

[**REPUBLIC ACT NO. 425, April 28, 1950**]

AN ACT APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES DURING THE PERIOD FROM JULY FIRST, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINE TO JUNE THIRTIETH, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:

SECTION 1. The following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any funds in the Philippine Treasury not otherwise appropriated, during the period from July first, nineteen hundred and forty-nine to June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifty, for the purposes specified hereunder:

A.—CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES

(1) SENATE

I.—SALARIES AND WAGES

1. Salaries and wages—Regular Force	P120,100.00
2. Supplementary force	<u>100,100.00</u>
Total for salaries and wages	<u>P220,200.00</u>

II.—SUNDRY EXPENSES

1. Other services	P9,000.00
2. Consumption of supplies and materials	15,000.00
3. Printing and binding reports, documents and publications	8,000.00
4. Maintenance and repair of equipment	<u>8,000.00</u>
Total for sundry expenses .	<u>P40,000.00</u>

III.—FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT

1. For the purchase of furniture and equipment, including the purchase of motor vehicles	<u>P30,000.00</u>
Total for furniture and equipment	<u>P30,00.00</u>

IV.—SPECIAL PURPOSES

1. For traveling and other expenses of the Senate President, Senate Committees and	P50,000.00
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subordinate personnel when authorized by the President of the Senate to undertake studies in and outside of the Philippines	
2. For the proportionate share of the Senate in the expenses incurred by the Joint Congressional Committee on Education	20,000.00
3. For other services, including transportation, investigation of any Senate Committee and additional secretarial services for the members of the Senate, or expenses incurred by direction of the President of the Senate	<u>50,000.00</u>
Total for special purposes	<u>P120,000.00</u>

V.—SUMMARY

Total for salaries and wages.	P220,200.00
Total for sundry expenses	40,000.00
Total for furniture and equipment	30,000.00
Total for special purposes	<u>120,000.00</u>
Total amount available for the Senate	<u>P410,200.00</u>

(2) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

I.—SALARIES AND WAGES

1. Salaries of two new Members of the House of Representatives	P7,277.42
2. Readjustment of salaries and wages for the permanent personnel of the House of Representatives	37,620.00

MISCELLANEOUS

1. For secretarial and clerical service to two new Members of the House of Representatives	3,032.26
2. For supplementary force	<u>200,000.00</u>
Total for salaries and wages	<u>P247,929.68</u>

II.—SUNDRY EXPENSES

1. Traveling expenses of Members..	<u>P200,000.00</u>
Total for sundry expenses	<u>P200,000.00</u>

IV.—SPECIAL PURPOSES

1. For expenses of the Electoral Tribunal	<u>80,000.00</u>
Total for special purposes.	<u>P80,000.00</u>

V.—SUMMARY

Total for salaries and wages	P247,929.68
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Total for sundry expenses.	200,000.00
Total for special purposes	<u>80,000.00</u>
Total amount available for the House of Representatives	<u>P527,929.68</u>

B.—OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

II.—SUNDRY EXPENSES

6. Additional appropriation for consumption of supplies and materials for the subsistence of the inmates of Welfareville	P282,195.00
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IV.—SPECIAL AND GENERAL PURPOSES

9. Additional appropriation for the payment of pensions to veterans of past Philippine revolutions or wars in accordance with the provisions of Commonwealth Act No. 605, including the operating expenses of the Board on Pension for Veterans	107,000.00
20. For salaries of personnel and maintenance of the Office of the Coordinator of National Intelligence, as provided in Executive Order No. 167, series of 1948	100,000.00
21. For operating expenses of a board created under Administrative Order No. 89, dated May 18, 1949, to take charge of listing deserving unrecognized guerrilla organizations so as to establish a basis upon which to estimate the total amount needed for the payment of back pay to their members	50,000.00
22. For contribution in kind of the Philippine Government to the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF)	400,000.00

BUREAU OF PRINTING REVOLVING FUND SALARIES AND WAGES

155a. For the standardization and adjustment of the salaries and wages of the personnel of the Bureau of Printing	P175,260.00
Amount to be paid out of the Bureau of Printing Revolving Fund .	<u>(175,260.00)</u>
Total for the Office of the President	<u>P939,195.00</u>

C.—OFFICE OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT

I.—SALARIES AND WAGES

I. The Vice-President of the Philippines at P15,000.	<u>P7,600.00</u>
Total for the Office of the Vice-President	<u>P7,600.00</u>

D.—DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

I.—SALARIES AND WAGES

114a. For the employment of two telephone operators at P1,560 per annum and of laborers and janitors at wages not exceeding P3.50 per day each P9,000.00

IV.—SPECIAL PURPOSES

7. Additional appropriation for the operation and maintenance of the Foreign Service of the Republic of the Philippines 411,870.00

SALARIES AND WAGES

(v) PHILIPPINE LEGATION, BUENOS AIRES,
ARGENTINA

(Diplomatic Post, class II)

THE MINISTER

(1) The Minister P20,000.00

Diplomatic Staff

(2) One foreign affairs officer, class I 9,000.00

(3) One foreign affairs officer, class III 6,000.00

(4) One commercial attache (by detail).

Technical, Administrative and Clerical Personnel

(5) One administrative assistant.. 4,800.00

Supplemental salary 2,400.00

(6) One finance and property officer 3,960.00

Supplemental salary 2,040.00

(7) One technical assistant 3,960.00

Supplemental salary 2,040.00

(8) One clerk-stenographer 2,580.00

Supplemental salary 2,220.00

(9) For the employment of additional personnel as the needs of the service may require.. 18,750.00

Total for the Philippine Legation in Buenos Aires, Argentina P77.750.00

(v) PHILIPPINE MISSION IN TOKYO, JAPAN
(Diplomatic Post, class II)

THE MINISTER

1) The Minister P20,000.00

Diplomatic Staff

(2) One foreign affairs officer, class II	7,500.00
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Technical, Administrative and Clerical Staff

(3) One executive assistant	4,800.00
Supplemental salary	2,400.00
(4) One technical assistant	4,500.00
Supplemental salary	2,700.00
(5) One finance and property officer	3,120.00
Supplemental salary	2,880.00
(6) One interpreter-writer (Japanese)	2,400.00
Supplemental salary	1,560.00
(7) One clerk-stenographer	1,920.00
Supplemental salary	2,580.00
(8) One trade assistant	4,800.00
Supplemental salary	300.00
(9) One secretary-stenographer	2,940.00
Supplemental salary	1,860.00
(10) One clerk-messenger	1,440.00
Supplemental salary	1,680.00
(11) For the employment of additional personnel as the needs of the service may require	<u>11,640.00</u>
Total for the Philippine Mission in Tokyo, Japan	<u>P81,020.00</u>

(x) MISCELLANEOUS

Additional appropriation for supplementary salaries of foreign affairs officers, at-taches and advisers for services rendered outside the Philippines at annual rates equivalent to not more than fifty per centum of their basic annual salaries: Philippine Legation in Buenos Aires, Argentina

	P10,750.00
Philippine Mission in Tokyo, Japan	<u>3,750.00</u>
	<u>P14,500.00</u>
Total for salaries and wages	<u>P173,270.00</u>

(y) SUNDRY EXPENSES

Philippine Legation in Buenos Aires, Argentina	P70,000.00
Philippine Mission in Tokyo, Japan .,	<u>42,000.00</u>
Total for sundry expenses	<u>P112,000.00</u>