Vote Women

APPROPRIATION MINISTER(S): Minister for Women (M76)

APPROPRIATION ADMINISTRATOR: Ministry for Women

RESPONSIBLE MINISTER FOR MINISTRY FOR WOMEN: Minister for Women

Details of Appropriations and Capital Injections

Annual and Permanent Appropriations

	2015/16		
Titles and Scopes of Appropriations by Appropriation Type	Estimates Budget \$000	Budget	Total Budget \$000
Departmental Capital Expenditure			
Ministry for Women - Capital Expenditure PLA (M76) This appropriation is limited to the purchase or development of assets by and for the use of the Ministry for Women, as authorised by section 24(1) of the Public Finance Act 1989.	47	23	70
Total Departmental Capital Expenditure	47	23	70
Multi-Category Expenses and Capital Expenditure			
Policy Advice and Nomination Services MCA (M76) The overarching purpose of this appropriation is to provide policy advice and other support to Ministers in discharging their policy decision-making and other portfolio responsibilities.	4,616	309	4,925
Departmental Output Expenses			
Ministerial Services This category is limited to the provision of services to the Vote Minister to enable her/him to discharge her/his portfolio responsibilities.	355	-	355
National Advisory Council on the Employment of Women This category is limited to the provision of administrative, advisory and research support for the National Advisory Council on the Employment of Women.	200	-	200
Nomination Services This category is limited to the provision of suitable women nominees for appointment to state sector boards and committees.	300	-	300
Policy Advice This category is limited to the provision of advice (including second opinion advice and contributions to policy advice led by other agencies) to support decision-making by Ministers on government policy matters relating to improving outcomes for women in New Zealand.	3,761	309	4,070
Total Multi-Category Expenses and Capital Expenditure	4,616	309	4,925
Total Annual and Permanent Appropriations	4,663	332	4,995

Capital Injection Authorisations

	2015/16		
	Estimates Budget \$000		Total Budget
Ministry for Women - Capital Injection (M76)	-	-	-

Supporting Information

Part 1 - Vote as a Whole

1.2 - Trends in the Vote

Summary of Financial Activity

	2015/16				
	Supplementary Estimates		nates		
	Estimates \$000	Departmental Transactions \$000	Non- Departmental Transactions \$000	Total Transactions \$000	Total \$000
Appropriations					
Output Expenses	-	-	-	-	-
Benefits or Related Expenses	-	N/A	-	-	-
Borrowing Expenses	-	-	-	-	-
Other Expenses	-	-	-	-	-
Capital Expenditure	47	23	-	23	70
Intelligence and Security Department Expenses and Capital Expenditure	-	-	N/A	-	-
Multi-Category Expenses and Capital Expenditure (MCA)					
Output Expenses	4,616	309	-	309	4,925
Other Expenses	-	-	-	-	-
Capital Expenditure	-	N/A	-	-	-
Total Appropriations	4,663	332	-	332	4,995
Crown Revenue and Capital Receipts					
Tax Revenue	-	N/A	-	-	-
Non-Tax Revenue	-	N/A	-	-	-
Capital Receipts	-	N/A	-	-	-
Total Crown Revenue and Capital Receipts	-	N/A	-	-	

Part 2 - Details of Departmental Appropriations

2.3 - Departmental Capital Expenditure and Capital Injections

Ministry for Women - Capital Expenditure PLA (M76)

Scope of Appropriation

This appropriation is limited to the purchase or development of assets by and for the use of the Ministry for Women, as authorised by section 24(1) of the Public Finance Act 1989.

Capital Expenditure

	2015/16		
	Estimates \$000	Supplementary Estimates \$000	Total \$000
Forests/Agricultural	-	-	-
Land	-	-	-
Property, Plant and Equipment	42	(32)	10
Intangibles	5	55	60
Other	-	-	-
Total Appropriation	47	23	70

What is Intended to be Achieved with this Appropriation

This appropriation is intended to achieve the routine replacement and upgrade of office equipment and information technology to support the delivery of Ministry services.

How Performance will be Assessed and End of Year Reporting Requirements

	2015/16		
Performance Measures	Estimates Standard		Total
Expenditure is in accordance with the Ministry's annual capital plan.	100%	100%	100%

End of Year Performance Reporting

Performance information for this appropriation will be reported by the Ministry for Women in its 2015/16 Annual Report.

Reasons for Change in Appropriation

This appropriation increased by \$23,000 to \$70,000 for 2015/16 due to changes to forecast expenditure for office equipment and information technology during the year.

