposed expenditure according to the Government Chart of Accounts;
 - b) The timing, frequency and total amount of the proposed expenditure within FY 2018/19
- 4) The following are prohibited as proposed expenditures under the Peace Budget (ARCISS Implementation fund):
 - a. Expenditures that have already received an appropriation from another source of funding under 3 (2) (a) (d);

- b. Expenditures for Activity for which international development partners have pledged sufficient support, as determined by the Minister of Finance and planning.
- c. All goods or services delivered prior to the 1st of July 2018;
- d. All foreign travel unrelated to ARCISS;
- e. Salaries except allowances (if any) of any public official already employed in an official capacity by the Government of the Republic of South Sudan.
- 5) Spending from the Peace Budget (ARCISS Implementation Fund) shall be authorized by a resolution arising from a meeting of the Council of Ministers after a request presented by the Accounting Officer of the Peace Commission to the Council of Ministers.
- 6) The Ministry shall charge all expenditure from the Peace and national dialogue Budget (ARCISS Implementation Fund) to a specific fund code, in order to identify that it is funded from the Peace Budget (ARCISS Implementation Fund), rather than the Spending Agency's appropriated budget.
- 7) Whenever an expenditure is made from the Peace Budget (ARCISS Implementation Fund), the balance of appropriated funds available to the Fund shall be reduced accordingly.
- 8) A report on the use of Funds from the Peace Budget (ARCISS Implementation Fund) shall be laid before the Assembly by the Minister together with the budget execution quarterly report within 1 month of expenditure.
- 9) In the event that the funds appropriated to the Peace Budget (ARCISS Implementation Fund) are exhausted, the Minister shall submit a supplementary expenditure request to the National Legislature for its replenishment, consistent with the provisions of Section 7 of this Act.

6. LIMITS TO EXPENDITURE

Expenditures issued by the Undersecretary of Finance must not exceed Eighty Billion Four hundred and Fifty One Million, One hundred Eighteen thousand three hundred and eighty eight South Sudan pounds only (SSP 80,451,118,388);

- (1) No expenditure from this budget or commitments against the Consolidated Fund must be made except as authorised by this Act.
- (2) No funds except as provided under subsection (3) of this section shall be transferred from one chapter to another during the financial year, or from one Spending Agency to another without the approval of the National Legislature through a Supplementary Appropriation Act.
- (3) The Minister may transfer funds against an approved budget upon a request of an individual agency between budget lines within a chapter, as long as expenditure internal transfers against the different budget lines do not exceed 20% of the category being reduced.
- (4) The Ministry of Finance and Planning will establish cash limits for expenditures by Government Spending Agencies not exceeding three billion, six hundred and forty million, nine hundred and sixteen thousand, nine hundred and sixty one South Sudanese pounds(SSP 3,640,916,961) per month. These cash limits shall be set on the basis of revenue availability, according to the revenues that have been deposited into the Consolidated Fund, and expenditure priority, within the limits of the appropriations approved for each Spending Agency in this Act.
- (5) In the event that the estimates of resources and revenues in the Approved Budget are not expected to be realized in full during the Financial Year, the Minister shall inform the Council of Ministers and the President accordingly. The Minister shall either recommend that the President causes a financial Act to be submitted to the National Legislature to raise additional revenues or make a request for an allocation from the reserve funds, where available, or recommend to the Legislature that the appropriated budget ceilings be adjusted downward in line with the shortfall. In this case, the monthly cash limits shall sum to less than the annual estimates or resources and revenues.
- (6) The Government shall not finance a budget shortfall by reducing reserve funds where available or raising funds through Government borrowing, whether domestic or external, without the approval of the National Legislature.

- (7) No payments shall be made except in conformity with the Public Finance Management and Accountability Act, 2011.
- (8) All expenditures must be charged against the relevant code of a Spending Agency, according to the appropriate chapter and budget line.
- (9) Surplus funds over revenue estimates and funds out of the legal reserve shall not be spent save by a Supplementary Appropriation Act.

7. SUPPLEMENTARY EXPENDITURE.

- (1) Whenever new circumstances occur, or a matter of public concern proves not to have been satisfactorily addressed by the Approved Budget, the President may during the financial year cause a supplementary expenditure request to be submitted to the National Legislature. The Minister shall prepare all such submissions on behalf of the President.
- (2) All requests for supplementary expenditures submitted shall clearly detail the source of financing for the supplementary expenditure. Sources may include a reduction in the appropriations of other Spending Agencies, or allocation from reserve funds where existing, or new revenue raising measures detailed through a Revenue Law.
- (3) Requests for supplementary appropriation shall not exceed five per cent (5%) of the total appropriated budget, unless approved by the National Legislature in the event of a national emergency.
- (4) Once a supplementary appropriation has been approved, the appropriation of the relevant Spending Agency shall be adjusted accordingly, on a chapter by chapter basis, according to the relevant budget line and activity code.
- (5) Where supplementary appropriations are financed through an allocation from reserve funds, reserve funds will be reduced accordingly, and the appropriation of the Spending Agency increased by the same amount. Expenditures shall not be charged against reserve funds.

