

DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT—*continued*

VOTE—CUSTOMS— <i>continued</i>	1947-48.	1946-47.	
		Voted.	Expended.
<i>Subdivision No. I—Customs Offices and Services— continued</i>	£	£	£
OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—			
Expenses of—			
Officers transferred overseas	2,250
Officers travelling overseas	4,500
Immigration Restriction Act: administrative expenses (part recoverable)	(a) 300	1,000	983
Launch hire	300	250	256
Office expenses	1,500	1,500	1,415
Office equipment (furniture, machines, and appliances)	(b) 1,500	1,250	515
Office fixtures, alterations and transfers to new premises	250	750	216
Official Representative, London: travelling and general expenses	500	350	80
Official Representatives, New York: travelling and general expenses	(c) 1,200	600	491
Overtime and meal allowances (part recoverable)	11,000	11,000	11,646
Payments to the Post and Telegraph Department	6,500	6,000	6,385
Printing and stationery	3,300	2,500	3,324
Rent of offices	1,550	1,750	1,507
Rewards in connection with the protection of the revenue and the detection of offences against the Customs Acts or the Immigration Restriction Acts	750	750	940
Transfer and removal expenses	(d) 2,000	1,500	1,172
Travelling allowances and expenses	(e) 2,250	1,900	1,720
Uniforms for officers	(f) 700	450	442
Contingencies	20	25	..
	40,370	31,575	31,092
<i>Total—Subdivision No. I</i>	257,223	243,422	240,952

(a) Contribution to International Refugees Committee previously paid out of this item now provided for in estimates of Department of External Affairs.

(b) Provision made for purchase of new adding-machines for Statistical Branch.

(c) Appointment of additional officer at New York.

(d) Increase in number of transfers due to recent retirements.

(e) Appointment of additional Inspector.

(f) Full cost of officers' uniforms being paid by Department from 1st April, 1947.