Capital Injections and Movements in Departmental Net Assets

Ministry for Women

Details of Net Asset Schedule	2015/16 Main Estimates Projections \$000	Estimates Projections	
Opening Balance	336	336	Supplementary Estimates opening balance reflects the audited results as at 30 June 2015.
Capital Injections	-	-	
Capital Withdrawals	-	-	
Surplus to be Retained (Deficit Incurred)	-	-	
Other Movements	-	-	
Closing Balance	336	336	

Part 4 - Details of Multi-Category Expenses and Capital Expenditure

Multi-Category Expenses and Capital Expenditure

Policy Advice and Nomination Services (M76)

Overarching Purpose Statement

The overarching purpose of this appropriation is to provide policy advice and other support to Ministers in discharging their policy decision-making and other portfolio responsibilities.

Scope of Appropriation

Departmental Output Expenses

Ministerial Services

This category is limited to the provision of services to the Vote Minister to enable her/him to discharge her/his portfolio responsibilities.

National Advisory Council on the Employment of Women

This category is limited to the provision of administrative, advisory and research support for the National Advisory Council on the Employment of Women.

Nomination Services

This category is limited to the provision of suitable women nominees for appointment to state sector boards and committees.

Policy Advice

This category is limited to the provision of advice (including second opinion advice and contributions to policy advice led by other agencies) to support decision-making by Ministers on government policy matters relating to improving outcomes for women in New Zealand.

Expenses, Revenue and Capital Expenditure

	2015/16		
	Estimates \$000		Total \$000
Total Appropriation	4,616	309	4,925
Departmental Output Expenses			
Ministerial Services	355	-	355
National Advisory Council on the Employment of Women	200	-	200
Nomination Services	300	-	300
Policy Advice	3,761	309	4,070

	2015/16		
	Estimates \$000	Supplementary Estimates \$000	Total \$000
Funding for Departmental Output Expenses			
Revenue from the Crown	4,616	(9)	4,607
Ministerial Services	355	-	355
National Advisory Council on the Employment of Women	200	-	200
Nomination Services	300	-	300
Policy Advice	3,761	(9)	3,752
Revenue from Others	-	318	318
Policy Advice	-	318	318

What is Intended to be Achieved with this Appropriation

This appropriation is intended to support Ministerial decision-making that improves the lives of New Zealand women.

How Performance will be Assessed for this Appropriation

	2015/16		
Assessment of Performance	Estimates Standard		Total
The performance of the MCA as a whole will be assessed using the measures for each category within the MCA.	100% of category measures achieved		5 3

What is Intended to be Achieved with each Category and How Performance will be Assessed

		2015/16		
Assessment of Performance	Estimates Standard	Supplementary Estimates Standard	Total Standard	
Departmental Output Expenses				
Ministerial Services				
This category is intended to provide high-quality and timely services to enable the Minister for Women to discharge her/his portfolio responsibilities.				
Performance of this category will be assessed by Ministerial satisfaction with the services provided, as rated on a quarterly basis.	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better	
National Advisory Council on the Employment of Women				
This category is intended to deliver high-quality administrative, advisory and research support for the National Advisory Council on the Employment of Women.				
Performance of this category will be assessed by council member satisfaction with the services provided, as rated on an annual basis.	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better	

		2015/16	
Assessment of Performance	Estimates Standard	Supplementary Estimates Standard	Total Standard
Nomination Services			
This category is intended to provide suitable women nominees for appointment to state sector boards and committees.			
Performance of this category will be assessed by the following measures:			
Appointing agency satisfaction with the quality of nominees and nomination services provided to them, as rated on an annual basis.	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better
Timeliness of the nomination services using the percentage of responses to nomination requests provided by the due date.	100%	100%	100%
Policy Advice			
This category is intended to provide high-quality advice to support Ministerial decision-making that improves the lives of New Zealand women.			
Performance of this category will be assessed by the following measures:			
Average quality of policy papers to the Minister for Women, as assessed annually by an independent reviewer using a process with a methodical robustness score of at least 80%.	80%	80%	80%
Ministerial satisfaction with the Ministry for Women's advice using the common satisfaction survey for policy advice, as rated on a quarterly basis.	80%	80%	80%
Total cost of producing policy advice per output hour.	Up to \$120	Up to \$120	Up to \$120
Stakeholder satisfaction with the Ministry for Women's advice, as rated on an annual basis.	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better	Rated as 'meeting requirements' or better

End of Year Performance Reporting

Performance information for this appropriation will be reported by the Ministry for Women in its 2015/16 Annual Report.

Reasons for Change in Appropriation

This appropriation increased by \$309,000 to \$4.925 million for 2015/16 due to departmental contributions received for staff on secondment to other agencies (\$318,000). This was partially offset by the Ministry's share of costs for Budget 2015 whole-of-government initiatives (\$9,000).