- (6) The Minister of Finance and Planning shall not borrow, guarantee, or raise a loan on behalf of the Republic of South Sudan to finance supplementary expenditures except as authorized by the National Legislature.
- (7) (1) Supplementary expenditures shall not be incurred before the approval of the Legislature has been obtained, except when financing the following items detailed in Article 90 (5) of the Transitional Constitution of the Republic of South Sudan, 2011:
 - a) emoluments of the President;
 - b) expenses of the State House;
 - c) budget of the Judiciary;
 - d) budget of the National Legislature;
 - e) National Government contractual financial obligations;
 - f) repayment of National Government external debts under any loan agreements;
 - g) payment of any money the National Government is required to pay under a court order arising out of litigation or as a result of an arbitration award or any other settlement having similar legal effect; and
 - h) Any other expenses as shall be regulated by law.
- (2) The minister shall report to the house quarterly on the expenditure of any of the items under sub-section 7 above.
- (8) When supplementary expenditures are incurred according to subsection (7) the Minister, within one month of the expenditure having been incurred, shall lay an explanation before the National Legislature which details the nature of the supplementary spending and it's financing.

8. CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS.

- (1) No Spending Agency receiving appropriations under this Act shall enter into any contractual arrangement for consultancy services, goods and works without following procurement procedures laid down in the Public Financial Management and Accountability Act 2011.
- (2) All spending units shall record as obligations against appropriated funds any orders for purchase of goods or services

at the time the order is placed, or the purchase of goods for which contracts are signed.

(3) The Minister shall during the financial year submit all contract Bills which become obligatory to the National Legislature for approval before incurring any payment from the consolidated fund.

9. PROGRESS REPORT.

(1) The Minister shall present a quarterly progress report, on revenue and expenditure to the President and the National Legislature.

10. PENSION FUNDS.

- (1) The Ministry of Finance and Planning shall maintain a Pension Account into which an employee (5% of basic salary and cost of living allowance) and employer (11% of basic salary and cost of living allowance) contributions of eligible Republic of South Sudan employees shall be deposited.
- (2) The Pension Account shall be managed by a Pension Management Board established by a Pension Law.
- (3) Expenditures from the Pension Account shall only be for purposes of provision of post service benefits or other retirement entitlements of former Government employees.

11. CARRY OVER INTO 2018/2019.

- (1) Programmes and project appropriated for more than one year life span at the end of the financial year shall be paid out of consolidated reserve funds as national government contractual obligations.
- (2) Appropriated funds not expended by 30th June 2019 shall not be carried over into 2019/2020 to the credit of the Ministry to which they were appropriated when budget is timely passed.
- (3) All appropriated funds except Constituency Development Fund money not expended by 30th June 2019 shall automatically

revert to the Consolidated Fund and form part of the General Reserve.

12. BUDGET DELAY

Where the procedure of adopting the general budget and the appropriation Act is delayed beyond the beginning of the financial year, expenditure shall continue, pending adoption of the general budget, in accordance with the estimates approved for the previous year; as if the same has been appropriated by law for the new year.

CHAPTER THREE

PENALTIES

13. PENALTIES.

- (1) Every accounting officer of any Spending Agency receiving appropriation under this Act, who causes unauthorized reallocation between appropriations, shall be required to refund to the Treasury the amounts unlawfully reallocated. Should such accounting officer fail to refund the amounts wrongfully allocated, he or she shall bear the penalty provided under subsection (2) of this section.
- (2) Any Accounting officer or government employee of any Government Spending Agency engaging in or promoting practices that suffers the government to lose appropriated funds by-
 - (a) personally enriching himself or herself, or his or her family, business or other associates, in respect of public funds, appropriated under this Act;
 - (b) overspending allocated budgets against the provisions of this Act; commits an offence and if convicted, in addition to any other Penalties which the Court may decide under the Penal Code, the Public Financial Management and Accountability Act, 2011 or any other law, shall refund to the Treasury the amount lost and the employee shall not occupy any future

public office that may involve dealing with financial matters.

