

DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE

AIR DEPARTMENT—*continued*

VOTE—AIR— <i>continued</i>	1948-49.	1947-48.	
		Voted.	Expended.
<i>Subdivision No. VIII—Meteorological Services— continued</i>	£	£	£
<i>CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—continued</i>			
Meteorological equipment—			
Radiosonde	(a) 21,650	29,000	9,094
Radar wind	(a) 14,150	40,800	25,583
Instruments	(a) 10,800	14,410	6,500
Balloons and hydrogen	6,000	5,400	2,815
Anemometers	(a) 3,000	4,000	90
Motor-vehicles—			
Purchase	750	2,000	..
Maintenance	400	1,300	850
New Zealand contributions to International Meteorological Organization	490	620	420
Office expenses	500	100	17
Office requisites, furniture, &c.	1,300	600	461
Overtime and meal allowances	10,000	5,700	4,306
Payments to Post and Telegraph Depart- ment	22,650	20,150	19,375
Printing and stationery	2,500	2,600	1,152
Repairs to technical equipment	1,250	1,530	934
Reporting service: outside assistance	(b) 4,000	1,975	807
Transfer and removal expenses	850	850	737
Travelling allowances and expenses	2,150	750	1,129
Works expenditure—			
Housing for meteorologists (New Zealand) .. .. .	..	36,000	} (c)
Housing, Cook Islands and Samoa .. .. .	..	12,000	
Other expenditure—			
Office accommodation (Nandi) .. .. .	..	1,900	
Buildings (Suva) .. .. .	..	5,100	
	165,095	221,935	79,284
<i>Total—Subdivision No. VIII</i> .. (d)	239,120	311,920	149,317
<i>Subdivision No. IX—South Pacific Trunk Air Route (e)</i>			
(Number of officers: 1948-49, 102)			
SALARIES—			
102 (£250 to £1,025)	45,110	..	..
Location and special allowances	13,275	..	..
	58,385	..	..