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Spending Agencies by Sector	Wages and Salaries	Uses of goods and Services	Capital	Transfers	Others Expenditures	FY 2018/2019
Accountability	425,620,289	1,597,332,891	393,300,000	1,113,239,724	-	3,529,492,904
Anti-Corruption Commission	11,121,184	13,386,570				24,507,754
Audit Chamber	60,007,759	236,878,639	393,300,000			690,186,398
Ministry of Finance & Planning	332,022,260	842,501,432		1,113,239,724		2,287,763,416
National Bureau of Statistics	18,398,058	17,428,993				35,827,051
National Revenue Authority	-	474,169,440				474,169,440
South Sudan Reconstruction & Development Fund	2,818,928	6,900,263				9,719,191
SS Fiscal & Financial Allocation & Monitoring Commission	1,252,100	6,067,554				7,319,654
Economic Functions	261,978,164	471,805,559	2,077,500,000	72,347,922	-	2,883,631,645
Access to Information Commission	1,081,944	11,614,366				12,696,310
Electricity Corporation	28,039,523	15,779,401				43,818,924
Investment Authority	4,068,374	11,595,390				15,663,764
Media Authority	1,617,275	10,206,502				11,823,777
Ministry of Energy & Dams	5,526,413	23,131,478	2,000,000,000			2,028,657,891
Ministry of Information, Communication, Technology & Postal Se	39,297,023	48,220,214				87,517,237
Ministry of Mining	12,663,516	23,549,488				36,213,004
Ministry of Petroleum	20,335,518	115,090,542				135,426,060
Ministry of Trade, Industry and East Africa Community Affairs	47,967,669	51,051,659				99,019,328
Ministry of Water Resources & Irrigation	26,090,635	19,816,689		72,347,922		118,255,246
National Bureau of Standards	25,043,768	14,315,888				39,359,656
National Communications Authority	1,595,370	40,015,408	77,500,000			119,110,778
Petroleum and Gas Commission	6,434,706	7,635,909				14,070,615
South Sudan Broadcasting Commission	20,655,713	62,571,650				83,227,363
South Sudan Urban Water Corporation	21,560,717	17,210,975			NCE AND EC	// C
Education	657,563,242	983,519,339	1	5,987,922,775	- Carris	04x629,005,356
Ministry of General Education & Instruction	69,667,310	786,954,985		5,987,922,775		6,844,545,070
Ministry of Higher Education Science & Technology	582,895,932	74,916,944		331		657,812,876
South Sudan National Examination Council	5,000,000	121,647,410		111/		£26,647,410
Health	467,009,416	352,127,359	287,550,767	684,954,300	S. Contrasor	15791,641,902
Drug and Food Control Authority	2,254,781	5,540,254			**	7,795,035
HIV/Aids Commission	9,195,918	12,480,178			ATIONAL AS	21,676,096
Ministry of Health	455,558,717	334,106,927	287,550,767	684,954,360		1,762,170,771

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Spending Agencies by Sector	Wages and Salaries	Uses of goods and Services	Capital	Transfers	Others Expenditures	FY 2018/2019
Infrastructure	133,829,716	147,988,779	2,470,586,410	-	-	2,752,404,905
Ministry of Lands, Housing & Urban Development	15,459,772	23,153,309				38,613,081
Ministry of Roads & Bridges	13,232,298	16,845,875	488,586,410			518,664,583
Ministry of Transport	36,325,412	14,769,444	500,000,000			551,094,856
South Sudan Civil Aviation Authority	68,812,234	82,672,488	57,000,000			208,484,722
South Sudan Roads Authority		10,547,663	1,425,000,000			1,435,547,663
Natural Resources & Rural Devt	251,840,400	290,828,201	87,400,000	523,767,766	-	1,153,836,367
Ministry of Agriculture & Food Security	40,549,973	76,250,687				116,800,660
Ministry of Environment & Forestry	14,798,540	21,097,209		7,511,907		43,407,656
Ministry of Livestock & Fisheries Industry	9,324,848	89,023,894		10,271,718		108,620,460
South Sudan Land Commission	2,356,328	3,567,064				5,923,392
Tourism	8,760,364	9,548,493				18,308,857
Wildlife Conservation	176,050,347	91,340,854	87,400,000	505,984,141		860,775,342
Public Administration	7,614,909,969	5,887,423,614	1,664,703,314	1,290,135	228,000,000	15,396,327,032
Council of States	150,666,798	49,825,784	101,911,100			302,403,682
Federal Affairs	8,079,402	30,988,679		CEAND		39,068,081
Ministry of Cabinet Affairs	80,563,342	2,080,354,974		No man	NOW	2,160,918,316
Ministry of Foreign Affairs & International Cooperation	6,584,384,604	850,075,656		16/ sec	CP	7,434,460,260
Ministry of Labour, Public Service & Human Resource Developme	33,737,031	26,187,257			Z S	59,924,288
National Constitution Review Commission	19,092,654	14,587,285		E # # #	N CO	33,679,939
National Elections Commission	18,685,222	13,281,696		が変	16 Amoust	31,966,918
Transitional National Legislative Assembly	582,010,551	758,873,876	1,277,792,214		1700	2,618,676,641
Northern Corridor Implementation Authority	1,633,798	8,945,122		MATIONAL	ASSEM!	10,578,920
Office of the President	100,189,497	1,965,814,643	285,000,000		228,000,000	2,579,004,140
Parliamentary Affairs	12,741,555	39,539,342				52,280,897
Parliamentary Service Commission	8,276,954	25,363,217				33,640,171
Political Parties Affairs	2,500,000	6,502,500				9,002,500
South Sudan Civil Service Commission	4,562,262	6,143,105				10,705,367
South Sudan Employees Justice Chamber	3,028,815	3,763,422		1,290,135		8,082,372
South Sudan Local Government Board	2,844,725	3,358,045				6,202,770
South Sudan Public Grievances Chamber	1,912,759	3,819,010				5,731,769

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Spending Agencies by Sector	Wages and Salaries	Uses of goods and Services	Capital	Transfers	Others Expenditures	FY 2018/2019
Rule of Law	1,693,345,738	703,456,839	247,000,000	1,993,456,101	1	4,637,258,678
Bureau of Community Security & Small Arms Control	3,359,977	12,370,751				15,730,728
Commission for Refugees Affairs	8,958,529	7,225,000				16,183,529
Fire Brigade	49,359,764	16,236,962	57,000,000	199,998,215		322,594,941
Judiciary of South Sudan	133,065,628	110,228,267				243,293,895
Ministry of Interior	318,962,998	89,758,898	47,500,000			456,221,896
Ministry of Justice & Constitutional Affairs	47,321,138	78,032,125				125,353,263
Police	1,036,768,527	304,854,414	95,000,000	1,054,412,685		2,491,035,626
Prisons	83,839,551	69,795,216	47,500,000	739,045,201		940,179,968
South Sudan Human Rights Commission	6,910,276	5,936,886				12,847,162
South Sudan Law Review Commission	4,799,350	9,018,320				13,817,670
Security	11,742,763,398	2,227,999,746	1,484,667,248	1	ı	15,455,430,392
Defence	6,960,738,281	1,275,013,084	534,667,248			8,770,418,613
Disarmament, Demoblization & Reintegration Commission	16,995,302	10,498,227				27,493,529
National Mine Action Authority	7,068,724	4,235,806				11,304,530
National Security Service	2,889,002,995	842,301,258	950,000,000			4,681,304,253
Veteran Affairs	1,868,958,096	95,951,372			AND	1,964,909,468
Social & Humanitarian Affairs	93,933,816	138,327,071	-	SNASS	NOW	232,260,887
Ministry of Culture, Youth & Sport	20,862,625	26,673,539		100		47,536,164
Ministry of Gender, Child & Social Welfare	17,554,753	31,479,144		(o)		49,033,897
Ministry of Humanitarian Affairs & Disaster Management	16,149,397	32,194,664		I E		2 48,344,061
Peace Commission	7,130,693	8,666,964		= Will		15,797,657
South Sudan Relief & Rehabilitation Commission	27,259,080	21,681,764		5. 0.3	* Charles a Company	48,940,844
War Disabled, Widows & Orphans Commission	4,977,268	17,630,996		24	(18°)	22,608,264
Peace Budget		2,000,000,000		1//4)	JONAL ASSEN	2,000,000,000
Transfers to States		1		4,150,334,193		4,150,334,193
Block Transfers		1		3,454,055,864		3,454,055,864
County Block Transfers		'		200,778,329		200,778,329
County Development Grants		'		20,000,000		20,000,000
STAG Transfers		1		475,500,000		475,500,000
Salary arrears for both Central Gov't & States	13,324,004,848	-		4,057,069,500		17,381,074,348
Interest and related bank charges		-			100,000,000	100,000,000
Contingencies		'				3,358,419,780
Interest and related bank charges		1			100,000,000	100,000,000
Total Government Spending	23,342,794,148	12,800,809,397	8,712,707,739	14,527,312,976	228,000,000	80,451,118,388
External Grant Loan		1		•		1,139,052,221
Total Spending	23,342,794,148	12,800,809,397	8,712,707,739	14,527,312,976	228,000,000	81,590,170,609

Assent of the President

In accordance with the provision of Article 85 (1) of the Constitution I, Gen. Salva Kiir Mayardit, President of the Republic of South Sudan, hereby Assent to the Appropriation Act, 2018/19 and sign it into law.

Signed in Juba this $20^{\frac{17}{2}}$ day of the month of SEPT. in the year, 2018.

Gen. Salva Kiir Mayardit

President Republic of South Sudan

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